

## LTCCP 2006-16 Submission - Received by Email

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<b>Your Submission:</b>	<p>Draft Plan nm re Closure of Redwood and Bishopdale Libraries</p> <p>Hello.</p> <p>We would like to share our opinion on the proposed library closures. We are totally against this proposal and surely hope it will not eventuate. The library is an essential part of any community, enclosing the interests of young and old alike. We are in a society where education is considered a priority and at the forefront of our society remaining civilised and knowledgeable. The catch phrase of any educationalist is "read read read", yet here we have the council discussing the removal of such a valuable resource from the community. Local schools, pupils, pre-schools, kindergartens and residents utilise our local libraries. To even consider their removal is outrageous.</p> <p>Please take our opinion into consideration. The local library is something of a New Zealand institution. Our forefathers would be rolling in their graves, if they were aware of what was being considered.</p> <p>Yours Sincerely.</p> <p>The Mather Family Redwood.</p>