

From: Environment Canterbury
Sent: Thursday, 3 March 2022 1:37 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

Sarah

Last name

Hunter

Email address

Suburb

Wigram, Christchurch

Are you submitting on behalf of an organisation?

No, I'm submitting as an individual

Which age category are you in?

15– 24 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.

As a tertiary student, I fully support the proposal to reduce/remove fares for tertiary students. It would make taking the bus to uni a more viable option financially. I think option 1 is ideal because this extends past your typical university period to the beginning of your career (when you haven't started earning a good salary yet). It would also be beneficial to anyone with financial hardship, disabilities, etc.

Any other comments on bus fares?

Regardless of what outcome you go for, please make sure that tertiary students can receive cheaper fares than the current adult ones! As a 20 year old university student, I don't see why I should have to pay more than double the child's fare!

Where did you hear about the consultation?

Email
