

From: Environment Canterbury
Sent: Saturday, 5 March 2022 10:55 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.

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Suburb

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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.

Public transport should be more accessible to those on lower incomes.

Any other comments on bus fares?

Public transport needs to be far more accessible and far more useful to everyone! Massive engagement with citizens is needed to achieve this.

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

Yes

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?

Engage with citizens about climate change impacts. Empower us to make decisions on what level of future risk, and what level of cost, we will accept and the plans that are therefore required.

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

I don't have a preference

Any other comments on flood protection in Ashburton?

Engage with citizens about climate change impacts. Empower us to make decisions on what level of future risk, and what level of cost, we will accept and the plans that are therefore required.

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?

Engage with citizens about climate change impacts. Empower us to make decisions on what level of future risk, and what level of cost, we will accept and the plans that are therefore required.

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

There will be a never ending requirement for funding in this area unless communities are empowered to make significant change. Let's move past the ambulance at the bottom of the cliff. We need a long term vision for this, despite the effective constraints of short electoral cycles.

Where did you hear about the consultation?

Social media (Facebook, Instagram)
