

From: Environment Canterbury
Sent: Tuesday, 15 March 2022 11:05 am
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

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Last name

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Email address

Are you submitting on behalf of an organisation?

No, I'm submitting as an individual

Which age category are you in?

65+ years old

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

No

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

Option 3: Tertiary student concession

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

Of the three options listed this is my preference but I believe all people should pay the true cost and the buses be run at a profit or at worst break even. Should not be subsidised.

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

Yes

How else might we pay for our share of this work?

Support some borrowing short term.

How do you think recovery from flooding of this scale – events that impact state highways, bridges, rail and power for example – should be funded in the future?

Government

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

Option 2 (status quo): Keep the current distribution of rates in the Ashburton River rating district.

Any other comments on flood protection in Ashburton?

Although it was a rare event it was not unexpected that this could and would happen. A lot of the flooding would not have happened if your organisation had used more old fashioned common sense. Talk to the older residents and use their advice instead of following so called experts from universities with no practical or common sense knowledge

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

No

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

Forget climate change! It is not a problem and all money spent on this should go to other things. It is an entirely false religion and anybody with a basic knowledge of science knows this.

Where did you hear about the consultation?

Other (please specify) - Don't know
