

8. BOARD MEMBERS' EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION

8.1 MISTY PEAKS LAND PURCHASE

Members suggested that staff involve some local rural people when compiling a management plan for the Misty Peaks land, as it was noted that there was some considerable experience in the community that could be drawn on when considering the management of such land.

8.2 LITTLE RIVER RAILWAY STATION LAND

The Board questioned what was happening with the land behind the Little River Railway Station. It was noted that previously staff had suggested closing off vehicle access to the land. A concerned resident had pointed out to a Board member that when State Highway 75 flooded, a diversion was often used through the railway land. Members noted in such circumstances, a diversion could still be used through that land, it was merely a matter of managing the process correctly.

8.3 COMMUNITY & PUBLIC HEALTH

It was reported that contact had been made with Kathryn Russell from Community & Public Health, and that she had given an undertaking to attend a Board meeting to discuss the issue of the algal bloom in Lake Forsyth and the means of notification when it posed a threat to public health.

8.4 IKORAKI ETCHINGS

It was reported that the etchings had been purchased and were now hanging in the Little River Service Centre.