



12. SUSTAINABLE CHRISTCHURCH - RESOURCING

The Director of Policy outlined the methods which need to be developed to promote and assess social and environmental improvements within the Council to enable the Council to meet the target it has set itself of producing its 2002/03 Annual Report on a “triple bottom line” basis.

The report advised that funding of the order of \$200,000 would be required for providing the resources necessary to implement the programme.

The Committee **decided**:

1. That it be recommended to the Annual Plan Working Party:
 - (a) That a catalyst fund of \$100,000 be established.
 - (b) That \$200,000 per annum be allocated to Environmental Risk Management and Resource Efficiency Social Impact Assessment to enable the Council to achieve its goal of triple bottom line accounting practices.
2. That the Director of Policy report to the Annual Plan Working Party on the ways and means by which the project will be implemented; the report to include information on the ways in which other organisations are implementing their sustainability programmes.

(Note: Councillor Anderton requested that her vote against the foregoing resolution be recorded. Councillor Stewart abstained from the voting on the motion.)