

From: Environment Canterbury
Sent: Thursday, 3 March 2022 1:33 pm
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.

First name

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Last name

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Email address

Suburb

North New Brighton, Christchurch

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.

Currently the bus fares are not cheap and so less people use them as it can sometimes be dearer than using the car. If there is a flat \$2 rate, it may lead more people to use the buses. The cheaper the ride, the more people will use them.

Any other comments on bus fares?

Every time the fares increase, less people use the buses. By offering free fares for some, and not others, there is an element of discrimination. People who work and get just above the minimum wage aren't eligible for community service card.

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

Yes

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

DONT sell assets. They provide an income.

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?

A combination of funds being put aside for investments specifically form this type of event, insurance and the govt.

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?

No

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?

Climate specific events that are openly discussed in public events.

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

This is urgent. But needs to be consistent and looking at the long term. Work with local Iwi

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

No

If you would like to give feedback via video, add a link to YouTube clip or Dropbox file below

No

Where did you hear about the consultation?

Email
