

Comments

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Are you submitting on behalf of an organisation? No, I'm submitting as an individual

Are you willing to tell us more about yourself? No

Which age category are you in? -

Do you think we've prioritised the right issues and opportunities? Yes

Which of the proposed options would you like to see us progress with? Option 1: statutory work, prior commitments and accelerating key initiatives

It is important that we hear what you would like to keep in the plan, what you think should be removed, and anything that you think we have missed?

I would like Option 1 because:

- o Provides for environmental education and funding for the Enviroschool's programme
- o Has significantly more investment in Me Uru Rākau - Council's new protection and regeneration programme for priority ecological catchments of which Whakaraupō Lyttelton Harbour is one of those priorities
- o Provides a contestable fund to support community projects that can be used for the restoration of Whakaraupō
- o Supports more monitoring and data programmes essential to restoration work
- o Has a better level of support for landowners to assist with compliance and to support implementation of the regulatory framework all of which will work towards the restoration of Whakaraupō.

Do you generally support the activities proposed in the following portfolios:

Water and Land	Yes
Biodiversity and Biosecurity	Yes
Climate Change and Community Resilience	Yes
Air Quality, Transport and Urban Development	Unsure
Regional and Strategic Leadership	Unsure

Do you have any further comments on the activities proposed in specific portfolio/s (please select all those you wish to comment on):

- . Water and Land
- . Biodiversity and Biosecurity
- . Climate Change and Community Resilience
- . Air Quality, Transport and Urban Development
- . Regional and Strategic Leadership

Water and Land portfolio comments:

Specifically, I would like to submit that Environment Canterbury continues to fully fund for the next three years the Whaka-Ora Healthy Harbour Catchment (page 19 of LTP Land and Water).
as a community member I would like to see this continue - the restoration work is underway and I am very happy to be a part of it

Biodiversity and Biosecurity portfolio comments:

continuation of removal of weed and pest species from Banks Peninsula

Climate Change and Community Resilience portfolio comments:

please be strong on climate change decisions

Regional and Strategic Leadership portfolio comments:

fully support te mana o te wai

Is the proposed increase in rates affordable for your household? Option 1 is affordable

Any further comments on affordability for your household?

yes we can manage

Is the proposed increase in rates affordable as a whole for the Canterbury community? Don't know

Any further comments on affordability for the community?

we cannot risk not doing more for the environment

Do you support the changes we're proposing to how we apply Uniform Annual General Charges? Don't know

Any further comments on Uniform Annual General Charges?

None

Would you support the use of borrowing for operating expenditure to offset some of the first year rates?	Don't know
Do you support the rationale and proposed changes in the draft Fees and Charges Policy?	Don't know
Where do you live in Canterbury? Select your district below:	Christchurch city including Banks Peninsula
Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Kaikoura	
Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Hurunui	
Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Waimakariri	
Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Christchurch	. On-demand public transport services . Using aquifer recharge to manage freshwater quality
Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Selwyn	
Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Ashburton	
Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Mackenzie	
Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Timaru	
Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Waimate	
Would you like to see us investing in the following initiatives in your area? Waitaki	
Do you wish to speak to your submission?	No
How did you find out about giving feedback?	. Word of mouth
<i>Your information is held and administered by Environment Canterbury in accordance with the Privacy Act 2020 and Environment Canterbury's Privacy Policy.</i>	
There is personal information/contact details in my submission I do not want disclosed:	No