From:	Environment Canterbury
Sent:	Saturday, 26 March 2022 2:05 pm
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**

Deborah

Last name

Chandler

# **Email address**

**Phone number** 

# Are you submitting on behalf of an organisation?

No, I'm submitting as an individual

#### Which age category are you in?

40-64 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 not so concerned about free fares for under 25's - I think they should pay but students should be able to pay a child's fare. Mainly though, I'm a supporter for those with disabilities to be able to travel for free. Life is hard enough for them to get around. My mother is in a wheelchair, so I know. I also think those with hidden disabilities should be able to travel for free e.g. intellectual disabilities, autism, especially if they cannot drive. I suppose they would get free fares because they would likely have a community services card.

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

Yes

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

Option 1 (preferred): Redistribute rates in the Ashburton River rating district.

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

Yes

## Where did you hear about the consultation?

Word of mouth