

16. **ARTWORKS IN BURWOOD/PEGASUS WORKING PARTY - REPORT OF 9 AUGUST 2007 MEETING**

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**PURPOSE OF REPORT**

The purpose of this report is to submit the outcomes of the Artworks in Burwood/Pegasus Working Party meeting held on Thursday 9 August 2007.

The meeting was attended by Carmen Hammond, Glenda Burt, Tina Lomax, Denise Kerr, Marlene Le Cren and Marion Gillanders.

1. **Confirmation of Minutes**

The minutes of the meeting held on 18 June 2007 were confirmed as a true and correct record.

2. **Matters Arising**

Nil.

3. **Welcome to New Brighton Sign**

Marlene tabled Hatesa Seumanutafa's detailed drawing (**attached**) and project costs (with corresponding quotes for all items detailed in the project costs schedule). The cost of the project is \$4,500 plus lighting. (Marlene noted that Grant will be looking at quotes for lighting the inside of the artwork and Kevin will be arranging the lighting to the artwork.)

It was suggested that the unveiling of the project could coincide with the 10 year pier celebrations.

The working party wished to commend Hatesa for her work undertaken so far and is very pleased with the information provided and will be recommending to the Burwood/Pegasus Community Board that it confirms the commencement of the project.

4. **General Business**

(a) *Welcome to South New Brighton Sign*

Marion outlined that she will be meeting with the South New Brighton Residents' Association to obtain a clear understanding of the association's expectations for the sign and requested guidance from the working party on how to approach this project.

The working party suggested to explain the process which was undertaken for the New Brighton sign eg tendering process etc.

The working party also noted that if further funding is required for the sign that the residents' association would need to fundraise monies. (The Community Board has only \$10,000 available for use until June 2008.)

(b) *Ceramic Tiles Proposal - New Brighton Mall*

Mark Munro's letter was forwarded from the Community Board to the working party for consideration.

After some discussion on this proposal the working party requested that a letter of thanks be sent to Mark Munro for his enthusiasm for brightening up the eastern end of New Brighton Mall but to note that the proposal does not fit in with the New Brighton Revitalisation Master Plan and that there could be safety concerns with the use of tiles eg slippery. The working party did agree however, that the area does need to be more colourful and thought an alternative idea of utilising colourful planting, which could be undertaken by the New Brighton Community Garden or PEEEPs, with financial assistance provided by Mark Munro.

(c) *New Brighton Roundabout Landscaping*

Denise updated the working party on the progress to date.

Two phoenix palms had been planted but had to be removed. The working party requested that Jocelyn Mahoney be contacted to check the possibility of interim care until a more suitable site can be found. It was suggested that the palms could be temporarily placed at the New Brighton Community Gardens.

**WORKING PARTY RECOMMENDATION**

That the Board approve the commencement of the Welcome to New Brighton Sign project.