2. LEARNING THROUGH ACTION – A LEOTC ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION PROGRAMME FOR SCHOOLS

On behalf of the Parks and Waterways Unit, Kay Holder was in attendance to inform the Board about this programme, run through the Parks and Waterways Unit and part-funded by the Ministry of Education.

The programmes focus on delivering environmental education, with links to other school subjects, such as social studies, science and technology. It provides an umbrella for a number of CCC environmental education programmes, which include waste, parks, natural areas and heritage themes. The programmes are available to schools within the Canterbury region.

The Board, in **receiving** the report, expressed its support for the programme and has referred it on to the Board's Environment Committee for further consideration, as appropriate.