

# LTCCP 2006-16 SUBMISSION

Submissions close on 5 May 2006

**I do NOT wish to present my submission at the hearing, and ask that this submission be considered.**

**I am completing this submission:**  
For yourself

**Number of people you represent:**

**My submission refers to:**  
Summary Version of the LTCCP

**Page Number:**  
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**I also want to respond to:**

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<b>Your Submission:</b>	<p><b>Do you have any comments on the major projects in our Draft Community Plan?</b></p> <p>refers to pg 9 and 11. One of the achievements for success of the cultural and learning services page says more visits to the art gallery, however we think these types of successes could be better achieved by using more of the budget for City Development as this is what will get people out and about and hence there will be more people around, it will make the city a more vibrant, clean and safe place. Presently there is no reason to go to the central city unless there is something specific you wish to do, we envisage the city as a place where people go just to be there.</p> <p>refers to pg 4 and pg 18. Transport issues such as cycle and bus priority lanes need to be addressed and completed prior to building the new bus exchange, ie the money should be spent on getting these better forms of transport priority over private vehicles.</p> <p>refers to pg 9. There shouldn't be a targeted rate for the upgrade of city mall as it benefits the entire community of Christchurch when we are not having targeted rates for new green field developments which benefit only a small number of people.</p> <p>environment- the council should be actively engaged in re-use over and above the recycling schemes currently in place. This means the council should include more recycling facilities around, particularly in the busy areas such as the central city, and take more effort to re-use and recycling at its own facilities. For example a while ago we asked if there was a recycling bin at the central library and were told there was only one for paper. On page 6 the plan states (under the environment section) "everybody takes responsibility for their impact on the natural environment". We would like to see this happen rather than just talking about it. In addition, business and commercial recycling schemes need to be brought in otherwise the current recycling schemes are just for show.</p>
	<p><b>Do you have any comments on groups of activities (The activities and services the Council provides?)</b></p>

**Your Submission  
(Cont'd):**

**Do you have any other comments or suggestions you want to make?**

The Community plan was not very well advertised with not many people we spoke to knowing about it. This is interesting when you consider the last paragraph in the introduction which says the community plan is the main way the people of christchurch can influence what the council does.

Words such as sustainable are used throughout the plan, however there seems to be no evidence of how this is really going to be done, or the quoted plans do not go far enough.

Safety- even though Christchurch is a relatively safe city it doesnt feel safe because it is untidy and dirty with a lot of broken glass always present on the streets and footpaths. We suggest brining in litter wardens to begin to remedy this problem.