STAFF REPORT

TO: Community Services Committee

FROM: Reserves Manager

REFERENCE: C752

DATE: 13 November 2007

SUBJECT: Reserve Manager's Report

The following is an update on capital projects and items of interest.

RICHMOND

Site Projects for 2006/07 **Timeframe** Sandeman Reserve Construction underway for linkage Walkway to Headingly Lane. Complete Jubilee Park Irrigation Ongoing. Two prices currently in. Saxton Field (Avery Cricket nets Oval) Awaiting concrete slab price. Washbourn Gardens Lighting At the request of the local Community Constable sensor security lighting will be installed in the garden areas. Town Centre Trees Staff are assisting MWH with information regarding this project. Development New gravel pathway installed Jubilee Park Railway Walkway Reserve from Railway Reserve barrier up to State Highway.

MOUTERE/WAIMEA

| Site | Projects for 2006/07 | Timeframe |
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| Rabbit Island | Removal of pine trees | An area of pine trees have been removed. The area has been mulched and fenced ready for development and planting. |
| McKee Reserve | New Toilet Block | Work on this project has commenced. |

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| Tilson Crescent Reserve | Playground | To be installed the week of 19 November. | | | |
| | Walkway | New concrete footpath installed. Edge soiling to be completed. | | | |
| Torrent Bay | Coast care | Planting completed. | | | |
| Sportspark Motueka | The Hurricanes are coming | Work on upgrading the playing field has commenced in preparation for this game. | | | |
| Linden Place Reserve | Trees | Several trees that are not well formed are to be removed from the reserve area. | | | |
| Stephens Bay Reserve | Concept Plan | Finalised plan has been sent to residents. New vehicle barriers will be installed for summer. | | | |
| Decks Reserve | Walkway | New path is currently being installed. | | | |
| | Stream/pond | New stream upgrade has been completed plus major pond repairs. | | | |
| | Tea house | Plans have been approved and construction/tender documents to be drawn up. | | | |

GOLDEN BAY

| Site | Projects for 2006/07 | | Tir | me | | | |
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| Lake Killarney | Landscaping | frontage | Work | has | commenced | on | this |
| | and landing for | pond. | projec | t. | | | |

REGIONAL

A letter was received from the Tapawera & Districts Community Council complimenting Council on the standard of maintenance in the Tapawera Public Conveniences.

Coast Care programmes in Golden and Tasman Bays are developing well. All areas are experiencing good growth, support from the Coast Care groups and acceptance from the public.

Debates which emerge between the merits of ice plant versus spinifex are always healthy and an opportunity for education.

Beryl Wilkes Reserves Manager

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