From:	Environment Canterbury
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То:	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

Dencil

## **Email address**

Suburb

Papanui, Christchurch

**Phone number** 

## 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.

I am a full time student who have class everyday. My part time pay doesn't help me cover all my bills and to top up my metro card twice or sometimes even thrice a week. I value my education and I am already paying so much to do my course and therefore I would appreciate it if I didn't have to pay so much for my transport to the UC. Therefore believe that a free fare would help out thousands of students like me who are in tertiary level of education.

#### Any other comments on bus fares?

Either a free fare or a tertiary student concession would be great and helpful

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

Don't know

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

Yes

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

Email