# STAFF REPORT

**TO:** Community Services Committee

FROM: Community Services Manager/Acting CEO

**REFERENCE**: 41785L G600

**DATE:** 27 March 2007

**SUBJECT:** Motueka Municipal Band Inc.

#### **PURPOSE/REASON FOR REPORT**

To inform the Committee of a request received from the Motueka Municipal Band Inc. for a waiver of outstanding loan funds.

## **BACKGROUND**

The Motueka Municipal Band was loaned by Council a total of \$7,443.00 interest free in 2005 for the purpose of building a new storeroom at the bandrooms. This loan was to be paid over 19 months in equal instalments of \$391.74. There is only one instalment left to pay on this loan.

# **COMMENT/DISCUSSION**

The Band has written to Council and advised that they are a voluntary organisation serving the community, and at present their finances are stretched. The Band has asked Council to consider waiving the final payment.

# **OPTIONS**

- 1 Decline the request
- Waive the outstanding balance

#### RECOMMENDATION

THAT the Motueka Municipal Band Inc. outstanding loan balance of \$391.70 be waived.

## Lloyd Kennedy