From:	Environment Canterbury
Sent:	Friday, 11 March 2022 2:18 pm
То:	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

Simone

Last name

Mullan

Email address

Suburb

Rangiora, Rangiora

Phone number

Are you submitting on behalf of an organisation?

No, I'm submitting as an individual

Which age category are you in?

40-64 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 2: \$2 flat fare for adults and \$1.20 for children across bus zones 1, 2 and 3

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

I am in a special education role at a local high school. Public Bus transport features as a life skill for young people with disabilities, within our programme. Access to further connection with the disability community in Christchurch is key for these young people. Cost is always a factor for our families and limits the options we are able to choose when considering educational, social and community learning opportunities. Option 2 would allow adult carers of people with disabilities to adequately support them during this learning. The target is towards increasing independence for these young people.

Any other comments on bus fares?

As an individual, I would also want to use the bus for travel to Christchurch. It would mean a huge saving on petrol and parking.

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

Don't know

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

I don't have a preference

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

Meeting or event