5. FENDALTON WAIMAIRI SPORT & RECREATION FUND

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. The purpose of this report is to seek Board feedback on the criteria, administration and allocation process for the newly established Fendalton/Waimairi Sport & Recreation Fund.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 2. The Board has designated \$25,000 to establish a Sport & Recreation Fund to be allocated in the 2005/2006 financial year. Since the cessation of the former Hillary Commission Community Sport Fund in 2002, there has been a significant gap in funding options for sport and recreation groups. In particular this has impacted on groups whose religious beliefs and organisational structure prohibit them from accessing pub charity funds.
- 3. It is proposed that the Sport & Recreation Fund be administered and allocated alongside the Community Development Funding Scheme using the same time frames, accountability procedures and Funding Assessment Committee. A draft promotional brochure detailing criteria and timelines has been circule circulely to Community Boarember foromment.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

That the Board provide feedback on the proposed criteria, administration and allocation process for the Sport and Recreation Fund.