

11. COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS

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The purpose of this report is to ask the Board to consider improving the current system of calling for Community Service Award nominations, in order to attract a wider range of nominees.

Historically, award criteria has been based on the Board's objectives covering volunteer contributions in the areas of:

- Physical well-being
- Children, youth and education
- Physical environment
- Social and economic well-being

In order to widen the range of nominations, consideration could be given to establishing specialist awards, for example, the Hagley-Ferrymead Heritage Award.

Recommendation: That a small working party comprising Advocacy Team staff and Board members, be formed to review the current Community Service Award criteria.