

**From:** Environment Canterbury  
**Sent:** Monday, 21 March 2022 3:43 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**

Anna

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**Last name**

Baker

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**Email address**

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**Suburb**

Beckenham, Christchurch

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**Phone number**

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

Yes, I'm submitting on behalf of an organisation

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**Which organisation are you submitting on behalf of?**

Epilepsy New Zealand

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**Which age category are you in?**

40-64 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.**

The lack of affordable transport impacts health, education, employment, social life and wellbeing of the clients I work with. Those that cannot drive and rely on buses or Total Mobility often struggle with the costs of public transport if used on a regular basis. These transport cost for many that live on low incomes has been known to make people stay at home and become quite isolated.

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

Don't know

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

Email

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