



2. YOUTH ALCOHOL AND DRUGS ISSUE

Sandy McLean (Director, Odyssey) and Celia Martin (Social and Community Manager, Christchurch City Council) addressed the meeting on Christchurch Organisations Providing Youth Alcohol and Drug Treatment Services (YADS).

It was **decided** that a report be prepared and brought to the Committee on what is required to fill the gaps in the youth drug and alcohol programmes in Christchurch and what the Council might do to ensure these gaps are addressed. Particular mention was made of improving prevention programmes in schools and of the need for a youth residential treatment programme within the Healthy Christchurch charter process.