


16. DEPUTATIONS BY APPOINTMENT

(a) CATHEDRAL SQUARE REDEVELOPMENT



Mr David Henderson and Mr Derek Anderson addressed the Committee on the above topic and urged the Council to give high priority to completing the Stage V work. A request was also made for the Council to work with the Cathedral Square Stakeholders' Group in exploring opportunities for reducing the cost of the redevelopment work.

Mr Henderson indicated that his company would be prepared to rebuild the Police kiosk/tram station in line with the Athfield plan.

Mr Anderson identified the essential priorities as being the traffic safety issues and the upgrading of the lighting, including the wash lighting of the buildings surrounding the Square. It was advised that the stakeholders' group generally supported the plan apart from the water feature.

(b) FUNDING FOR THE CANTERBURY MUSEUM REVITALISATION PROJECT

Mr Anthony Wright, Director, Canterbury Museum, addressed the Committee and sought support for the Museum's request for an increase in the Council's contribution to the above project.