

3. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT

3.1 DELTA COMMUNITY SUPPORT TRUST

Jeremy Nurse and Tony McCahon from the Delta Community Support Trust were in attendance to speak about the Trust's 2002 programme and partnerships within the Dallington and Avonside areas. The Trust is seeking additional funding to support an increase in its activities.

The Trust has been in existence since 1995 to support the people of Richmond and the surrounding area, including Dallington and Avonside. It provides a mixture of relief services and services to empower people in the community.

The Trust is seeking funding to support its "Live to the Max" course, which is an individualised goal setting course. The course has been run at New Brighton and Aranui and is being planned for Dallington. As a result of the success of the course a 220 percent increase is anticipated in course participants this year. Funding of \$35,000 is needed to provide for two course facilitators. The Trust is to submit a formal application for funding, including information on the percentage of people supported by the Trust residing in Burwood/Pegasus.