

12. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT

THE BUSH SOCIETY

Mike Peters representing the Bush Society was in attendance to request Board assistance for a project to involve schools and community groups in setting up nurseries. The Bush Society would provide pots, potting mix and seedlings to the groups enabling them to grow plants for areas such as the Travis and Bexley Wetlands. Mr Peters explained that the project was city-wide and that any funding provided by the Board would go to costs of growing trees that would be planted in its Board area. The groups would be charged \$10 per year to be in the Bush Society's co-operative, and this would enable them to get information and equipment for growing the seeds. The Board **resolved** to allocate \$500 from its 1999/2000 Arbor Day Plantings Fund and \$500 from its 1999/2000 Discretionary Funds towards the Bush Society's tree project.