

Our Community Plan Submission - Received by Email

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I do NOT wish to make a personal submission at the hearing, and ask that this written submission be considered.

Re: Christchurch Flat Water Sports Facility. \$10.00M 2004/14 CCC Plan – Page 35-38

I am opposed to any moves being made to provide a Flat Water Sports Facility - with the prospects of national or international competitions being hosted.

The South Island currently has 2 facilities that are up to international standards:

1. Lake Hood – approx. 1 hour from Christchurch
2. Lake Taniwha – approx. 3-4 hours from Christchurch.

I would prefer to see money being invested in Kerr's Reach, where the associated clubs already have their sheds, etc. Develop the area there, say spend \$500,000 making more use of the land surrounding the river, allowing more sheds to be built, widening, dredging, etc. and then annually ensure that money is spent cutting/clearing out the weed.

Why does Christchurch think it has to have international facilities for every sport?

Why not let other cities, towns etc. have some financial return from hosting internationals, and Christchurch people could travel to those areas themselves, and see some other parts of NZ.

Re: New Civic Offices Building - \$53.71M 2004/14 CCC Plan - Page 29.

I am opposed to New Civic Offices Building – as I believe that use of an existing building would be adequate, if it is even necessary to move from the current building.

I believe there are a number of buildings in Christchurch that are vacant.

Re: New Swimming Pool - \$10M 2004/14CCC Plan - Page 29

I am opposed to spending this amount of money for yet another swimming pool in Christchurch. A lesser amount of money should be set aside to ensure that what pools we already have are maintained and if necessary upgraded.