

## 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? 65+ years old

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?

I would like the following:

- to see a public health lens applied to all decision making, and that public health experts are the people applying the lens.
- the public being granted the opportunity to be heard on an decision made by elected representatives or any delegated authority that has consequences for public health and the environment
- That Environment Canterbury prioritise and resource an urgent plan change to the Canterbury Land and Water Regional Plan, that actively provides for public input when processing resource consents that have consequences for public health and the environment. Until then, these consents should not be granted

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 Yes

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):

Regional and Strategic Leadership

## Regional and Strategic Leadership portfolio comments:

While I recognise the role of Ngai Tahu as Mana Whenua, how can we be sure that in their leadership role they will not put their economic goals above their environmental goals? They have a huge vested interest in intensive farming, so how can the general public be confident that they will be truly protect our land, water, braided rivers etc. rather than be an enabler for the agricultural industry. In its passive stance over the non- notified consent renewal process for the MHV irrigation scheme, it would suggest that the Tuia partnership/leadership model is not truly honouring its vision or guiding principles.

Is the proposed increase in rates affordable for your household?

Option 1 is affordable

Is the proposed increase in rates affordable as a Y

whole for the Canterbury community?

Don't know

Do you support the changes we're proposing to 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?

Yes

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

Would you like to be kept up-to-date with the outcome of this consultation?

Yes

How did you find out about giving feedback?

Meeting, hui or event

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