

our community plan 2006 to 16 draft summary

Summary submission form

Instructions

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.

You may send us your submission...

By mail

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

Freepost 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

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Summary version

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Do you also want to respond to:

Development Contributions

Aquatic Facilities

Other

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Phone No. (day)

3229914

Phone No. (evening)

3225603

Email (if applicable)

Signature

Date

5 May 2006

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

Questions

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

New Bus Exchange: Can we please have major community consultation on this project. In light of ever-increasing fuel costs, careful consideration needs to be given to changing vehicle (and bus) usage trends over the next 10 years.

Could the \$59.5 million cost be reduced for a simpler alternative. This is 4.2% of Council's proposed Major Projects spending over the next 10 years!!

Are light rail alternatives being considered in conjunction with this idea??

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

Waterways: Please consider including recreational usage options for stormwater management issues at Henderson Rd ponding basin (eg. kayaking)

Page 11 Libraries: Consider a user pays system for Library users (offsetting any proposed closures). A sliding scale per annum charge (adults only)

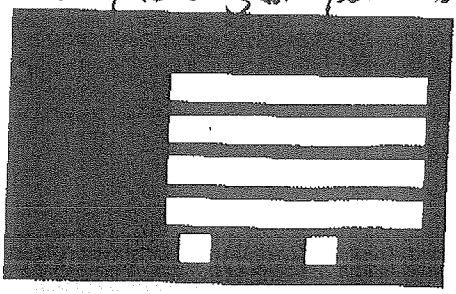
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10 - 100 books p.a.	\$5 membership fee
100+ books p.a.	\$10 " "

I'm a regular (weekly) user and would be happy to pay to maintain services.

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

Community Support: Due to increasing travel costs could the Council consider an increased emphasis on supporting transport via the 'Community Bus' concept running in many smaller towns. Many people (elderly, children) only need a short ride that a bus doesn't accommodate for.

Please consider setting these up in suburbs (including funding for purchase of vehicles) in conjunction with community groups eg churches, Lions/Rotary etc.



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