

7. AKAROA SERVICE CENTRE MANAGERS UPDATE

The Akaroa Service Centre Manager updated the Board on the following issues:



- **Flagpole Thanks** – members agreed that a letter of thanks should be sent to the private benefactor who donated the funds to have a flagpole erected at the Britomart Memorial from which the Union Jack was now being flown.
- **Akaroa-Wairewa Community Board Action Memo Updates**
- **Akaroa Skatepark – Vandalism** - members were informed that an on-site meeting had been held with community representatives to investigate ways of trying to lessen the vandalism occurring in the area of the skatepark. As a result the lighting at the skatepark was now being turned off at 8.30pm rather than later in the evening. It had also been suggested that a liquor ban be imposed on the skatepark and the surrounding area.

The Board asked that staff investigate and report on the feasibility of imposing a liquor ban on the Akaroa Skatepark and surrounding area, pursuant to Clause 2.3 of the Banks Peninsula Public Places & Signs Bylaw.

- **Environmental Diversity Portfolio Group – 11 July 2007**