5. RICCARTON/WIGRAM ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE REPORT OF 7 OCTOBER 2003 MEETING

The Board considered the report of the Environment Committee meeting of Tuesday 7 October 2003.

The Board reaffirmed its previous allocation of funds to the "Native Trees Please" project, and that the funds were to be used for art post signage and for educational material to be made available to local schools.

The Board **decided** to approve the removal/replacement on safety grounds of eight silver birch trees in Brigadoon Reserve and requested that this work be completed as soon as practicable, using the funding referred to in clause 10 of this report.

In respect of community feedback received on the Upper Riccarton Domain Redevelopment Plan, the Board **agreed** that the matters identified be given consideration by officers and that a completed draft plan be brought back to the Board, via its Environment Committee.

A request for funds to assist in the recent upgrading of the Kyle Park BMX track (as requested by the Area Parks and Waterways Advocate) was supported by the Committee. The Board's decision regarding the funding of this project is recorded in clause 10 of this report.