



2. RECOVERED MATERIALS FOUNDATION REPORT ON WASTE MINIMISATION INITIATIVES IN CANTERBURY

Mr Graeme King, CEO, Recovered Materials Foundation, together with Ms Sarah Gordon and Ms Andrea Lobb, environmental consultant, attended the meeting and provided a presentation on their draft review of waste minimisation initiatives in the region.

The report covered an assessment of waste minimisation initiatives in Canterbury, a model for a regional approach to recycling collection and marketing, the benefits of regional approach, materials strategies, regional co-ordination, future processing options and possible structures to deliver this. Details of the methodology, limitations and results were explained by the representatives from the RMF and Ms Lobb.

It was agreed that the report be considered by the constituent councils and that specific feedback on any of the gaps and methodologies in the report be conveyed direct to the RMF and that a special meeting be held at a later date of the Subcommittee to discuss the report further.

The information was **received**.