

#### 14. "HERITAGE" IN THE FENDALTON/WAIMAIRI COMMUNITY

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##### **PURPOSE OF REPORT**

The purpose of this report is to inform the Board of preliminary work done by the Fendalton Advocacy Team in examining opportunities for supporting "heritage" in the Fendalton/Waimairi community, and to invite the Board to support appropriate initiatives in its community.

##### **SUMMARY**

Over recent times the Board has expressed an interest in understanding and supporting aspects of local history and has allocated an initial sum of \$3,000 toward the ongoing support of initiatives (as yet unidentified).

The Advocacy Team has prepared a spreadsheet of issues and opportunities which could form the basis for further work on "heritage" and it is now considered appropriate that the Board initiate some consideration of these, and other opportunities, with a view to identifying priorities which could be worth pursuing over the short term future.

##### **WORKING PARTY**

The establishment of a Working Party is proposed as a suitable mechanism to advance the heritage initiative through at least the initial stages.

##### **STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

That a Board Working Party be established with the task of further examining the opportunities for the support of "heritage" initiatives in the Fendalton/Waimairi community.

##### **Chairman's**

**Recommendation:** That a Working Party of three members be established as a subset of the Works, Traffic and Environment Committee to work on local 'heritage' initiatives.