16. ITEMS RECEIVED

The Committee received the following reports:

16.1 Inaugural City of Christchurch Under 16 International (Soccer) Tournament RR 9244

Mr David Cox, Chairman of the Tournament Organising Committee, reported on the above event which was held at Queen Elizabeth II Park from 10 to 18 December.

16.2 Recreation and Arts Team: Upcoming Activities for the Rest of Summer Period, 1999 RR 9219

The Leisure Manager submitted a report detailing the community events and activities to be delivered by the recreation and arts team over the remainder of the summer period.

16.3 "Active Christchurch" Project: Update

The Leisure Manager reported on progress to date on the above initiative which is aimed at encouraging more Christchurch residents to incorporate regular physical activity into their lifestyles.

16.4 "Walk Christchurch: 60 Short Walks That Explore Your City': A Best Seller! RR 9130

The Leisure Manager reported that 4,800 copies of the above book had been sold to date with a reprint being required within one month of the launch date. A further reprint is currently underway.

16.5 **Conservation Covenants**

The Property Manager reported in response to an earlier request of the Committee for further information on the financial implications to the Council of conservation covenants. The report advised that typical costs of securing a covenant would be:

Legal Services:	\$1,000 - \$1,500
Legal Survey:	\$3,000 - \$5,000
Fencing:	\$50 per metre
Waterway Clean Up:	\$10 per metre
Planting:	10 per m^2 .

16.6 Six Monthly Monitoring Reports

The Committee received the six monthly monitoring reports for the Leisure and Water Services Units.

In the case of the Leisure Unit the Leisure Manager confirmed that overall the unit was within budget at this stage of the financial year. The Water Services Manager reported that spending overall for the six month period was well within budget provision and he expected that expenditure will be within budget by year end.

RR 9174

RR 9239