

2. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT

(d) Community Constable Andre Chappell – Papanui Police

Andre introduced Constable Geoff Houston who is the new Community Constable at Bishopdale. Andre is now the Community Constable for Papanui/Redwood.

Four staff have been lost from the Papanui Police Station, and the burglary squad now consists of the sergeant and one other. The burglary rate has decreased, however Andre was unsure why this was. The 40km sign in the Harewood School zone had been reported as being obscured by a tree, however Geoff reported that it was more likely to be less visible because of sunstrike. The chairperson requested that the Area Engineer investigate methods to alleviate the problem.