

20. NORTH AMERICAN NO DIG CONFERENCE 1999

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The Committee considered a report prepared by the Contracts Manager of the Waste Unit, which outlined the main learning points from the North American No Dig conference held in Orlando, Florida, and attended by Graham Williams in May 1999. The purpose of the visit was to gain information on new and existing Trenchless Technologies and assess them for possible use in Christchurch for rehabilitating problem sewers.

It was **resolved**:

1. That the Waste Management Unit send a staff member to Sydney for training in sewer pipe rehabilitation techniques later this year.
2. That Waste Management Unit staff be encouraged to keep up to date with practice and innovation internationally including attendance at overseas conferences and exhibitions where appropriate.
3. That a report be brought forward in due course to identify any necessary changes to asset management plans.