## 10. CENTRAL PLAINS WATER TRUST : PROGRESS REPORT TO 30 SEPTEMBER 2003

Mr Doug Marsh, Chairperson, Central Plains Water Trust, submitted a report updating Councillors on the activities of the Central Plains Water Trust for the quarter ended 30 September. The Trust Deed requires the Trust to submit quarterly reports to Selwyn District and Christchurch City Councils.

Two issues addressed in the report, the transfer of resource consent applications and the appointment of directors to the Board of Central Plains Water Ltd, are the subject of separate reports to the present meeting of the Council.

The issues raised by the Dam Action Group were considered in conjunction with this report.

The Committee decided:

- 1. That the information be received.
- 2. That a joint seminar meeting be held with Selwyn District Council, Canterbury Development Corporation, the Canterbury Economic Development Fund, the Central Plains Water Trust and Central Plains Water Ltd to enable the Trust to update all parties on the project and to respond to the issues raised by the deputation.