

# Summary submission form

## Instructions

You may send us your submission...

### Please read before completing your submission

It will help us process your submission if you clearly state the issue you want the Council to consider, what specific action you think the Council should take, and why that should be done.

If you wish, you can present your submission at a hearing. (If that is the case, please tick the box). The hearings will be held between Thursday 25 May and Wednesday 7 June 2006. Generally, 10 minutes are allocated for hearing each submission, including time for questions.

It will help us if your submission also refers to the page of either the full version or the summary version.

Please note: we are legally required to make all written or electronic submissions available to Councillors and to the public. This includes the name and address of the submitter. All submissions will be published on the Council's website from 10 May 2006.

No anonymous submissions will be accepted.

### By mail

Please mail your submission (no stamp is required) to:

Freeport 178  
Our Community Plan  
Christchurch City Council  
PO Box 237  
Christchurch 8003

### By email

Please email your submission to:  
ccc-plan@ccc.govt.nz  
Please make sure that your full name and address is included with your submission.

### On the internet

You may enter your submission using the form provided on the Council's web site at:  
<http://www.ccc.govt.nz>  
Please follow all the instructions on the web site.

Please remember to indicate if you wish to present your submission in person at one of the hearings.

Please ensure your submission arrives no later than Friday 5 May 2006.

## Your submission

You may use this form for your submission on the draft Our Community Plan if you wish. Whether you use this form or not, please include your name, address and contact telephone number with your submission.

Tick one  I do NOT wish to present my submission at the hearing, and ask that this written submission be considered OR  I wish to talk to the main points in my written submission at the hearings to be held between Thursday 25 May and Wednesday 7 June 2006

Are you completing this submission:  For yourself  On behalf of a group or organisation

If you are representing a group or organisation, how many people do you represent?

My submission refers to:  Full version  Page No.  Summary version  Page No. 8

Do you also want to respond to:  Development Contributions  Aquatic Facilities  Other

Contact Name Richard Wells

Organisation name (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Address 186 Harwood Rd Paparua

Phone No. (day) 3544427 Phone No. (evening) \_\_\_\_\_

Email (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_

Signature [Signature] Date 20/4/06



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Please be as specific as possible to help us understand your views

## Questions

See list of major projects in the summary document

1 Do you have any comments on the major projects in our draft Our Community Plan? page number **4**

*I am mystified as to need or demand for a Bot Garden 'Project'. Is this some grand 'pet'? This is a world class facility AS IS & I fear the beauty & atmosphere of this rare place could be encroached upon or polluted by such intrusion. Leave well alone!*

*'Tree Renewal' seems massive at 17m. Mr Steinegg's was on any tree that is old is at the root of this. Change his ways & save!*

2 Do you have any comments on groups of activities (the activities and services that Council provides)? page number **8**

*I deflate utterly the mooted proposal to close suburban libraries. This is a cynical suburban attack on vital institutions which are at the heart of local villages. They are vital to the social, intellectual & recreational needs of many who live in Bishopdale Redwood etc. Christchurch is in fact a series of suburban villages - despite Moore's passion for 'city' living - and this is where the majority live, shop & use their libraries, all ages & many purposes. Closure would be monstrous & ridiculous. If poisons exist on the wrong end of the facilities spectrum, libraries are on the right.*

*No are pools & they need upgrading not closing. In an age of obesity and poor physical condition among many, pools have an important role.*

3 Do you have any other comments or suggestions you want to make? page number

*I resent the Council's increasing bias towards the city at the expense of suburban dwellers. Bot Garden Cath Sq City Mall Bus Exh etc - huge expenditure for often questionable outcomes. To slash suburban facilities in order to pay for floors & 'wow' is simply wicked*

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Submission #:

Referred to:

Date referred:

Date required:

Heard:  Yes  No

You may add more pages if you wish. Thank you for your submission.