

8. RICCARTON/WIGRAM ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE REPORT OF 28 NOVEMBER 2005 MEETING

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

The purpose of this report is to submit the outcomes of the Environment Committee meeting held on Monday 28 November 2005.

The meeting was attended by Neville Bennett (Chairperson), Helen Broughton, Lesley Keast, Peter Laloli, Mike Mora, Bob Shearing and Tony Sutcliffe.

1. "TOWARDS ZERO WASTE" – DRAFT WASTE MANAGEMENT PLAN

The Committee gave consideration to the Draft Waste Management Plan.

A majority of members supported a submission on "Option 2: Recycling and Rubbish Wheelie-Bins".

A minority of members supported "Option 3: Recycling and Organics Wheelie-Bins and no rate-funded rubbish bags".

The meeting did agree, however, to prepare a submission, and to seek speaking rights at the hearing in support of its submission.

The draft submission was received at the Board meeting of Wednesday 20 November for consideration.

2. ROSELLA RESERVE, FOOTPATH REQUEST

The Committee received a (tabled) request from six residents of Ben Nevis Drive and Kintyre Drive, seeking the installation of a footpath through Rosella Reserve.

The Reserve has a high usage by residents on a daily basis, and a sealed footpath is considered desirable, according to the residents.

The Committee were supportive of the request, their recommendation is recorded under clause 3 of this report.

3. COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that staff provide a report on the residents' request for a sealed footpath through Rosella Reserve.

CHAIRPERSON'S RECOMMENDATION

That the Committee recommendation be adopted.