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Parks, Forests and Utilities Committee

Minute extract from meeting held on 23 October 2008

Wainuiomata mini hydro power generation

Resolved

That the Committee

1. *Receives the report and notes its content.*
2. *Notes the level of carbon emissions savings that can be achieved from renewable hydro power generation at Wainuiomata.*
3. *Agrees in principle with the generation of renewable electricity utilising the pressure available from the Orongorongo pipeline.*
4. *Agrees with the commencement of stakeholder consultation on the discharge of water into George Creek that is not required for water treatment following electricity generation.*
5. *Approves the inclusion of the Wainuiomata mini hydro power generation project within the wholesale water capital works programme for 2009/2010 and the draft 2009/2019 LTCCP.*