



### 13. WESTON ROAD TRAFFIC ISSUES

Board members discussed the issues of speed of traffic and amount of traffic raised in a letter from residents to the Mayor. Constable Megan Evans advised that her interpretation of 'locals' was residents who live within a five kilometre radius. Sergeant Gary Manch advised that other officers had also done checks on this street at all times of the day and night. These reports did not indicate that there was a significant problem with speed on this street, therefore further monitoring was of a low priority. The Area Engineer advised that there was a traffic count in Weston Road in November 2000. The result of this was that there are approximately 800 vehicles per day and this was average for this type of street. He advised that it was not necessary or advisable to repeat the exercise.

The Board **decided** that an informal meeting take place with Board members, Police and residents of Weston Road on 20 June at 5.30 pm in the Board room to discuss the findings of the various monitoring exercises. It was also suggested that the speed trailer be located in Weston Road. The Area Engineer advised that this was booked up until the end of July.