12. ENVIRONMENT CANTERBURY: CHRISTCHURCH AREA COMMITTEE

| Officer responsible | Author |
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| Community Advocate | Martin Maguire, Community Advocate, DDI 941-6501 |

The purpose of this report is to inform the Board.

The attached letter and terms of reference has been received from Environment Canterbury. The purpose of the letter is to propose the setting up, by Environment Canterbury, of a Christchurch Area Committee. The purpose of the Committee is stated as being "*To build and maintain the highest and best co-operative relationship with the community of Christchurch, encompassing the regional and legislative responsibilities of Environment Canterbury*". The Committee will be a Standing Committee of Environment Canterbury and as such will make recommendations from time to time to Environment Canterbury, Council, Community Boards, and other stakeholders.

The Board is invited to become a member of this Christchurch Area Committee by nominating one representative of the Board to join the Committee.

Staff Recommendation:

That the Board nominate one member to represent the Board on the Christchurch Area Committee of Environment Canterbury.

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