## 18. FESTIVAL OF ROMANCE

The Leisure Manager reported on the proposal submitted by the Festival City Trust for the Festival of Romance referred to in the previous clause. While the Trust proposes to change the Festival of Romance from an annual event to a biennial event, it wishes to continue to hold the Valentine's Day Dance annually to maintain a regular presence for the festival.

## The Committee decided:

- 1. That a subcommittee comprising Councillors Condon, Anderton, Austin and Sheriff be appointed to explore, in consultation with staff, proposals for producing the Valentine's Day Dance.
- 2. That the funding for the 2001/02 festival be considered by the proposed Interim Advisory Board as part of its recommendations for the annual funding package.