

Residents' Groups cont'd ...

Service Centre Support

The Papanui Service Centre, in conjunction with the Shirley/Papanui Community Board, is able to offer the following support services to recognised residents' groups:

- (a) 500 single-sided copies or 350 double-sided copies, per month.
- (b) Additional copies will be charged at a rate of 0.5 cents per single-sided copy and 0.6 cents for double-sided.
- (c) Allow at least five days for typing and copying unless prior arrangements are made. The turnaround time depends greatly on the workload of staff, but will be done in the shortest possible time.
- (d) If typing is required from handwritten copy, it is important to make sure it is clear and readable. For your sake and ours we do not want errors or misprints in your copy.
- (e) Layout needs to fit A4 size paper.
- (f) For large runs in excess of say, 600 copies, telephone the Service Centre and we can make arrangements to have these done for you elsewhere.

The Shirley/Papanui Community Board has adopted the following policy in relation to assistance towards appeals relating to the Resource Management Act:

- 1. That free photocopying be offered to community groups within the Shirley/Papanui Board area who are appealing Resource Management consents. Such photocopying is to be limited to copying directly related to evidence for the Appeal Hearing.
- 2. That the Board support continued Council funding to the Community Law Centre to provide education and assistance to community groups and residents, and that the Board actively promote this service to community groups within Shirley/Papanui.
- 3. The Board welcomes dialogue with community groups or persons affected by Resource Management Consents regarding their appeals.
- 4. The Board encourages the community to pursue resolution of Resource Management issues which affect the wider community.
- 5. The Board to act as a lobbyist to seek change to legislation to allow provision of legal aid for Resource Management Consent Appeals and to request the Council to support this action.
- 6. That it shall, in general, be the Board's policy not to make specific grants to individuals or community groups for assistance in making appeals against Resource Management consents. Any exception to this policy is to be by specific resolution of the Board.