

## 14. COMMUNITY ADVOCATE'S UPDATE

### 14.1 Discretionary Fund Update

The attached schedule shows the Board's discretionary fund allocations to date since 1 July 2002. A total of \$22,320 remains available for allocation.

### 14.2 Community Events and Special Days Fund Update

The attached schedule shows the Board's community events and special days fund guidelines and allocations to date since 1 July 2002.

### 14.3 Community Response Fund Update

The attached schedule shows the Board's community response fund allocations to date since 1 July 2002. A total of \$4,000 remains available for allocation.

### 14.4 Linwood Cemetery

In addition to the two recent occasions for planting within the cemetery involving local residents and pupils of Linwood Intermediate School, significant work has been done by City Care.

In the area adjacent to the Butterfield Avenue entrance, grave kerbings have been realigned and stabilised to prevent further subsidence. Eighty four headstones have been repaired and reinstated in a process where each grave site is photographed before and after work is done.

On Monday 19 August, the Parks, Gardens and Waterways Committee participated in a tour of inspection of all cemeteries. Members of the committee commented favourably on the progress being made at Linwood Cemetery.

### 14.5 Bromley Community Centre

Bromley Old School Reserve, the site of the Bromley Community Centre has recently been enhanced with the planting of 24 trees and 550 spring bulbs. In a joint initiative between the Parks and Waterways Unit and the Bromley Community Residents, on Saturday 20 July, 25 residents associated with Bromley School and the Residents group carried out the planting, concluding the occasion with a barbeque. Continuing the theme, on 14 August, 30 shrubs were planted at the entrance to the Community Centre by the children attending the After School Programme.

### 14.6 Minutes of Neighbourhood Week Joint Board Committee

The Neighbourhood Week Joint Board Committee met on Friday, 2 August 2002. A copy of the minutes of that meeting is attached for your information.

### 14.7 Sumner/Redcliffs Community Crèche

A new site for the Sumner/Redcliffs Community Crèche is being progressed, and a report will be included in the October Board meeting agenda.

#### Staff

**Recommendation:** That the information be received.

#### Chairperson's

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