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Date	Sunday 22 March 2015
Contact details	<ul style="list-style-type: none">I do not wish my contact details to be made public
Your submission	<p>The proposed rates increases (together with those proposed by the city council) is huge and beyond affordable for many.</p> <p>Rate payers do not have the luxury of a bottomless purse and have to live within their means and absorb personal earthquake expenses, inflation and very small wage increases.</p> <p>You proposed increases do not seem to reflect general wage movement or inflation and place an unnecessary burden on rate payers. The proposed long term and ongoing burden on ratepayers that you are currently suggesting is far too much.</p>
What do you want Environment Canterbury to do?	<p>Reduce the proposed increase in rates</p> <p>and adjust plans so that you live within your current – or a much lesser proposed budget. Live within your means.</p> <p>If you cannot afford it– do without , adjust or postpone it .</p> <p>The rate payers economic position needs to be realistically considered–</p>