


### 3. REQUEST FOR REVIEW OF POLICY REGARDING ELECTION PROMOTIONS AND SIGNS



At its meeting in June, the Council considered a report relating to the Council's current policies regarding signs and hoardings for local and general elections. This report was in response to a request for a report from the Chairperson of the Shirley/Papanui Community Board. As this issue was a metropolitan issue the report went to the Strategy and Finance Committee. The Council adopted the recommendation that no change be made to the current policies.

The reason for requesting a review of the Christchurch City Council policy is the belief that if the Council permitted signs on some Council owned land, for example, road berms, verges, parks, river banks, etc all signs would be better controlled.

Further information had been sought of current policies/practices from some North Island local authorities.

The Board gave consideration to this review request, but **decided** (on a show of hands, 5 in favour to 4 against) to support the current Council policy.