RECOVERED MATERIALS FOUNDATION

Cost of Service		
1999/00 BUDGET \$ 800,000 13,000 1,491,000	Canterbury Regional Council Gran	2000/01 BUDGET \$ 1,059,000 nt 13,000 1,113,000
2,304,000	Total Revenue	2,185,000
107,000 981,500 1,175,500	Site Operations	110,000 908,000 1,127,000
2,264,000	Total Expenses	2,145,000
40,000	* Surplus (Deficit)	40,000* ======

^{*} Amount transferred to Reserves.

Relationship to the Council

The Recovered Materials Foundation (RMF) is the commercial interface under contract to the CCC in reuse and recycling market development. It is set up as an independent not-for-profit trust to develop sustainable and viable markets for waste materials. The RMF Board of Trustees comprises two CCC Councillors, and representatives from the Canterbury Development Corporation, Canterbury Employers Chamber of Commerce, Canterbury Manufacturers Association, and local recycling businesses. (See page 123 for list of Trustees.)

The Council's interest in the trust is in accordance with its Strategic Objectives: B1, B2, C4, E3, F5 (pages 32 and 33)

Nature and Scope

The RMF provides the following services for the Christchurch City Council:

- Receiving, processing and market development of materials recovered through the CCC kerbside recycling collection.
- Administering a recycling business development grant and loan fund to assist in the establishment of local reuserecycling commercial enterprises.
- Providing a Waste Exchange Service for businesses to find outlets for, or to source potentially reusable/recyclable materials from industrial processes.
- Managing the Recycling Centres at the three refuse transfer stations to increase diversion of materials from the waste stream and to minimise overall operating costs of these centres to the CCC.
- Undertaking research and provides information on reuse/recycling processes and opportunities in Canterbury.
- Contributing to overall waste minimisation promotion and kerbside recycling education.

Overall Service Objective

The RMF provides reuse and recycling development services on behalf of the Waste Management Unit of the Christchurch City Council. It also has a focus on local employment and development through the creation of new recycling enterprises in Christchurch.

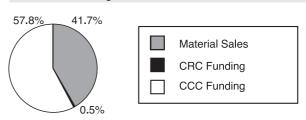
Objectives for 2000/01

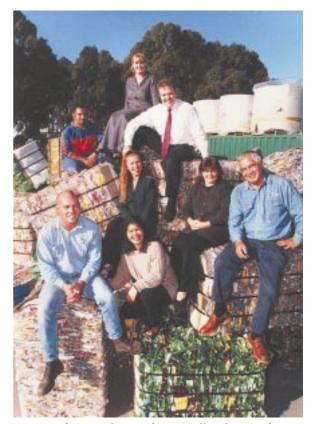
RMF objectives for 2000/01 are noted on page 63. See Objectives 3, 4.1, 4.2 and 4.3.

Performance Indicators

RMF performance indicators are noted on page 63. See performance indicators 3.1, 4.1, 4.2 and 4.3.

Sources of Funding





Recovered Materials Foundation staff with PET plastic bottles destined for recycling markets.