



## 2. DEPUTATION BY APPOINTMENT

### AURORA CENTRE TRUST

Margaret Murray and Hugh Stevenson of the Aurora Centre Trust outlined to the Board the good progress being made with the project. Building construction was about to commence and it was indicated that measures were being taken to ensure that community groups would have ready and affordable access to the facility.

The Trust representatives did however ask that the Board pursue the matter of including accrued interest as an additional component in the Council's grants contribution of \$560,000. The basis of this request was to take account of cost increases due to the delays in the commencement of the project.

Marketing and promotion of the facility was also a priority and Board assistance was sought to fund the production of a promotional brochure at an estimated cost of \$5,000.

The Board **decided:**

1. That advice be sought from the Director of Finance on the matter of accrued interest being added to the Council's funding contribution to the Aurora Centre Trust.
2. That the request for funding assistance of \$5,000 towards a promotional brochure be referred to the Board's Finance and Planning Committee for consideration and reporting back.