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Tena koe Mike

re: Point Dorset Recreation Reserve

The Port Nicholson Block Settlement Trust, Trust Secretary (Aroha Thorpe) has this morning spoken to me regarding the Point Dorset Recreation Reserve and the proposal you spoke briefly about on Friday. I have also read the email you sent Aroha this morning.

I believe that Aroha on behalf of Trustees (together with those Trustees present at the meeting on Friday – Hon Mahara Okeroa, Mark Te One and Liz Mellish) indicated agreement in principle with the proposal for funding from the Plimmer Bequest in the 2010/2011 year.

I have noted that the paper will be presented to the SPC on 18 February 2010 for consideration. I would like this letter of support added to the proposal.

The Port Nicholson Block Settlement Trust, as the fee simple landowner of the Point Dorset Recreation Reserve strongly endorses the recommendation of Council officials for this proposal to be accepted by the appropriate committee of Wellington City Council. The initiative will be important for enhancing the cultural and natural heritage of the area and be beneficial to Wellington and visitors to the region.

Naaku noa, na

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