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## 20. APPOINTMENTS TO OUTSIDE BODIES



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**PURPOSE OF REPORT**

1. The purpose of this report is for Council to consider whether or not it wishes to make appointments to the outside bodies referred to in the report below.

**BACKGROUND**

2. At its meeting on 16 December 2010 the Council considered a report regarding appointments to outside bodies. The Council made appointments to a number of outside bodies and also resolved:

*“that the following appointments to outside bodies be considered in the New Year:*

- (i) Art Centre of Christchurch Trust.*
- (ii) Christchurch City Garden Trust.*
- (iii) Christchurch Heritage Trust.*
- (iv) Keep Christchurch Beautiful.*
- (v) Music Centre of Christchurch Trust.*
- (vi) Nga Hau e Wha National Marae Charitable Trust.*
- (vii) Orana Wildlife Trust Board.”*

3. These organisations had not been dealt with at the 16 December 2010 Council meeting. There were issues over whether or not the organisations had received written correspondence from the Council asking the organisation to advise the Council whether or not it wished to continue having the Council make appointments to their organisations. In some instances the Council had not been advised of changes to postal addresses which had led to some confusion on this matter.
4. At the end of July 2011 Council staff re-contacted all of the organisations noted in (i) – (vii) above asking that they re-confirm their positions (**Attachment A**). The Council has the right to appoint one Councillor to each of the organisations.

**STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

That the Council gives consideration to whether or not it wishes to make appointments to the outside bodies mentioned in 2. above.