



Christchurch City Council  
Long-Term Community Council Plan  
Submission

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

Why do you want the Council to consider the provision of additional artificial fields? What specific action you think the Council should take? Why should this be done?

① hockey is unable to increase participation as it is limited by only 3 full-sized artificial turfs. One more turf in SW Christchurch would cater for more players

② hockey is extremely expensive when compared to other team sports (\$300 cf. soccer ~\$80, rugby \$45). This is due to the other codes using Council sports grounds. If the Council supplied a turf it would allow a wider range of people to play in teams.

③ modern hockey on turf is an exciting sport to

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watch and participate in. Canterbury players and teams are ranked highly nationally. Hockey is an Olympic Sport, played by more nations than rugby. Christchurch could reap much local pride by getting behind hockey