

## 22. BELFAST POOL FENCE

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The purpose of this report is to consider funding for repairing the security perimeter fence at the Belfast Pool in Sheldon Park.

Three options were considered:

- Repair the concrete block fence where damaged and replace with similar blocks - \$8,000.
- Repair block fence including replacement of block fence at eastern end - \$10,000.
- Replacing block fence with security fencing from gate along western, southern and part of eastern side to dressing sheds - \$5,500.

The security fencing proposal is the same as that used around other Council owned swimming pools. The work would be undertaken prior to the next swimming season.

The Pools Maintenance Supervisor, Leisure Unit, was consulted as to possible ways to rectify the problem. He advises that the most effective and by far the cheapest is to erect a 2.4 metre high security fence at a cost of \$5,500.

**Recommendation:** That the Board fund \$5,500 from 2000/2001 Discretionary Funds to replace the damaged block fence with security fencing at the Belfast Pool.

**Chairperson's Recommendation:** That the officer's recommendation be adopted.