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Report to the Rural Services and Wairarapa Committee
from Dave Cameron, Regional Soil Conservator

River and Catchment Works

1. Purpose

To advise the Committee of River and Catchment Works which have been approved under delegated authority since the previous meeting on 8 May 2001.

2. Schedule

2.1 Sustainability Plans and Conservation Plans

Property Conservation Plans and Sustainability Plans are prepared for a ten year period and include Plans prepared for the control of hill country erosion and wind erosion. A summary of approvals made under delegation is as follows:-

Number Approved	Catchment Location	Poles	Woodlot Area(ha)	Thinning (ha)	Fencing (m)	Shelter Belts(m)	Regional Grant
1	Motuwaireka	600	35.0				14,945
2	Huangaaru	2,600	5.5		550		19,477
1	Kopuaranga	575	22.6		600		13,059
2	Taueru	2,445	12.0	3.2	525		21,236

2.2 Sustainability Plan and Conservation Plan Annual Programmes

Annual programmes are prepared from Sustainability Plans and Property Conservation Plans that have current ten year approvals.

	Annual Plan Target 2001/02	Approved to Date	Approved this Agenda	Balance to Approve	Percentage Approved
Number	165	0	14	151	8%
Expenditure	590,000	0	107,765	482,235	18%

2.3 Isolated Works

Name	Type of Work	Total Cost (\$)	Regional Grant Rate	Regional Component (\$)
SWDC – Waiohine Valley Road	Rock groynes	20,795	Nil	Nil
Percy – Kaipatangata	Willow cabling	4,000	30%	1,200
CDC Water Race Intake - Mangatarere	Rock protection	11,302	30%	3,390
SWDC Water Supply Intake - Waiohine	Rail groynes/rip rap	20,795	Nil	Nil

3. Communications

No particular actions are considered necessary.

4. Recommendation

That the schedule be received.

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