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Report to the Environment Committee
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Masterton District Council Civil Defence Plan

1. Purpose

To seek approval, under section 35 (2) of the Civil Defence Act 1983, for a territorial local authority Civil Defence Plan.

2. Background

The current Masterton District Council Civil Defence Plan expires in June 1999. In accordance with Section 36 of the Civil Defence Act, 1983, a new Plan has been prepared to replace the existing Plan. The new Plan has been received from Masterton District Council and meets the requirements of the Wellington Regional Council. The Plan is also consistent with, and gives effect to, the operative Regional Civil Defence Plan.

The Plan was adopted at the Masterton District Council's Resource Management Committee Meeting on Tuesday 11 May 1999.

The Plan requires the approval of the Wellington Regional Council in accordance with the Civil Defence Act 1983, Section 35. The Plan will be operative for a three year period commencing upon the date of approval by the Wellington Regional Council.

3. Recommendation

That the Council approves the Masterton Civil Defence Plan.

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