33. COMMUNITY ADVOCATE'S UPDATE

33.1 Six Monthly Review of Hagley/Ferrymead Board Objectives and Performance Indicators

It is proposed that a six monthly review of the 2000/2001 Board Objectives and Performance Indicators will take place at the workshops on 14/21 February when the Board will confirm its Objectives and Performance Indicators for 20001/2002.

33.2 Coast to Coast Cycle Route

The concept of a Coast to Coast cycle route has been circulating amongst cycle advocates and cycle tourists for a number of years. The Council has recently become interested in developing the concept further after observing the range of tremendous benefits that the UK's 5000 km cycle network has brought to local communities. Hopefully the Coast to Coast cycle route would be one of the initial elements of a national cycle network.

The Hagley/Ferrymead area has been identified as one that could potentially be impacted or may wish to be involved further in this project, hence Board members are invited to attend a meeting and hear about the project concept.

The meeting is to be held in the Ballroom of the Centra Hotel, Cashel Street, Christchurch, at 7pm on the evening of Monday, 19 February 2001, hosted by Councillor Denis O'Rourke, chair of the City Services Committee. A supper, including tea and coffee will be served. (RSVP to Alix Newman, Ph: 371 1472 or email: cycling@ccc.govt.nz)

33.3 Cycle Touring Cycle Facilities

Brent Ferigo (Assistant Cycle Planner) is proposing to undertake a journey (of modest proportions), preferably by cycle (but can be by van) of the cycle facilities in the community. An invitation has been extended to all Community Board members to participate.

If enough interest is generated it is proposed to organise a route that can take in the highlights and lowlights of the facilities, ideally between mid February and mid April. A route of 15 to 20 km is envisaged and will allow a pleasant healthy outing whilst gaining a deeper appreciation of cycling issues. This concept has already proved very successful with the Burwood/Pegasus Community Board.

Please advise any expressions of interest to the Community Secretary, Clare Sullivan, Ph. 3722 615, email: Clare.Sullivan@ccc.govt.nz.

33.4 Community Board Conference

Nominations are being called for attendance at the Community Board Conference being held in Invercargill from Thursday 10 May – Sunday 13 May.

For discussion.

33.5 Discretionary Expenditure

The attached schedule details the Board's allocations to date.

Chairman's

Recommendation: That the information be received