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Wellington Regional Strategy Committee

Minute extract from meeting held on 14 October 2009

Grow Wellington and WRS Office Annual Reports 2008/09

Murray McCaw introduced Grow Wellington's report, and Nigel Kirkpatrick gave an overview. Representatives of three companies aided by Grow Wellington's various support programmes spoke of their experiences.

Discussion followed on the relationship between the practices of tertiary education providers in the Wellington Region and the needs of local industry highlighted by Grow Wellington.

Melanie Thornton spoke to the WRS Office's annual report.

Resolved

(Sir John Anderson/Mayor Ogden)

That the Committee

- 1. Receives the report.
- 2. *Notes the content of the report.*
- 3. Accepts the Grow Wellington Annual Report and authorises the Committee Chair to send a letter to the Grow Wellington Board acknowledging the progress made by the company
- 4. Adopts the Wellington Regional Strategy Office Annual Report.

The motion was **CARRIED**.