9. COMMUNITY SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING – REPORT OF 17 APRIL 2007

General Manager responsible:	General Manager Regulation and Democracy Services
Officer responsible:	Democracy Services Manager
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PURPOSE OF REPORT

The purpose of this report is to submit the following outcomes of the Community Services Committee meeting held on 17 April 2007.

The meeting was attended by Val Carter (Chairperson), Sally Buck, Faimeh Burke, Cheryl Colley, Mike Wall and Andrew Yoon.

1. APOLOGIES

Nil

2. APPLICATION TO THE BOARD'S YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME - ANNIE STOCK

The Committee's approval was sought to a request for funding form Annie Stock to assist with costs relating to the applicants travel to Australia for the International Irish Dancing competition being held from 16 June - 24 June 2007.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

That the Board allocate \$400 to Annie Stock from the 2006/07 Youth Development Scheme to assist with costs involved in travelling to Australia for the International Irish Dancing competitions.

3. APPLICATION TO THE BOARD'S YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME - HAYLEY DE BEUS

The Committee's approval was sought to a request for funding from Hayley De Beus to assist with costs relating to the applicants participation in the Spirit of Adventure Youth Development 10 day voyage.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

That the Board allocate \$400 to Hayley de Beus from the 2006/07 Youth Development Scheme to participate in the Spirit of Adventure Youth Development 10 day voyage.

4. TRANSFER OF FUNDS - YOUTH DEVELOPMENT FUND TO DISCRETIONARY

The Committee Development Adviser, Maryanne Lomax brought to the Committee's attention the shortfall of \$2800 in the Board's 2006/07 Discretionary Fund and sought the Committee's approval to transfer \$2800 from the Board's 2006/07 Youth Development Fund to the Board's 2006/07 Discretionary Fund.

COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION

That the Board approve the transfer of \$2800 from the Board's 2006/07 Youth Development fund to the 2006/07 Discretionary Fund.

5. ROLE OF SPORTS LIAISON ADVISER AND SPORTS PROMOTIONS ADVISER

Simon Battrick, Sports Liaison Adviser and Karena Van Dyk, Sports Promotions Adviser were in attendance and provided an overview on the Sports Services Team and key projects.

6. REPORT ON 2007 COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT CONFERENCE

Roger Cave, Community Engagement Adviser was in attendance and briefed the Committee on the 2007 Community Engagement Conference which was held in Sydney.

The meeting concluded at 8.55 am.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

That the report be received and the Committee recommendations be adopted.

CHAIRMAN'S RECOMMENDATION

That the staff recommendation be adopted.