

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:
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I also want to respond to:

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Your Submission:	<p>Do you have any comments on the major projects in our Draft Community Plan?</p> <p>City Mall renovation. This needs to take into account that a growing percentage of the population are over 60 and have a finite amount of spending money. Currently there are less and less shops catering for older people and thus little need for us to venture into the central city. As office workers are also moving out into the suburbs it is little wonder that the central city is dying.</p> <p>On-street parking meters with a time-limit of 3 hours would also be most beneficial giving one more time to enjoy one's visit, particularly near the Library, Art Gallery, Museum and Art Centre.</p>
	<p>Do you have any comments on groups of activities (The activities and services the Council provides?)</p> <p>The reductions proposed appear to cut right at the heart of "communities" which are the basis of this whole document. As Peak Oil draws closer the immediate neighbourhood will be the main focus for most of our population. Therefore it will be seen to have been most shortsighted to have cut down on the services as proposed on page 8 of the summary plan. Libraries are and should remain as one of the most important services and Council representatives in each community especially as they please people from 0 - 100. In addition to the contributions listed on page 11, Health should be added, as libraries contribute to the psychological, emotional, and social health of our people. Also Recreation, in the fullest sense of the concept as reading is also a recreational activity enjoyed by many.</p> <p>Community Halls and Swimming pools maybe falling into a state of disrepair, but better facilities should be provided, though not necessarily on a grand scale- time for some lateral thinking on the part of town planners.</p>
	<p>Do you have any other comments or suggestions you want to make?</p>