

# 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

### 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.

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

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

See list of major projects in the summary document

## Questions

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

The projects are great, one comment would be that it is focused on the external of city life. It would be good to see more of a focus on the people using the city. As employees of a social service agency (Christchurch Resettlement Services) our focus is on the wellbeing of people and their family as well as community.

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

Community support with the outcomes of Safety, Community, Governance, Prosperity and Health fit very well with our concerns for our client group. Refugee people are possibly the most vulnerable group of people in our city and thus are deserving of our ongoing support to enable a successful resettlement. By celebrating and promoting Christchurch's diversity we need to help build strong people so they can also celebrate their own sense of belonging. To do this we need to continue to fund and support professional Resettlement Services delivery.

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

Christchurch Resettlement Services (CRS) needs ongoing Council funding and support to enable Refugee people to participate fully in what the City has to offer. Within this vulnerable group exists an even more marginalised sub-group. Refugee young people struggle to come to terms with cultural conflicts and require specialised professional support such as provided by CRS. Migrant

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Date required:

Heard:  Yes  No

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

Youth are also very vulnerable for the same reasons.