

## 15. COMMUNITY ADVOCATE'S UPDATE

### 15.1 Discretionary Fund Update

The attached schedule shows the Board's discretionary fund allocations to date since 1 July 2003. A total of \$15,605 remains available for allocation.

#### Chairperson's

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

### 15.2 Community Response Fund Update

The attached schedule shows the Board's community response fund allocations to date since 1 July 2003. A total of \$2,450 remains available for allocation.

#### Chairperson's

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

### 15.3 Draft Gaming Venue Policy

The Board may wish to make a submission on the Council's draft gaming venue policy. Submissions close on 5 February 2004. The draft policy has been separately circulated to Board members.

#### Chairperson's

**Recommendation:** That the Board formulate a submission on the Council's draft gaming venue policy.

### 15.4 Alcohol Policy: Power to Act to Community, Policy and Finance Committee

During the middle of 2003 the Council called for public comment on a discussion document on a proposed alcohol policy for the city.

Submissions on that document were considered by a Council Subcommittee which culminated in the Council, at a meeting on 23 October 2003, agreeing in principle to a proposed alcohol policy which has been separately circulated to Board members.

The Council now seeks feedback on those proposals. It will re-examine the matter after the submissions have been received.

Comments or submissions on the document must be with the Council by 23 February 2004. These can be made on the "Have Your Say" website [www.ccc.govt.nz/HaveYourSay](http://www.ccc.govt.nz/HaveYourSay) or by writing to Klaus Prusas, Team Leader Environmental Effects, Christchurch City Council, PO Box 237, Christchurch.

The Board may wish to give the Community, Policy and Finance Committee power to act to make a submission on behalf of the Board on the proposed policy.

#### Chairperson's

**Recommendation:** That the Board give the Community, Policy and Finance Committee power to act to make a submission on behalf of the Board on the proposed policy.

#### 15.5 **Water Quality and Beach Standards: Power to Act to Environment and Traffic Committee**

The Council is seeking submissions on a water quality and beach standards consultation document. This document has been separately circulated to Board members. The Board may wish to give the Environment and Traffic Committee power to act to make a submission on behalf of the Board on the proposed policy.

#### **Chairperson's**

#### **Recommendation:**

That the Board give the Environment and Traffic Committee power to act to make a submission on the consultation document on behalf of the Board.