

2. YOUTH CONFERENCE

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The purpose of this report is to seek the Council's approval for a Councillor to attend a youth conference in Wellington.

The conference is "Involve" which is being organised by the Ministry of Youth Affairs in conjunction with the New Zealand Association of Adolescent Health and Development. This will take place in Wellington from 2-4 July. The full programme has yet to be published but considerable background information is available on the Ministry of Youth Affairs web site at www.youthaffairs.govt.nz.

Costs for attendance at the conference are in the order of:

Registration	\$350
Accommodation	\$260
Airfares (approximately)	<u>\$350</u>
Total	<u>\$960</u>

Daily meeting allowance would also be payable for a Council delegate.

Attendance of a member of the Subcommittee at the conference in Wellington is recommended.

Recommendation: That Councillor Megan Evans, Chairperson of the Children and Youth Subcommittee, attend the Youth Conference "Involve" to be held in Wellington on 2-4 July 2002.