

10. DRAFT MEMBERS' BILL



The Burwood/Pegasus Community Board referred to this Committee a letter from Mr Murray Smith, MP United Future NZ, seeking support for his draft members' bill entitled Local Government (Use of Community Boards) Amendment Bill.

The Committee noted the advice of the General Manager Regulation and Democracy Services that it would be premature for the Council to address this issue at this stage. The appropriate time to consider the question of supporting the proposed amendment to the Local Government Act would be when the Bill comes before the House.

The Committee **decided** that the issue be addressed if and when the draft Bill comes before the House of Representatives.