

## **2.0 VISION AND MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES**

In setting the management objectives for Queens Park, consideration must be given to the classification of the land under the Reserves Act 1977.

Recreation Reserves are protected for their open space and recreational values, which contribute to the physical welfare and enjoyment of the public. Local Purpose Reserves are protected as areas suitable for a specific local community purpose. These are generally small modified areas.

### **2.1 VISION**

Queens Park is an inner-city sanctuary for residents and visitors of Invercargill providing recreational, cultural, scenic and horticultural value as a public open space now and in the future.

### **2.2 MANAGEMENT OBJECTIVES**

- 2.2.1 To manage Queens Park in perpetuity for the purpose of protecting the Reserve's open space values for recreation and play and for protecting the natural environmental and scenic values.
- 2.2.2 To enhance and encourage equitable and safe public access into and through all public areas of Queens Park.
- 2.2.3 To provide facilities and amenities in Queens Park to enhance active and passive recreation and for public use and enjoyment.
- 2.2.4 To provide playgrounds which encourage imaginative and stimulating play and which encourage children to engage in social interaction and physical activity.
- 2.2.5 To develop and maintain the structural integrity of the shelter planting in Queens Park.
- 2.2.6 To provide display gardens and specimen trees which contribute to the attractiveness and enjoyment of Queens Park.
- 2.2.7 To provide feature displays of an Aviary and Animal Reserve which contribute to the educational value and enjoyment of Queens Park.
- 2.2.8 To allow areas of Queens Park to be leased to approved sporting clubs or organisations which contribute to and enhance the recreational values of the Park.
- 2.2.9 To enhance the educational opportunities on Queens Park.