

**From:** Environment Canterbury  
**Sent:** Wednesday, 16 March 2022 2:15 pm  
**To:** Have your Say  
**Subject:** Submission on draft Annual Plan 2022/23

Anonymous User just submitted 'Draft Annual Plan 2022/23 submission' with the responses below.

**First name**

Lee

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**Last name**

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**Email address**

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**Suburb**

Shirley, Christchurch

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**Phone number**

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**Are you submitting on behalf of an organisation?**

No, I'm submitting as an individual

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**Which age category are you in?**

40-64 years old

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**Do you wish to speak to your submission at a Council hearing?**

No

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**Which bus fare structure option would you like to see trialled?**

Option 1 (preferred): Fare-free for under 25s, students, Total Mobility and Community Services card holders

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**Tell us more about why you support the selected bus fare option.**

Greatest emissions reduction, and more financially accessible transport for people with low-income. I use the bus a few times a week and can comfortably afford the cost, but it's an obstacle for some friends on much lower incomes.

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**Is borrowing and repaying through general rates the right approach for this regionally significant event?**

Don't know

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**Which option for distribution of rates in Ashburton River rating district do you support?**

I don't have a preference

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**Would you support a levy to accelerate action in response to climate change?**

Yes

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**What current or future projects or activities would you like to see funded by such a levy?**

In-person demos and explanations about our bin system (to save contamination of recycling/organics and reduce landfill). So many people I talk to are still unclear about it, despite there being great information online, on the sides of the trucks, apps, and all kinds of other places. Word of mouth and

hands-on info seem to impact people. These could be run in community housing blocks, at workplaces, community centres, school staffrooms, schools themselves, libraries, sports clubs etc. Free or cheap training community centres etc about how to grow veges at home (in pots or a vege garden) and how to compost their own green waste.

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**Any other comments on future funding for responding to climate change?**

We already have some great things in place! The existing bus system and bin system, cycleways, community gardens, and some great Kiwi businesses and social enterprises helping people access greener options.

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**Any other comments on Environment Canterbury's draft Annual Plan or other matters?**

No Answer

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**Where did you hear about the consultation?**

Email

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