



6. **CHRISTCHURCH KART CLUB – CARRS ROAD, HALSWELL/RUAPUNA PARK**

The Board was in receipt of a report on the current position concerning the possible relocation of the Christchurch Kart Club at Carrs Road, Halswell to Leggett's Road adjoining Ruapuna Park.

The Board was aware of the report prepared for consideration at its September 2001 meeting and its recommendation together with those of the Parks Committee were considered by the Council at its meeting on 27 September 2001.

It was recommended by officers that an exchange of land be entered into with Fulton Hogan Limited whereby a site would be acquired adjoining the Ruapuna Raceway which, following excavation, could be utilised to accommodate the Kart Club. To achieve this however, there were a number of procedural matters that had to be implemented.

In considering this matter the Board adopted the recommendations included in the report resolving to proceed to notify the intention to exchange the reserves under the Reserves Act subject to the appropriate consents being obtained but added a further recommendation whereby the Templeton and Awatea residents were to be consulted in terms of the Council policy on the relocation of the Kart Club.

The Council subsequently resolved to defer consideration of the report concerning the proposed exchange until such time as the meeting between the Committees and Board had been held to consider the Awatea variation. As a consequence of this, it has not been possible to progress the matter any further although steps are now in hand to hold a seminar in late February with the Committees and the Board. The Board will be advised in due course of the proposed date of the seminar in order that all members may be afforded the opportunity to attend.

The Board **received** the report.