



## **Aims of Tramways Wanganui**

The aim of conserving/restoring the Tram is to gift it to the people of Wanganui through the Wanganui District Council and for it to run again in that city.

The gift to Wanganui is to be made with strict conditions. Among them are:

- 1.** The tram must stay in Wanganui
- 2.** The Conservation Plan must be adhered to in all repairs etc...
- 3.** Appropriate shelter must be provided.
- 4.** The Tram must be used as a people's transport in the streets of Wanganui.

A feasibility study was completed in 2002. The preferred route has the tram traveling about 1.4Kms connecting various cultural locations in the Old Town of Wanganui.

No 12 will be housed, and operate from, a newly restored building in Taupo Quay.

Transport firm Hooker Pacific, free of charge, generously transported No 12 from Auckland to it's new home in Wanganui on 11th November 2005.

Although No 12 will be owned by the Wanganui District Council, it's custodian will be the Wanganui Tramways Trust.

Deputy Mayor Dot McKinnon received No 12 on behalf of the citizens of Wanganui at a ceremony held at the A&P Show on 12th November 2005.