17. COMMUNITY BOARD PRINCIPAL ADVISER'S UPDATE

17.1 CURRENT ISSUES

The Community Board Principal Adviser will update the Board on current issues.

17.2 CUSTOMER SERVICE REQUESTS - 10 OCTOBER TO 14 NOVEMBER 2006

Attached for information.

17.3 DRAFT VISITOR STRATEGY & DRAFT GREATER CHRISTCHURCH URBAN DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY

Both strategies are currently out for consultation with deadlines of 4 December 2006 (Visitor Strategy) and 20 December 2006 (Urban Development Strategy).

The Board has previously indicted that it would like to view the contents of the strategies with a view to formulating submissions. Copies of the consultation documents have been **separately circulated** for this purpose.

17.4 BEST PRACTICE AWARDS

The New Zealand Community Boards' Executive Committee has invited all Boards who have been involved in a programme or project displaying a high level of achievement and excellence, to enter for a Best Practice Award. Applications close on 5 April 2007. Information on the scheme has been **separately circulated**.

