

Your SUBMISSION

Please deliver your submission to the Civic Offices, or any of the Council service centres, mail it to us, or email it to cccplan@ccc.govt.nz to arrive by Thursday 6 May 2004.

When preparing your submission, please note:

- If you do not use this form, please include your name, address and telephone number on the first page of your submission
- Please clearly state the issue you wish the Council to consider, what specific action you wish the Council to take and why that should be done
- Where possible, refer to the volume and page number of the draft community plan
- If you wish, you can present your submission at a hearing. You will get 10 minutes to speak. In your submission please say if you wish to speak or not
- The law says we must make all written submissions public. All submissions will be published on the Council's website from 6 May, 2004
- From late July to mid-September all submitters will hear from the Council, with news about what was done in relation to their submission
- No anonymous submissions will be accepted.

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☐ I wish to speak about the main points in my submission at the hearings from 1-11 June.

Control of Cats:

As the City Council can visit homes of certain breeds of dogs and require them to be de-sexed, the same requirement should be demanded of cat owners.

- ① All cats within the City boundaries to be de-sexed and chipped for future identification.
 - ② Cat control officers, similar to Dog control officers, be employed to enforce de-sexing.
 - ③ A registration fee, discounted if the cats owned are already de-sexed, to be paid by cat owners to fund cat control officers.
 - ④ The balance of the registration fee to de-sex any cats trapped or netted, payment to be recovered via direct payment from owners bank account.
 - ⑤ Council rented properties to be policed by Cat Control officers to enforce de-sexing of Tenant Cats.
 - ⑥ Cat Control officers to visit all homes advertising "Give away Kittens" remove undesired cats, de-sex, recover cost from owner then return how de-sexed cat.
- Perhaps Council members should spend a month answering the Cats Protection League phone - dealing with ^{cats} dumped, injured, sick, mothers barely surviving with yet another litter of kittens, or the dumped give away kittens one month out from Xmas. N Foote