## 13. PROPOSED REGIONAL PEST MANAGEMENT STRATEGY 2003

The Director of Policy submitted a report recommending that submissions be made on Environment Canterbury's Proposed Pest Management Strategy (2003).

The report suggested that the Council should make submissions on the strategy covering some technical corrections, changes to the status of some of the pests and questions as to how some of the proposed objectives will be achieved on the ground.

The Committee **decided** to recommend to the Regulatory and Consents Committee that the Council make a submission to Environment Canterbury on the Proposed Regional Pest Management Strategy (2003) subject to the submission seeking the inclusion of the plant Bidens frondosa (Beggars Tick) in the new strategy.



