

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:

Freeport 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?

My submission refers to: Full version Page No. Summary version 8 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

Questions

See list of major projects in the Summary document

- ① Do you have any comments on the major projects in our draft Community Plan? page number 8
- Like the rest of my family I am a very regular user of Bishopdale library and am shocked and disappointed in the Council for planning its closure. It is well used and one of the most conveniently situated libraries, near supermarkets, shops, banks, post office and other services with easy and plentiful parking. (I went to Fenalton service centre last month and the library was empty!). The saving would be small in terms of proposed expenditure, but the loss to the community enormous.
- ② Do you have any comments on groups of activities (the activities and services that Council provides)? page number 4 and 16

I have no argument with "Essential projects" page 4, but, think \$17.2 M seems a bit excessive for tree renewal, and at \$4.3M the fittings in the new Council offices must be very high quality.

Page 16 Refuse minimisation and disposal is in my opinion a very important issue, and I congratulate the Council on educating the population and providing recycling facilities.

- ③ Do you have any other comments or suggestions you want to make? page number 8
- Page 1 states we are an ageing community. Many older people are more comfortable using Bishopdale shopping centre than the large malls. They are regular users of the library and many would not, or could not, go to Paparua without being taken. It is important to preserve older people's independence and enjoyment of life. Libraries are a great way of keeping minds alert as well as providing enjoyment for

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

the not so active. My own mother is really distraught at the thought of closing the library. I note Halswell library is mentioned as a discretionary project costing \$8.15 M. - surely you can spare something to keep the Bishopdale library - I would personally prefer higher rates than lose this asset.