

From: Environment Canterbury
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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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Are you submitting on behalf of an organisation?

No, I'm submitting as an individual

Which age category are you in?

25-39 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.

Least complex and hence easier to implement, still generates revenue and not huge whack of increase to rates etc, also leaves options for booster schemes like free weekends or one half price fare for travelling together

Any other comments on bus fares?

Action urgently needed, if not on fares then on zones. zone one should include lincoln, springston, rolleston due to current sprawl and commuting habits. I really want to take the bus regularly but it's just too expensive to justify when in Zone 2.

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

No

How else might we pay for our share of this work?

Tax companies that have profited from polluting/silting rivers and cheaper rents of Ashburton e.g. Talleys, Fonterra, Synlait

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?

Increasing big business tax, tax on multiple property owners and properties over a certain size

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

I don't have a preference

Any other comments on flood protection in Ashburton?

involve people with years of local knowledge around flood cycles, recycle/redistribute rubbish/recycling to make sandbank type materials

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

Don't know

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

Focus on closing loops rather than trying to add 'layers'. how can we link things that exist in to areas of need?

Any other comments on Environment Canterbury's draft Annual Plan or other matters?

Please change the buses!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
