6. APPLICATION TO THE FENDALTON/WAIMAIRI COMMUNITY BOARD'S YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – RACHEL HOFLAND

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PURPOSE OF REPORT

1. The purpose of this report is to seek approval for an application for funding from the Board's 2007/08 Youth Development Scheme.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

- 2. The applicant Rachel Hofland, is a 15 year Burnside High School student living in Avonhead.
- 3. Rachel has been selected to represent Canterbury at the National Youth Ten Pin Bowling Championships being held in Whangaparoa from 25 29 September this year. Rachel was selected after a series of trials and will join a team of nine players with four support staff. Rachel has been bowling for the past eight years and attended the New Zealand Junior Nationals last year. Rachel is a member of St Johns and has been a regular volunteer at many sporting fixtures.
- 4. The team is actively fundraising through regular sausage sizzles at Mitre 10 and Bunnings Warehouse, a bowls evening, raffles and are approaching businesses for sponsorship.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

5. The following table provides a breakdown of the costs per person.

EXPENSES	Cost (\$)
Return airfares	298
Transport and food	165
Registration fee	75
Accommodation	130
Total Cost	\$668

6. This is the first time that the applicant has applied to the Board for financial support.

Do the Recommendations of this Report Align with 2006-16 LTCCP budgets?

7. This application is seeking funding from the Community Board's 2007/08 Youth Development Scheme which was established as part of the Board's 2007/08 Project Funding.

LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS

Have you considered the legal implications of the issue under consideration?

8. There are no legal implications in regards to this application.

ALIGNMENT WITH LTCCP AND ACTIVITY MANAGEMENT PLANS

9. Aligns with page 170 LTCCP, regarding Community Board Project funding.

Do the recommendations of this report support a level of service or project in the 2006-16 LTCCP?

10. As above.

ALIGNMENT WITH STRATEGIES

11. Application aligns with the Council's Youth Strategy and local Community Board objectives.

Do the recommendations align with the Council's strategies?

12. As above.

CONSULTATION FULFILMENT

13. Not applicable.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board approve the application and allocate \$200 to Rachel Hofland to attend the National Youth Ten Pin Bowling Championships from the 2007/08 Youth Development Scheme.