4. PETITIONS

Andrew King presented a petition to the Board, the prayer of the petition being as follows:

"ECAN has recently publicised an alternative proposal to extend the 11 Styx Mill-Westmorland service. This is in response to a request received from groups of residents from Willowbank, Styx Mill and Northwood Villas. A meeting was held at Belfast Community Centre, March 19th between 4 and 6 pm. Many that attended were frustrated by the lack of process to register their protests. We, the undersigned believe that we have not been sufficiently consulted and wish to petition ECAN to halt this extension and duly consult with all ratepayers affected by this new proposal."

The Board **received** the petition and undertook to arrange for the Chairperson and Deputy Chairperson to present same to Environment Canterbury in due course.