

From: Environment Canterbury
Sent: Friday, 4 March 2022 7:36 am
To: Have your Say
Subject: Submission on draft Annual Plan 2022/23

mtespa just submitted 'Draft Annual Plan 2022/23 submission' with the responses below.

First name

Mike

Last name

Emslie

Email address

Suburb

Lincoln, Lincoln

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 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.

It will best support those in our community most in need of support.

Any other comments on bus fares?

Free public transport is a great idea.

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

Don't know

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

It all depends on the economic cycle, which is on the turn. If borrowing can be done cheaply at fixed rates then borrow.

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?

Debt is fine if it cheap and sustainable and fixed interest.

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?

Yes

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

No Answer

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

No Answer

Any other comments on Environment Canterbury's draft Annual Plan or other matters?

STOP treating dairy farmers with kid gloves. Keep their nitrates out of our ground water and methane out of our atmosphere. You overestimate public sympathy and tolerance for their economic model. Fund vigorous enforcement.

Where did you hear about the consultation?

Email
