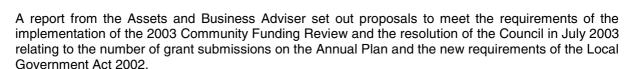
8. COMMUNITY FUNDING REVIEW



The full report has been reported to the Council by the Strategy and Finance Committee.

However, the Committee did not support the proposal contained in recommendation 6 of the staff recommendations to the Community and Leisure Committee ie to adjust the grant for inflation annual rather than increase the base fund by \$100,000 pa. The Committee considered that the base funding should be both inflation adjusted and increased by \$100,000 per year.

The Committee decided to recommend to the Strategy and Finance Committee:

- 1. That the Community and Leisure Committee be delegated power to appoint four to six Council representatives to be involved with the community representatives in the allocation of the Metropolitan Community Development Scheme resources.
- 2. That the Community and Leisure Committee be delegated power to approve processes for the allocation of resources under the Social Initiatives and Development Fund, Child and Youth Advocacy Grants, Sport, Recreation and Leisure Development Fund. (Note: Some of these funding streams already have existing processes in place to allocate the resources.)
- 3. That the Community and Recreation Department develop criteria and guidelines for the operation of the following funds for the approval of the Community and Leisure Committee prior to any allocations taking place:
 - Social Development Fund
 - Sports, Recreation and Leisure Development Fund

