

## 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 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
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	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
- . Climate Change and Community Resilience
- . Air Quality, Transport and Urban Development
- . Regional and Strategic Leadership

**Water and Land portfolio comments:**

I am very concerned about the issue of nitrates in water. I would like nitrate polluters to pay heavily to address these issues, and I would like permissible nitrate levels reduced to Danish study amounts of 0.87 mg/l, and Ecan to take much stronger steps in changing rules, lobbying central govt, and monitoring and enforcement.

**Climate Change and Community Resilience portfolio comments:**

I welcome the climate education funding in option 1, and would like more climate education and for it to emphasise need for collective action and systemic change, rather than individual consumer changes. I believe that Te Tiriti compliant participatory and deliberative democracy on a local level will be crucial in our climate response, and that Ecan should be trialling these sorts of initiatives.

**Air Quality, Transport and Urban Development portfolio comments:**

I would like more funding to develop mass rapid transport. I support cheap or free public transport, and raising the age at which young people pay adult rates. I would like cycling and public transport to be prioritised more over car use.

**Is the proposed increase in rates affordable for your household?**

Option 1 is affordable

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

Yes

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

No

**Any further comments on Uniform Annual General Charges?**

I would like this to be reduced to zero. I strongly support progressive ways of funding ECAN, charging the rich more and poor people less.

**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?** Yes

*We may use your phone number to contact you to arrange attendance at a hearing. This information will be kept private.*

**Phone number**

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

**How did you find out about giving feedback?**

- . Word of mouth
- . Meeting, hui or event

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**There is personal information/contact details in my submission I do not want disclosed:** No