

Appendix 2: Grant Recommendations Environmental Pool November 2007

Appl No	Organisation Name	Project Description	Total Cost	Amount Requested	Recommended Amount	Priority	Strategic Fit / Criteria Concerns	Focus Area
1	2020 Communications Trust	community e-waste awareness day to be held in September 2008	\$54,672.00	\$11,347.00	\$8,000.00	A	Fits with Solid Waste Management Plan, raising awareness of environmental issues This is the event's 3rd year. Last year Cityops funded 10k and provided staff time to assist the planning committee. They support the event but are pulling back their involvement and see grants as a more appropriate method of support. Officers recommend that WCC funding is reduced each year and the organisers are encouraged to seek more support from the commercial sector in future.	Waste minimisation
2	Crossways Community Centre	energy efficiency project	\$3,285.88	\$3,285.88	nil	B	Water and energy efficiency projects for community facilities are high priority. This project follows from an energy audit in 2006, but seems premature given current uncertainties regarding the centre's future. More information requested regarding project details	Efficiency
3	Experiencing Marine Reserves (Wgtn Marine Conservation Trust)	EMR investigates the local marine environment and marine conservation	\$6,721.32	\$4,721.32	\$2,700.00	A	Coastal areas and community education are high priority, should deliver a good programme. More information requested re DOC funding, school contribution. TAG - towards coordinator and/or Marine Education Centre costs	Participation
4	Inspirational TV Incorporated	a web TV series & DVD on wildlife that can be found in our city	\$1,500.00	\$1,500.00	nil	B	Low priority - - limited audience, unclear as to Wellington benefits if low quality product. Karori Sanctuary doesn't see as high priority.	Participation
5	Island Bay Natural Heritage Charitable Trust Inc	environmental rehabilitation and weed control at Paekawakawa reserve	\$6,375.00	\$6,375.00	nil	C	Ineligible - overdue report back on previous grant, no accounts or quotes provided with application	Biodiversity
6	Museum of New Zealand Te Papa Tongarewa	Kereru Discovery Project - revamp of website	\$350,000.00	\$10,160.00	\$5,000.00	A	Community education and participation a priority - the focus of this project is engaging with the public via an interactive website. WCC already supports the project in a number of different ways TAG - funds not to be released until report back is received for 06/07 Discretionary grant	Participation

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7	New Zealand Yoga in Daily Life Society	a one-day World Peace Summit for Sustainable Development on climate change	\$156,830.00	\$8,100.00	nil	B	Low priority: environmental education is a priority but concern regarding effectiveness and accessibility of this event - \$75 fee charged to delegates, unlikely to attract those not already interested in these issues More information requested regarding other funding	Participation
8	Royal Forest & Bird Protection Society (Wgtn Branch)	"Places for Penguins" conservation project	\$44,480.00	\$20,000.00	\$5,000.00	A	Coastal areas and community education are high priority. Concern re high wages request more information requested regarding other funding	Biodiversity
9	South East & City Primary Health Organisation	to plant medicinal and culinary herbs for Matariki celebration	\$25,800.00	\$25,800.00	nil	C	Ineligible - no project description or budget	
10	Southern Environmental Assn Wgtn Inc	materials for ecological restoration project	\$5,000.00	\$5,000.00	n/a		Withdrawn by applicant	
11	Sustainability Trust (Trust Sustainabilty Trust)	development of a Sustainable Energy Advice Centre	\$134,000.00	\$15,000.00	\$10,000.00		See recommendation notes regarding Social pool application - 60k requested in total	Efficiency
12	Thistle Hall Community Centre	a gallery exhibition featuring environmental concerns - "Consider this ..."	\$1,200.00	\$1,000.00	n/a	n/a	Recommend transfer to Cultural pool	n/a
13	Trelissick Park Group (under Ngaio Progressive Assn)	planting native species and general maintenance in Trelissick Park	\$250.00	\$250.00	\$250.00	A	Small request for admin support for active community group.	Biodiversity
		Totals:	\$790,114.20	\$112,539.20	\$30,950.00			
			Amount Available:		\$29,550.00			