

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? Yes

Which age category are you in? 40-64 years old

Which suburb or area do you live in?

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

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

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?

Keep the accelerated actions supporting Ecan's work on climate change, biodiversity, and water management.

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

Water and Land Yes

Biodiversity and Biosecurity Yes Climate Change and Community Resilience

Air Quality, Transport and Urban Development Yes

Regional and Strategic Leadership Yes

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

Water and Land portfolio comments:

Absolutely vital this area is well resourced, as per option 1

Biodiversity and Biosecurity portfolio comments:

Climate change and the threats that brings from new pests and challenges to biodiversity make increased funding in this area essential.

Yes

Is the proposed increase in rates affordable for your household?

Option 1 is affordable

Any further comments on affordability for your household?

It is a small price to pay when spread across all rate payers. It is so important that we move beyond the status quo and take actions that will make a difference.

Is the proposed increase in rates affordable as a Yes whole for the Canterbury community?

Any further comments on affordability for the community?

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Do you support the changes we're proposing to Yes how we apply Uniform Annual General Charges?

Would you support the use of borrowing for operating expenditure to offset some of the first year rates?

No

Any further comments on the use of borrowing for operating expenditure?

I think we should just manage the increased expenditure through rates increases as per option 1

Do you support the rationale and proposed changes in the draft Fees and Charges Policy?

Yes

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 ... On-demand public transport services initiatives in your area? Christchurch 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 Would you like to be kept up-to-date with the Yes outcome of this consultation? How did you find out about giving feedback? Meeting, hui or event Your information is held and administered by Environment Canterbury in accordance with the Privacy Act 2020 and Environment Canterbury's Privacy Policy. There is personal information/contact details in No my submission I do not want disclosed: