

Submission on Environment Canterbury's 2019/2020 Draft Annual Plan

PEST FREE BANKS PENINSULA

Either submit on line (<https://haveyoursay.ecan.govt.nz/annualplan>) or fill out the form below and deliver it to ECan by **5pm, 19 March 2019**

**By mail** (no stamp required): Freepost 1201, Environment Canterbury, PO Box 345, CHRISTCHURCH 8140.

**By hand:** Environment Canterbury, 200 Tuam Street, Christchurch.

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Signature *G. Williams*

Date *17/3/19*

I want to be heard at the hearings (circle one, preferably yes)  Yes /  No

I support the proposed changes to the Revenue and Financing Policy to create a rating area (including the Port Hills) to support the vision for a pest-free Banks Peninsula.

I support this because... (say why) *the current system is not working.*

*We need a larger co-ordinated effort to make any progress. We have noticed a significant increase in possums in particular, (2 wild cats) over the last decade. We want to see the native bush have more of a chance to flourish along with accompanying native birds.*