

## 9. ROYAL NZ PLUNKET REDWOOD SUB-BRANCH – COMMUNITY NOTICE BOARD

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The purpose of this report is to advise the Board of a request by the Redwood Sub-branch of the Royal NZ Plunket for funding assistance to erect a community notice board on their premises at 339 Main North Road.

Recently a request was received for funding from the Community Development Scheme by the above group for assistance in erecting a community notice board on the outside of their premises at 339 Main North Road (Redwood Park). It is the group's stated intention to use the notice board to "display relevant baby and care giver information and awareness of themes, eg child safety week." They further comment that by having information on the outside of the building it is easily accessible to the whole community. The amount asked for was \$737.27 (GST inclusive).

The committee considering the application for funds suggested that this request for assistance be referred to the Board for consideration for funding from its Discretionary Funds.

As the building is situated on Council park land approval has been sought and obtained from the Parks and Waterways Unit subject to the following conditions:

- That the alloy frame is to be white in colour to match the colour of the window frames, doorjambs and other 'pointings' on the exterior of the building.
- That the Redwood Sub-branch of the Royal New Zealand Plunket is to indemnify the Council against any proceedings or actions of any sort, that may be taken against the Council as a result of granting it permission to erect the notice board.
- It is the responsibility of the Redwood Sub-branch of the Royal New Zealand Plunket to maintain the information on the notice board in a presentable and up to date fashion.

The Redwood sub-branch has been advised of these conditions and has accepted them.

The price quoted for the notice board is in line with similar notice boards funded by the Board.

### **Staff**

**Recommendation:** That the Board approve the grant of \$737.27 for a community notice board for the Royal NZ Plunket Redwood Sub-branch.

### **Chairperson's**

**Recommendation:** That the staff recommendation be adopted.