The Committee considered a report from the Youth Advocate, Robyn Moore, and the Senior Social Policy Analyst, Mary Richardson, on the Draft Youth Strategy.

This detailed possible strategies for implementing the youth policy adopted by the Council in July 1998.

It detailed specific strategies relating to the roles stated in the youth policy and it is intended, as a next step, to develop means to evaluate the Council's progress in achieving the outcomes in the policy statement and implementation of the strategy.

The Committee endorsed the Draft Youth Strategy as circulated, and suggested the principle of partnership detailed in the document could be applied to youth also making specific contributions.