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

Catchment Works

1. Purpose

To advise the Committee of Catchment Works which have been approved under delegated authority.

2. Schedule

2.1 Sustainability Plan and Conservation Plan Reviews

Property Conservation Plans and Sustainability Plans are reviewed every five years 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	Catchment	Poles	Woodlot	Thinning	Fencing	Shelter	Regional
Approved	Location		Area(ha)	(ha)	(m)	Belts(m)	Grant
2	Taueru	1900	31	6.5	2800		32,228

2.2 Sustainability Plan and Conservation Plan Annual Programmes

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

	Annual Plan Target 1998/99	Approved to Date	Approved this Agenda	Balance to Approve	Percentage Approved
Number	175	0	2	173	1%
Expenditure	387,000	0	26,203	360,797	6%

3. Recommendation

That the schedule be received.

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