1. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT

(a) Raewyn Neill, Lagan Street Resident

Raewyn Neill spoke on behalf of Lagan Street residents regarding the removal of the existing trees and the replanting programme. In a previous meeting with the Community Board, it was decided that members would meet on site to view the extent of the damage caused by the trees and that there would be ongoing consultation between members, Council staff and residents. The residents are disappointed that this has not happened and would like to see their concerns addressed. There are also concerns about the Council's proposal to plant Japanese Maples and whether this will create similar problems. Raewyn requested that Council consider the planting of native trees as an alternative.

Discussion on this matter is under clause 21.