

9. YOUTH DEVELOPMENT FUND – APPLICATION FOR FUNDING

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. The purpose of this report is to seek Community Board approval for an application for funding from its 2005/06 Youth Development Fund.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

2. Funding is being sought by a 18 year old boy, living in the St Martins area, towards costs associated with representing New Zealand at the Junior World Road Race Championships in Austria, held in August this year.
3. The applicants brother is also a New Zealand cycling representative. At its February meeting, the Board funded \$1,000 towards both boys to assist with costs associated with travelling to the North Island to participate in competition and squad training.

FINANCIAL AND LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

4. There are no legal issues to be considered. The following outlines competitions and budgetary requirements for 2005:

Activity/Competition	Date	Cost
Air fare (incl taxes)	August 2005	\$3,800
Accommodation	August 2005	\$950.
Food & Living	August 2005	\$1,200
Insurance	August 2005	\$571
Int Transport	August 2005	\$650
Total Cost		\$8,500

5. The applicant's family has supported both boys financially themselves (apart from previous Board support). The applicant came to the Board for the first time earlier this year. This selection is based on previous performances in earlier selection events in both New Zealand