

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:

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

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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. 3, 4, 7 & 8 above Summary version Page No.

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

Contact Name J. R. TURNBULL

Organisation name (if applicable) _____

Contact Address 11 MARYHILL AVE

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Phone No. (day) 3383.177 Phone No. (evening) _____

Email (if applicable) _____

Signature J. Turnbull Date 17-4-06



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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**
- No mention is made of cost for the new civic office buildings except the fit-out \$4.3 million*
- We were told a short time ago how wonderful the bus exchange is - now there is talk of a new exchange! Also the new Art Gallery requires more expenditure. Over 11 million on a visit centre in the Gardens is not warranted - most people go to see the gardens - some charge should be made for this. New bus fares stop a lot of older people even seeing the Art Gallery & the Gardens*
- 2 Do you have any comments on groups of activities (the activities and services that Council provides)? page number **8**
- Closing libraries is not on to save \$450,000 when it is proposed to spend \$525,000 lighting up the Cathedral in the Square.*
- Shreydon has already had part of Bentanial Park taken for a school. This piece of land was original park which the council used for a time promising to restore to park when no longer needed. But when the time came, one councillor in particular pushed for the school. That councillor was not re-elected, but that part of Bentanial Park was lost to the rate payers.*
- The new valuation added over 9% to our rates & the increases mentioned to come, will rapidly raise rates 50% compounded.*
- 3 Do you have any other comments or suggestions you want to make? page number **3**
- It is noted over 25% of rates are spent on Cultural & learning services and community support, despite the fact that we pay taxes to the Government for education & social welfare.*
- This means that people on low or fixed incomes are paying for rates which will soon be 10% of their net incomes. Loan rates are increasing as are Insurances & maintenance.*
- When Community Boards handout payments to groups etc, it is someones hard savings!! Please demolish that terrible building at Hillmorton Hospital.*

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

For office use only

Submission #: _____

Referred to: _____

Date referred: _____

Date required: _____

Heard: Yes No