

## **STAFF REPORT**

**TO:** Golden Bay Community Board  
**FROM:** Horticultural Officer  
**REFERENCE:** P12505  
**DATE:** 2 February 2007

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### **PURPOSE**

To bring to the attention of the Golden Bay Community Board the proposed renovation of the Golden Bay I-Site Visitor Centre gardens.

### **BACKGROUND**

The Parks and Reserves department was approached to re-vamp the gardens around I-Site Visitors Centre by Elizabeth Dransfield. A DILS allocation of \$10,000.00 was subsequently made for this work.

### **COMMENT/DISCUSSION**

The plan attached was developed in consultation with the Visitors Centre. The re-vamp of the shrubberies is intended to beautify the area at the front of the building as well as encourage people through to the picnic area.

### **AFFECTED PARTIES**

Visitors Centre staff, the community and tourists.

### **OPTIONS**

- Do nothing
- Accept the proposed plan and allow Staff to carry out the re-vamp in consultation with the Visitors Centre Staff.

### **RECOMMENDATION**

That the proposed plan is accepted and Staff can carry out the re-vamp.

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