


1. HALSWELL QUARRY AND DEPUTATION FROM LOCAL RESIDENTS' ASSOCIATION



At its 3 March 2004 meeting the Board agreed to allow the Mayor and representatives from the local residents' association to address the Board on its previous decision to seek a moratorium on the Sister City icons being placed within the Halswell Quarry Park.

The Kennedys Bush Road Neighbourhood Association was of the view that the continual placement of Sister City icons in the park could compromise the objectives of the Management Plan.

The Community Advocate read a statement from the Mayor (as the Mayor was not able to attend the meeting) in which he suggested that the various Quarry plans and documents be reviewed by the Parks, Gardens and Waterways Committee so as to bring together a final plan to oversee the future development of the park. (A copy of the Mayor's statement is attached.)

In **receiving** this information the Board decided that the Parks, Gardens and Waterways Committee be requested to ensure that the proposed review take place as soon as practicable and that all interested groups be fully consulted before final decisions were made on the future development of the park.

Mrs Sylvia Lukey and Mr Bob Webster addressed the meeting on behalf of the Residents' Association. They acknowledged the work that the Board had done to date and advised that they concurred with the Board's decision, as recorded in the preceding paragraph.

The Mayoral statement and the ongoing interest by the Residents' Association was acknowledged.