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Hi Mailroom,

Can you please TRIM and workflow this submission?

Cheers,

Charles

----- Original Message -----

From: Hunt Kylie Anne

Received: 1/05/2015 9:39 a.m.

To: ECInfo; Environment Canterbury; Services Customer; Services Customer

Subject: Submission to Proposed Air Plan

Please find attached a submission from Mrs Maw re the above. She has incorrectly sent this to Selwyn District Council. Could you please respond with any correspondence directly to Mrs Maw.

Selwyn District Council, 2 Norman Kirk Drive, Rolleston 7614; Post: PO Box 90, Rolleston 7643, Christchurch

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Submission Form

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Selwyn District Council
PO Box 90
ROLLESTON 7643

Fax: (03) 347 2799

Email: annual.budget@selwyn.govt.nz

Online at: www.selwyn.govt.nz/AnnualPlanSubmission
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Friday 3 May 2013

at 5:00pm

Please note:
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PLEASE PRINT

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Mr/Mrs/Miss/Ms

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Business Phone as above

Mobile —

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Broadfield R.D 8 CHCH

Post Code 7648

Email —

Organisation represented (if applicable) —

Do you wish to be heard in support of your submission

☒ YES

☐ NO

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Preferred day / time to be heard (please tick one box only)

Rolleston (Council Chambers)	Friday 17 May 9:00am – 5:00pm	Morning Session	
		Afternoon Session	
Rolleston (Council Chambers)	Monday 20 May 10:00am – 9:00pm	Morning Session	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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		Evening Session	

The Council welcomes comments on any part of our 2013/2014 Draft Annual Plan. We would like to hear from you either as an individual or through any group or organisation of which you may be a member. Submissions must be made in writing. Submission forms are available at the Council Libraries/Service Centres, or can be found at www.selwyn.govt.nz You can also lodge an electronic submission using our online form on our website www.selwyn.govt.nz/AnnualPlanSubmission if you prefer.

Wyenova Organic Farm
740 Waterholes Rd
Broadfield.

29-4-15.

Dear Sir/Madam,

Formal Submission on the Proposed Air Plan.

My name is Vanya Maw, & I reside & farm & live at 740 Waterholes Road, Broadfield. The farm is "Wyenova Organic Farm" & is 8 hectares in area. I have farmed here for 30 yrs. The farm has been BioGro Certified, No 442 for 25 yrs, beginning Organics in 1989, firstly transitional then by 1992 the entire farm was fully certified Organic.

I wish to put a formal submission on the Proposed Air Plan, to tell you I support the Plan for small-clean burning wood stoves & out door - paddock fires.

I wish to inform you a little of the importance of the wood burning stove/cooker in the house.

Only pure dry wood & sometimes - when applicable, invasive bad dried weed seeds are burnt - to destroy them. Very little news paper is used to start the fire - no coloured shiny paper, cellophane, or seletape etc - only pure dry wood, is burnt. The ash is very pure & is used for vege gardens, compost, fruit & nut trees berries etc Ash is used to stop codlin moth on apples & pear & plum trees - all so important.

The Stove is the hub of the house - providing all cooking, hot water, airing, drying of fruit &

tomatoes for preserving ^{and} for drying the commercial nut crops & heating etc. & the supply of ash.

The farm runs on virtually zero waste. Once or maybe twice a year, a small open fire in the paddock is needed. A mulcher is used for prunings etc & what is taken off the trees is mulched & returned to them. An exception is when the Pinetrees are trimmed (with a commercial tree trimmer) or a tree is blown down. The burnable wood is removed (house/fire wood) the busy branch ends are too many to be mulched & that is when an open paddock fire is needed. The ash, when cold, is gathered/swept up & put around fruit & nut trees - again only ever pure branch/wood trimmings are burnt. The ash being such a valuable nutrient for the trees. - Nothing is wasted.

I hope you will by reading about the wood stove & open paddock fire, realise the importance of running the farm & feeding the soil.

I now end this submission

Kind Regards

from Vanya Maw

Vanya Maw