From:	Environment Canterbury
Sent:	Wednesday, 9 March 2022 5:12 pm
То:	Have your Say
Subject:	Submission on draft Annual Plan 2022/23
Anonymous User just sub	mitted 'Draft Annual Plan 2022/23 submission' with the responses below.
First name	
Adrian	
Last name	
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Email address	
Suburb	
Shirley, Christchurch	
Phone number	
Are you submitting on be	
Which age category are y	ou in?

25-39 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.
As much as I would like more people to rely on public transport. The recent lack of drivers makes me question the suitability of maintaining the load of passengers especially during times of Covid 19. The proposal for a flat fee feels more reasonable even for children. I am more concern with the lack of drivers and sudden change in the time tables over the going rates. If the council can afford to pay drivers for what they are worth. Perhaps payment for such a service is more sustainable as opposed to using a "Free" marketing gimmick to attract more people. Elderly/TM/CSCH folks should get it for free. But everyone else who are able to work or have welfare benefits are more than capable of paying for a bus ride.
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?
Don't know

Where did you hear about the consultation?