51. REQUEST FOR FUNDING FOR WAHI-RURU, HEBERDEN AVENUE, SUMNER

The Board considered a letter and request for funding from the owners of the property named 'Wahi-Ruru' in Sumner, seeking financial assistance towards the funding of a colour brochure which they would produce about this property and a brass plaque to be erected at the entrance to the property summarising its history. This matter had been referred from the 18 November 1998 meeting of the Board.

The Board noted that the New Zealand Historic Places Trust produced plaques to mark historic buildings which could be purchased by building owners at a cost of \$37.50. The Board also noted that the Environmental Policy and Planning Unit would be happy to assist with the production of suitable text for an historic brochure about this property, and that the Linwood Service Centre would be willing to photocopy brochures without charge.

The Board **resolved** that this application for funding be declined.