

From: Environment Canterbury
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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.

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

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

Free buses for all young people would encourage the next generation to get used to public transport instead of using cars. Transport and the price of petrol becomes more difficult to afford with the Royce of petrol, so assisting our youngest should be a priority.

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

No

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

I would like to see a fund which is part of rates but clearly earmarked and solely to be used for these kind of disasters, including mitigating risks, not just responding to disasters, which are likely to become more common with climate change in the future.

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?

See note above.

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

Yes

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

Flood protection, education and ensuring those who pollute, for example our waterways, not only change their practices but also are accountable. I would like to see schools and the fixation sector involved, participating and giving young people a chance to be part of projects, to learn about citizenship and give them a sense of agency about their own future.

Where did you hear about the consultation?

Word of mouth

Social media (Facebook, Instagram)
