

18. SEMINAR MEETINGS

The Board **received** a report on the seminar meeting held on 17 March 2003.

Community Board Brief

The Board **decided** that the Community Advocate be requested to network with the other Boards on producing a co-ordinated report on the Community Boards' structures and meeting processes and the costs flowing from them to be brought back to the ordinary June meeting of the Strategy and Finance Committee with budget savings identified at that time.

Restell Street/Harewood Road Intersection Safety Improvements

The Board **decided**:

1. That the extension of the existing central median island, the banning of right turns and other improvements at the Restell Street/Harewood Road intersection, as illustrated on the plan attached to the agenda, be supported by the Board.
2. That the plan be approved for consultation.
3. That the existing tall vegetation in the kerb build-outs in the proximity of the railway line be replaced with low maintenance ground cover planting.

Owen Mitchell Park – Playground Redevelopment

The Board **decided**:

1. That the Board approve the plan for public consultation.
2. That Parks and Waterways staff consider engaging Inspectors John Doyle and Graham Cairns or the 'Crime Prevention through Environmental Design' trained safety auditors in the Parks and Waterways Unit to carry out an audit of the proposed plan.
3. That in future the Parks and Waterways Unit adopt a process that ensures a Safer Parks audit is carried out on all plans before they are presented to the Shirley/Papanui Community Board.

St Albans Park Sports Pavilion And Toilet Block

The Board **decided** to congratulate the designers of this concept and approve the plan for public consultation.