

6. PAPANUI SWIMMING POOL - FUNDING

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The purpose of this report is to request a grant from the Community Board's Discretionary Funding to the Papanui Swimming Pool Management Committee, to meet a shortfall for the 2001/2002 year.

A representative from the Pool Committee attended the Board's Deputations meeting on 14 February to inform the Board of problems with the pool this season. A report outlining the difficulties faced by the Committee was presented to the Deputations meeting.

The report referred to a series of problems with the heating failing, the poor weather and problems with the resealing of the pool, all of which had contributed to a low usage for the season. The pool will have to close on the 24 February which will mean less income from users, groups and schools. The Pool Committee is seeking a \$3,000 grant.

Recommendation: That the Board make a grant of \$3,000 from 2001/2002 Discretionary Funds, to the Papanui Swimming Pool Management Committee to meet the shortfall in income for the 2001/2002 season.

Chairperson's Recommendation: That the officer's recommendations be adopted.