

14. DRAFT CENTRAL CITY RIVERBANK – TREE REPLACEMENT STRATEGY



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The purpose of this report is to seek feedback from the Board on the draft copy of the “Central City Riverbank-Tree Replacement Strategy”.

A copy of the draft strategy has been circulated separately to Board members and a joint seminar was held with the Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board on 13 November 2002 for a briefing on the draft strategy.

Hundreds of trees in Christchurch have reached the end of their sustainable life expectancy and need to be replaced. Managing the aging tree population in Christchurch requires forward planning because of its citywide significance, that is beyond individual ward boundaries.

Staff

Recommendation: That the Board provide feedback on the draft Central City Riverbank – Tree Replacement Strategy.

Chairperson’s

Recommendation: For discussion.