

## 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 No opportunities?

What do you feel are the significant challenges and opportunities we face?

Water quality

Which of the proposed options would you like to Option 2: statutory work and prior commitments see us progress with?

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

Water and Land Yes

Biodiversity and Biosecurity Yes

Climate Change and Community Resilience No

Air Quality, Transport and Urban Development No 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): Is the proposed increase in rates affordable for Neither option is affordable your household? Is the proposed increase in rates affordable as a No whole for the Canterbury community? Do you support the changes we're proposing to No how we apply Uniform Annual General Charges? Any further comments on Uniform Annual General Charges? UAGC are a fair way to pay for services that cover a large proportion of the population, as such the UAGC proportion should be higher Would you support the use of borrowing for No operating expenditure to offset some of the first year rates? Any further comments on the use of borrowing for operating expenditure? Borrowing should only be used for long term capital projects that have benefits over at least a generation Do you support the rationale and proposed Yes changes in the draft Fees and Charges Policy? Where do you live in Canterbury? Select your Ashburton district district below: 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

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

The Hekeao Hinds Managed Aquifer Recharge is a pilot of environmental infrastructure to address water quality. To continue enhancing this infrastructure, the project would require ongoing targeted rates from the Ashburton district. Find out more [link]. Do you want to see this project continue?

## Any further comments on Hekeao Hinds Managed Aquifer Recharge? Yes

The rate payers that this scheme involves should be the only rate payers that are involved in making this decision

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?

- Social media (Facebook, Instagram, Twitter)
- **Environment Canterbury website**
- Newspaper
- Meeting, hui or event

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