

4. APPOINTMENT OF REPRESENTATIVES TO REGIONAL HAZARDOUS WASTE WORKING PARTY

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The purpose of this report is to recommend the appointment of representatives to the Regional Hazardous Working Party.

BACKGROUND

The Regional Hazardous Working Party consists of elected members from the Canterbury territorial local authorities and the Canterbury Regional Council. The Working Party deals with regional hazardous waste issues such as the recently finalised Regional Hazardous Waste Strategy for Canterbury and reports to both the Subcommittee and to Environment Canterbury as and when required.

After the October local government elections the Subcommittee again needs to appoint its representatives to the Working Party. Previous appointees from the Subcommittee were:

- Councillor Denis O'Rourke – Christchurch City Council
- Councillor Gerald Herbert on behalf of the northern Canterbury territorial local authorities
- Councillor Bill Woods on behalf of the mid-Canterbury territorial local authorities
- Councillor Stan Scorrige on behalf of the southern Canterbury territorial local authorities.

SUMMARY

The Subcommittee needs to appoint representatives as outlined in the report as the Working Party will meet early in 2002. It is recommended that the same representative basis as before be used.

Recommendation: That the Canterbury Waste Subcommittee appoint four representatives to the Regional Hazardous Working Party on the same representative basis as before.

Chairman's Recommendation: For discussion.