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Submission Form

PLEASE READ BEFORE COMPLETING YOUR SUBMISSION

The public consultation period is from Tuesday 10 March 2009 to Thursday 16 April 2009.

It will help us if you clearly:

- state the issue you want the Council to consider;
- state what specific action you think the Council should take, and
- state why that should be done.
- type or use black ink for your submission.

Please note: We are legally required to make all written or electronic submissions available to the public and to Councillors, including the name and address of the submitter. In making submissions available to the public, the submissions will be posted electronically on the Council's website. Information will be available to the public subject to the provisions of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987. If you consider there to be compelling reasons why your contact details and/or submission should be kept confidential, you should contact the Council Support Team, telephone 941 8999.

You may send us your submission:

On the internet:

You may enter your submission using the form provided on the Council's website at www.ccc.govt.nz/ltccp

By email:

ccc-plan@ccc.govt.nz

Please make sure that your full name and address is included with your submission.

By mail:

(no stamp is required) to:

Freepost 178

Draft LTCCP

Christchurch City Council

PO Box 237

Christchurch 8140

No anonymous submissions will be accepted.

Whether you use this form or not, you must provide your full name, address and telephone number. If you are submitting on behalf of an organisation please state this and your role within that organisation.

Submissions must be received (NOT postmarked) at the Tuam Street Civic Offices no later than 5pm on Thursday 16 April 2009. To ensure receipt, hand deliver last-minute submissions to the Civic Offices, 163-173 Tuam Street.

Your submission

If you wish, you can present your submission at a hearing. If that is the case, please tick the appropriate box below. The hearings will be held from 11 May 2009 to 18 May 2009. Five to ten minutes will be allocated for speaking to your submission, including time for questions from the Councillors. The Council will confirm the date and time of your hearing in writing, by email or by telephone call.

- Tick one I do NOT wish to discuss my submission at the hearing, and ask that this written submission be considered OR I wish to discuss the main points in my written submission at the hearings to be held between Monday 11 May 2009 and Monday 18 May 2009.

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?

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Please be as specific as possible to help us understand your views.

What do you want the Council to consider? What specific action you think the Council should take?
Why should this be done?

The Council should complete the Charteris Bay Water and Waste Water Scheme by the widely advertised and advised date of mid 2010.

Reasons: The area has no services, inadequate/non existent storm water drainage and provides an unhealthy environment for the over 100 permanently occupied houses and 60 odd holiday homes.

The terrain is unsuited to septic tank disposal and pollution is both evident and inevitable of the environs and harbour.

For over a decade I have, as chairman of the Charteris Bay Residents Association (resigned last AGM), heard from Banks Peninsula and City mayors Noeline Allan and Bob Parker that the current sewage disposal and water collection methods pose a health hazard of considerable proportions to the residents. We have been advised by the above worthies and/or their staff that mains water and sewage would be provided, firstly by 2008 latterly by 2010. That this has now been sidelined to an unbudgeted wish list for possibly 2012 to 2014 is totally unacceptable and a dereliction of Council's core responsibility to provide adequate basic services to it's ratepayers. Incidental but germane is the fact that we pay the same rates as city ratepayers with the exception of water and sewage but with none of the amenities, curbing, channelling, footpaths, street lighting etc, provided those ratepayers.

I have, as have many other residents, been left in limbo re upgrading my systems by this Council vacillation and these delays will inevitably load us with extra and unnecessary costs.

The Council has both a legal and amoral obligation to safeguard the health of it's constituents and protect the environment. In this area it is patently not doing it's duty.

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