

From: Environment Canterbury
Sent: Friday, 18 March 2022 4:43 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.

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Email address

Suburb

Lincoln, Lincoln

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'm a tertiary student studying at Lincoln University. At the moment, the easiest travel option for me is by car or carpooling. However, with the increasing gas price, this might be a challenge to our transport budget that is already limited. Walking to uni is also an option, but it is highly dependent on the weather. The bus system and timetable around Lincoln are already great, and it would be even better if more people are actually using it as the buses are running on empty most of the time. By making the fare free for students, they will be more likely to ditch their cars and switch to buses.

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

Don't know
