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Air Quality Support/Oppose

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Please select one of the following:

I generally disagree with the activity proposed for the

Air Quality.

Air Quality Comments

Please provide any comments.

There is no evidence that the air plan will improve anyone's health but it is costing ordinary people inconvenience, a lower quality of life and costing millions of dollars. While PM 10 rates have been reduced by about half in the last 20 years Ministry of Health figures show an increase in respiratory deaths from 5882 to 7259. The plan for Timaru means that I will have to spend about \$20 000.00 on new log burners replacing perfectly good ones. Many people will suffer in cold damp houses as a result of the plan. Some of us like a nice warm natural fire to keep us warm in the winters and make our houses cosy to live in. What is wrong with that?