

7. RICCARTON BUSH TRUST: COMMUNITY BOARD REPRESENTATION

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The purpose of this report is to seek the Board's consideration to the appointment of two representatives onto the Riccarton Bush Trust.

At the 8 February meeting of the Board the matter of appointing representatives onto the Riccarton Bush Trust was held over.

The Council has received a request from the Riccarton Bush Trust to appoint a lesser number of Christchurch City Council representatives than is allowed under the Act.

The current Riccarton Bush Trust Act allows for six representatives, being the six local authorities in Christchurch prior to the 1989 amalgamation.

The Trust is looking to have the Act changed, but the Council have accepted the move to a lesser number and has decided to appoint two, and for this Board to appoint two.

At the Community Services Committee meeting held on 26 January the following Board members expressed an interest in being appointed to the Riccarton Bush Trust; Messrs Neville Bennett, Mike Mora, and Tony Sutcliffe.

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Community Board appoint two representatives onto the Riccarton Bush Trust.

CHAIRPERSON'S RECOMMENDATIONS

That the officer's recommendation be considered.