

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

Questions

See list of major projects in the summary document

1 Do you have any comments on the major projects in our draft Our Community Plan? page number 14

Does the need for the proposed spending of \$10.8 million on the Botanic Gardens project. As a community plan, is this a direct, and necessary benefit to the Ch.Ch. community?. Or perhaps more of a benefit to the non-community visitors to Ch.Ch.

2 Do you have any comments on groups of activities (the activities and services that Council provides)? page number 8

I question the above in view of the proposed reduction in local community services and activities, such as the closure of local swimming pools and libraries. My experience with and direct opposition to, is the proposed closure of my local Edgeware Swimming Pool. This will come at some cost to our local community. In summer my children and others often use the pool, taking themselves off there by walking or biking. The popular Edgeware Swim Club work their magic every summer, teaching children to swim and swim even better. At least one local school uses the pool because of it's convenience for their pupils. For this community plan, care should be taken to first consider the benefits to local communities before expanding to the wider ChCh community, and only then what might benefit others, the visitors, the developers and others less community minded.

3 Do you have any other comments or suggestions you want to make? page number 4

To properly target and levy residential developers and residential developments, especially those outside central city area, so that true costs of providing the additional utility services, commuting into the city are met. Investing some of this levy into mass transport systems which will be needed in the 'near' future.

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Date required:

Heard: Yes No

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