

2. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT

2.1 PROPOSED PORT OF LYTTTELTON SALE

Christine Dann appeared on behalf of area residents and Keep Our Port Public to raise concerns about the future of the Port of Lyttelton. Submitted information was tabled.

The Board thanked Ms Dann for her presentation and **received** the information.

2.2 DOMESTIC STORAGE OF PETROL

Don Cameron, Chief Fire Officer of the Diamond Harbour Fire Brigade was unable to attend the meeting due to work commitments. The Chairperson conveyed Chief Cameron's concerns about the possible increase in the domestic storage of petrol resulting from the termination of petrol sales at Church Bay starting 1 July 2006.

The Chairperson also noted Chief Cameron's concerns regarding the Diamond Harbour Community Hall fire alarm system, which relies on neighbours to turn the alarm off in the event of a false alarm. Chief Cameron reported that false alarms had recently resulted in multiple unnecessary call-outs of volunteer staff and equipment such that consideration was being given to introducing a fine for false alarm call-outs.

The Board **received** the information.

The Board **decided** to request staff to investigate how the fire alarm system at Diamond Harbour Community Hall operates and to report back to the Board with suggestions on how to improve the system.

2.3 CYCLIST SCULPTURE

Simon Hollander from Mainland Cycling Ltd spoke to the Board regarding a proposal for a cycling monument on Evans Pass. Submitted information was tabled.

The Board thanked Mr Hollander for his presentation and **received** the information.

The Board **decided** to refer the proposal to staff for consideration.