STAFF REPORT

TO: Chairman and Members Engineering Services

FROM: Development Engineer, Dugald Ley

DATE: 10 May 2010

SUBJECT: DEVELOPMENT/CUSTOMER SERVICE – THREE-MONTHLY

REPORT - JANUARY TO MARCH 2010 - RESC10-05-04

Report prepared for meeting of 27 May 2010

1 PURPOSE

This report highlights developments and service requests administered by the Engineering Department.

2 SUBDIVISION (Generally larger subdivisions)

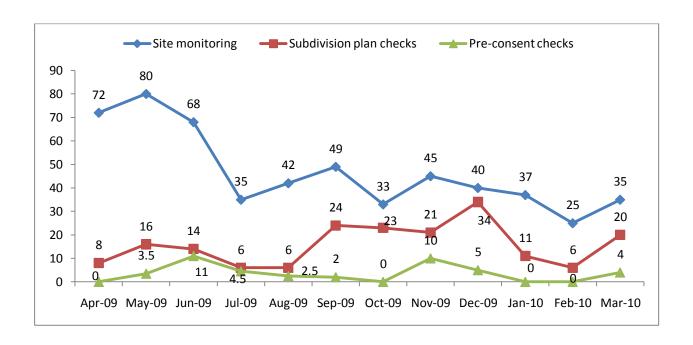
Construction works underway over the past three months include:

- Coastal Highway
- Te Maatu subdivision Motueka
- VPCL Lower Queen Street/Headingly Lane
- Champion Road (eastern end, 2 areas)
- New Haven Marahau
- Eight-eight Valley
- Old Coach Road

There are a number of sections being marketed at present. Some developers are reluctant to commit more sections to the market.

Graph 1 – Hours spent on resource consents by Council's engineering staff and consultants

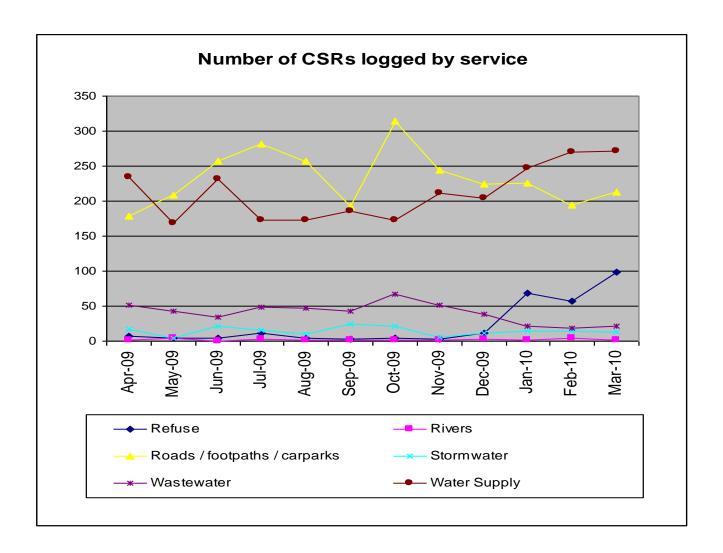
The graph below provides an indication of time spent on various subdivision activities within the district and reflects the low activity over the winter months with increasing work as the construction period commences.



3 SERVICE REQUESTS

The graph below indicates the service requests over the last twelve months. On average 400-500 requests were received per month.

	Refuse	Rivers	Roads/ footpaths/ car parks	Stormwater	Wastewater	Water supply	Totals
2009-04	7	2	179	17	52	235	492
2009-05	4	5	209	5	43	168	434
2009-06	5		257	21	35	232	550
2009-07	11	3	145	16	49	173	397
2009-08	5	2	133	10	47	173	370
2009-09	3	2	107	24	43	186	365
2009-10	4	1	123	22	67	173	390
2009-11	3	1	96	6	51	211	368
2009-12	12	3	85	11	39	204	354
2010-01	68	2	226	15	21	247	579
2010-02	57	4	195	15	18	270	559
2010-03	98	2	213	13	22	272	620



The table shows that water and roading are again the highest activity areas for complaints/enquiries.

4 RECOMMENDATION

THAT the Development/Customer Services – Three Monthly Report January to March 2010 be received.

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