



Media Release
Closed Circuit Cameras in Alexandra

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Along with the new street enhancement and painting of the Library in Tarbert St, the closed circuit cameras are operational, now that the privacy protocol has been signed off.

The Vincent Community Board chairperson, Clair Higginson said “The cameras are part of the Boards ‘safe environments’ strategy which includes new lighting, removal of obstacles, setting up neighbourhood watch groups and the liquor ban. None of the elements are a stand alone ‘silver bullet’. It takes the whole community, working together to make our town safe. The cameras are just one gadget in the toolbox.”

Security camera Board representative Cam Withington said “The aim is to maintain our safe environment in Alexandra and this is a small step in looking after one section of the town’s CBD. “

Craig Harris of Begg Security Group, who has worked along side the Community Board to ensure the smooth operation of the cameras, said “CCTV is a great way to help the police and community deter crime, and Begg Security is pleased to assist the Board in this regard”.

“Alexandra is a safe place and with all our efforts will continue to be so.” said Clair Higginson.

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