

## **6. INFORMATION SHARING**

Members were invited to share items of concern or interest.

### **Waimakariri District Council**

Councillor Robbie Brine advised that his Council's solid waste management strategy was still progressing through councillor workshops and that the Council was taking a cautious and prolonged approach on the matter.

### **Hurunui District Council**

Mayor Garry Jackson advised:

- the Council is establishing a Waste Management Board being a subcommittee of the Council and follows the Hurunui Tourism model. A Waste Manager is currently being recruited who will report directly to the Board.
- the Council is working with Environment Canterbury on the issues arising from the Hull report.

### **Selwyn District Council**

Councillor Lindsay Philips advised that work on the new resource recovery centre at Rolleston was progressing well with an opening still on track for October/November.

Work is still proceeding in reviewing the Council's collection contracts.

### **Ashburton District Council**

Councillor Bev Tasker advised that Waste Busters was starting their waste trial and that the recent Winter Waste Festival had been a very successful community event.

### **Christchurch City Council**

- kerbside and home compost trial is in operation in three areas.
- a commercial putrescible plant is being proposed.
- the Council's Solid and Hazardous Waste Management Plan is being reviewed ahead of the Council's next LTCCP.
- Recovered Materials Foundation took over the city's three transfer stations in July and in general, the new arrangements were operating smoothly.