9. WOOLSTON/BURWOOD EXPRESSWAY

A report from the Project Manager updated the Board on the Woolston/Burwood Expressway, including the stage now in operation and the final stage yet to be built. The Board was also asked to support a planting plan for the area between the Expressway and two areas of a local reserve. The Board **decided:**

- 1. That the information be received.
- 2. That the City Streets Unit report to the Board on alternative solutions to the flooding of bridge underpasses including raising the height of the cycleway walls with transparent materials or installing an adequate pumping facility.
- 3. That the concept planting plan be supported by the Board as an appropriate form of separation between the expressway and adjacent reserve areas including Cedarwood Reserve.
- 4. That the Board's existing allocation of \$3,500 be used towards the implementation of the plan in Cedarwood Reserve.
- 5. That the Avondale and Bexley Residents' Associations be informed of the progress of the Expressway project.