

## 11. REVIEW OF CIVIC AWARDS

The Board was invited to consider a proposed revised procedure and the management and decision making procedures for the Civic Awards scheme commencing in 2004.

An accompanying report set out details of the current procedures and the rationale behind the intended changes including a new judging process commencing next year.

Some reservations were expressed as to the justification for moving to a centralised approach. Increasing the number of recommended nominees from the present six to ten per board was also favoured. Acknowledging the contributions made by former elected members as part of the scheme criteria was also mentioned for further consideration.

The Board **decided**:

1. That the status quo be retained other than the maximum number of nominees able to be recommended by community boards being increased from six at present to ten.
2. That the nomination of a Fendalton/Waimairi representative to serve as a possible member on the judging panel be decided on in due course, if necessary.