

2. **RICCARTON/WIGRAM COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE - REPORT OF 14 MAY 2003 MEETING**



The Board considered the report of the Community Services Committee meeting of Wednesday 14 May 2003, covering the following issues:

- Hornby Land – Social Housing Development Options (as reported to the Community and Leisure Committee on 5 May 2003)
- Art in Public Places Plan
- Culture Galore, Review
- Garden Gala for Older Adults, Review
- Leisure/Parks and Waterways Study
- Te Whare O Nga Whetu Funding request
- Halswell Community Profile
- Update on community facility at 40 Hillary Crescent
- Youth Development Scheme applications
- Community Development Health Project additional funding request

The Board's decision regarding funding of the Youth Development Scheme applications and the Community Development Health Project are listed under Clause 15 of this report.

During discussion on the Halswell Community Profile report, members expressed some concerns about the extensive residential developments in the wider south-west area of the city which includes Halswell.

Whilst urban growth and planning were administered through the Council's City Plan process, the Board was of the view that consultation with local elected members by officers of the Council should be encouraged.

The Board also discussed the possible purchase of another property in Goulding Avenue, separate to that identified by the Property Manager in his report to the Community and Leisure Committee. More details of the property in question are shown in the public excluded section of the Board's report.

The Board **received** the report and **decided** to invite the Council's Urban Planning staff to meet with the Board to discuss the issues of urban planning and growth within this area of the city.