

From: Environment Canterbury
Sent: Wednesday, 23 March 2022 1:22 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

Riccarton, 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 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.

I agree tertiary students should get discounted fares, but instead of fare-free for only a select number of Christchurch residents we should offer a discount to all residents.

Any other comments on bus fares?

As a student who moved to Christchurch, the buses were the thing that decided I did not require a car. If fares remain low for everyone, then I will not be tempted to get a car once I finish studying.

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?

Those that chose to live in endangered suburbs should take the brunt of the cost.

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?

Government funding for upgrades if we show a plan for the future that is well thought through.

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

Option 1 (preferred): Redistribute rates in the Ashburton River rating district.

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?

Reasonable upgrades to infrastructure that is located in areas that make sense to protect.

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

Don't mind a small increase (as long as I see it spent in my suburb) but should avoid a large jump in rates. Specific projects in suburbs should be partly funded through rates but the rest made up from suburb residents to avoid those who picked safer suburbs (planned ahead) having to foot the bill for those who chose the endangered suburbs (even though most people have heard the issues expected due to climate change).

Where did you hear about the consultation?

Email
