

Draft Long-Term Council Community Plan (LTCCP) 2009-19

Submission form

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

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- 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.

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On the internet:

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

By email:

ccc-plan@ccc.govt.nz

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

By mail:

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Draft LTCCP
Christchurch City Council
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Christchurch 8140

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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.

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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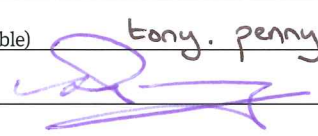
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Submission on Christchurch City Council Draft LTCCP 2009-19

Introduction

1. The Foodstuffs (South Island) Limited submission relates to the absence of improvements to the Augusta Street / Main Road intersection in Redcliffs in the Christchurch City Council (CCC) Draft LTCCP 2009-2019.

Reasons for Submission

2. Residents of Redcliffs have long had concerns regarding the safety of the pedestrian crossing in the Redcliffs shopping centre and these have been raised with CCC. Foodstuffs (SI) Ltd has similar concerns with many of the customers of their adjacent New World supermarket using the crossing. Foodstuffs also has concerns regarding the Augusta Street intersection because of the long delays to customers wishing to turn right onto Main Road from Augusta Street in their cars particularly during peak periods. Often the only opportunity to enter Main Road is created by pedestrians using the crossing which creates conflicts with the pedestrians because of the proximity of the crossing.
3. CCC staff reviewed the situation at the pedestrian crossing (and Augusta Street intersection) in 2008. While desirable upgrades were identified, the review concluded that the status quo be retained because there was no funding provision in the LTCCP 2006-2016 for any improvement.
4. The option of installing traffic signals at the Augusta Street and Beachville Road intersections with Main Road was discussed but discounted because of the perceived adverse effects, for example, the increased delay to through traffic in peak periods, removal of parking and cycle lanes.
5. While signals would increase delay to through traffic in peak periods, there are wider area effects that were not addressed in the CCC review. Installation of signals would create platoons of vehicles on Main Road and this would facilitate entry to Main Road for vehicles from other side roads and driveways throughout Redcliffs. Although the existing Main Road reserve width is not sufficient to provide two traffic lanes in both directions, cycle lanes and a median within the village centre, road

widening could be provided as part of urban renewal of the Redcliffs shopping centre.

Decision Requested

6. We request that the LTCCP 2009-19 be updated to include funding provision for upgrades to the Augusta Street / Main Road intersection to improve the pedestrian crossing facility and to reduce delays to vehicles on side roads by signalling the intersection.

Traffic Design Group
April 2009