

Our Community Plan 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 our draft 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? Approx 100

My submission refers to: Full version Page No. Summary version 6.12 Page No.

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

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Submission from Manuka Cottage re LTCCP

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Community

We commend the Christchurch City Council on its past record of resourcing community groups and support the continued allocation of grants to groups which enables the CCC to achieve its goal of being a city of inclusive and diverse community.

Christchurch has a large number of community groups which creates opportunities for many people to participate and belong in the community.

We submit that the community libraries i.e. Redwood, Bishopdale and Spreydon should be retained as their loss would impact particularly on the elderly and people without transport. Local amenities allow people to participate in their local community.

We submit that people need basic amenities locally that they can utilise often rather than larger higher quality facilities that are further away ,cost more to get to and more to access.

Environment

To protect the natural environment we submit that the council creates a sustainable development approach using a quadruple bottom line to measure the sustainability for all proposed activities [economic,environmental, social,and sustainable] All should be explicit in decision making

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Governance

We applaud the opportunity to participate in local government decision making but submit that more time is needed for consultation particularly in relation to the time frame around the LTCCP.

We submit that the CCC need to be transparent in its decision making particularly re strategic assets i.e. port, airport and bus companies

The Local Government Act 2002,section 14 [1][d] provides opportunities for Maori to contribute to its decision-making processes. It also [under Section 82] requires the Council to ensure that processes are in place for consultation with Maori.

We submit that the LTCCP needs more detail in respect of its processes for consultation with all people who identify as Maori.

Thank you for the opportunity to have our say and thank you for the continued support of our work in the community.