

4 Northwood Villas,
Belfast.

Christchurch.

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The Mayor,
Christchurch City Council
Christchurch.

Dear Sir, Re: Swimming Pool & Library
Closures.

I wish to point out that, ^{as you know,} new communities are springing up on the outskirts of Christchurch. I live in one myself. However, I am appalled that you are prepared to strip the old well established communities of their life blood, swimming pools and libraries. Together with schools, they are the focal point for people in the area and serve a social, educational and recreational need. How dare the

Council decide that spending half a million dollars on the Converge conference is more important than the welfare of people?

Please reverse the closure decisions.

Your Faithfully

A.M. Torrance

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(partner of A.G Running Taxpayer. I pay $\frac{1}{2}$ the rates.)