

**From:** Environment Canterbury  
**Sent:** Tuesday, 22 March 2022 10:23 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**

William

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**Last name**

Shannon

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**Email address**

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**Suburb**

Somerfield, Christchurch

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**Phone number**

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**Are you submitting on behalf of an organisation?**

No, I'm submitting as an individual

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**Which age category are you in?**

25-39 years old

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**Do you wish to speak to your submission at a Council hearing?**

No

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**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

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**Tell us more about why you support the selected bus fare option.**

This will have maximum impact in terms of reducing spending for those who need it most and reducing emissions. While I would not qualify for any savings under this proposal, in fact it would end up costing me more through the rates I pay, we cannot delay taking action on climate change, nor supporting those who need it most. Therefore, I'm happy to support this.

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**Any other comments on bus fares?**

I support Option 1 fully.

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

Don't know

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

I don't have a preference

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**Would you support a levy to accelerate action in response to climate change?**

Yes

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**Where did you hear about the consultation?**

Social media (Facebook, Instagram)

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