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Cost of Proposed Services

Budget 2002/03		Budget 2003/04		
Net Cost	Operational Outputs	Costs (After Internal Recoveries)	Revenue	Net Cost
\$		\$	\$	\$
3,440,390	Elected Member Representation	3,248,798	0	3,248,798
3,929,664	Decision Making	4,209,785	0	4,209,785
662,842	Project and Discretionary Expenditure	637,782	0	637,782
478,490	Corporate Communications	426,775	0	426,775
8,511,386	Net Cost of Service	8,523,140	0	8,523,140

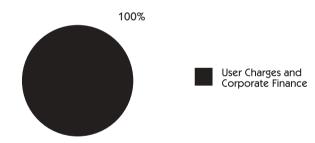
Note: The above Cost of Service Statement includes a depreciation provision for 2002/03 of \$6,719 and in 2003/04 of \$9,480.

The above Cost of Service Statement also includes an Internal Service Provider surplus allocation for 2002/03 of (\$217,140) and in 2003/04 of (\$231,177).

Projected Cost of Service 2004/05	9,278,063
Projected Cost of Service 2005/06	8,879,164

2002/03	Capital Outputs	2003/04 \$
	Renewals and Replacements Asset Improvements	1,000 2,000
14,500		3,000

Sources of Funding



Nature and Scope

- Provision of high quality consultative leadership and advocacy for Christchurch residents to assist in the achievement of desired outcomes.
- Maintain and improve the physical and service infrastructure of the city in order to generate wealth, promote health and safety, reduce hazards and facilitate social opportunities for current and future generations.
- Maintain an asset and investment base and ensure that appropriate levels of income match commitments to expenditure in order to support long term goals.

- Representation and support of Mayor, Councillor and Community Board members as they exercise the functions, duties and powers of the Council.
- Provide discretionary funds for the Mayor and Community Boards for allocation to Mayoral and local projects.
- Communicate with the people of Christchurch by the preparation and production
 of a Financial Plan and Programme, Annual Report and monthly additions of the City
 Scene along with other information releases.

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Community Engagement To encourage effective public participation in local government.	Environmental Performance Indicators	Social Performance Indicators • Percentage of citizens who understand Council decision making processes (Target: 37%) Understanding Council 100% 80% 60% 40% 20%	Economic/Financial Performance Indicators	Link to Strategic Objectives D1, D2, D3, D4, D5, F1, F2
Publish and distribute information to residents on the overall activities of the Council.		• Residents satisfied with the Council newsletter, City Scene, no less than 75%.		D1, E4

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