

## **Petition – for a road from New Chum bridge to Lily Street**

March 1873

To his Worship the Mayor and City Council[er]s – Sandhurst

Gentlemen,

We the undersigned ratepayers in the vicinity of New Chum, humbly prayeth that you will take into consideration the continuation of the road from the Ellesmere Hotel commencing at Berkleys New Chum Reef Hotel and carrying it on between Bonati's claim and the Ellesmere & Coys Works thence on joining Ophir St. near the New Chum Store. This could be done at a very small outlay – and would confer a great boon on Travellers and the inhabitants who have several times petitioned for a roadway and have been paying rates for years without getting the slightest consideration from the Council

Trusting you will take this into consideration

Gentlemen,

Your humble petitioners  
ever to pray

28/03/1873

### **List of Petitioners**

| <b>Page</b> | <b>Surname</b> | <b>First name</b> | <b>Address</b> |
|-------------|----------------|-------------------|----------------|
| 2           | Selfe          | James Jno.        | New Chum       |
| 2           | Dowsett        | Edward            | New Chum       |
| 2           | Barry          | Wm.               | New Chum       |
| 2           | Hannan         | James             | New Chum       |
| 2           | Davidson       | John              | New Chum       |
| 2           | Carter         | Henry             |                |
| 2           | Makin          | William           | New Chum       |
| 2           | James          | Hugh              | New Chum       |
| 2           | Bukingham      | William           | New Chum       |
| 2           | Wake           | Charles           | New Chum       |
| 2           | Dennis         | George            | New Chum       |
| 2           | Evans          | Edgar             | New Chum       |
| 2           | Hildebrandt    | John C.           | New Chum       |
| 2           | Birkley        | Thomas            | New Chum       |
| 2           | Magee          | Clarke            | New Chum       |
| 2           | Egan           | Laurence          | New Chum       |
| 2           | Kirkley        | Anthony           | New Chum       |
| 2           | Richardson     | Thomas            | New Chum       |

March 13<sup>th</sup> 1873

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Your humble petitioner  
J. W. Lane to  
Mayor



James M. Lyle

Edward Howard

John Barry

James Hannan

John Davidson

Henry Carter

William Makin

Hugh James

William Buckingham

Charles Wade

George Dennis

Eagar Evans

John C. Hildebrandt

Thomas Pickley

Clark May

Laurence Egan

Anthony Pickley

Thomas Richardson

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Petition and  
Swamp Report  
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