

## 2. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT

### 2.1 Canterbury Neighbourhood Support

Messrs Simon Chambers and Pat Creasy, representing Canterbury Neighbourhood Support, elaborated on the structure and intended operational details of the new organisation. Police involvement in the activities of Neighbourhood Support Groups would significantly lessen under the new arrangements and that for the new structure to be effective, funding support was needed to resource the operation.

Efforts were presently being made to secure a national sponsor, but in the meantime Community Boards in Christchurch were being approached for initial set-up funding.

Having heard from the deputation, the Board **decided** that its Finance and Planning Committee consider the preferred means of providing funding assistance to Canterbury Neighbourhood Support based on \$5,000 per annum for a three year period (ie: \$15,000 in total).