

Our Community Plan Submission Form

Instructions

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.

You may send us your submission:

By mail

Please mail your submission (no stamp is required) to:

Freeport 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.

Refer attached

Your submission

You may use this form for your submission on our draft 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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Organisation name (if applicable) _____

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Signature *Palmer* Date 3/4/06

OUR LIBRARY (22/03/06)

Close our Library?? No you don't
'Tis only because of more money you want.

Think of our users, so wide a range.
Seniors, Children, Adults, the Sick, to arrange
Transport for the many who have no way
Of getting to our Library, come what may.
So this is where the "Mobile Library" must stay.

You should take the time of day
To visit and see what our Library provides.
Computer, Daily Papers, Books with large print
C.D.s, Videos, Books with standard print,
Magazines, Story times for Children plus many more.

Always users are greeted with a smile,
They are helpful, understanding, go a mile
To get what you need without hesitation.
One cannot find fault with their presentation.

So, don't sit back and wait
For the Library to be shut.
Kick up a fuss
Everyone of us.
Then surely the "Powerful" ones
Will reverse their thoughts
And keep our Library open, they 'aught.

Otherwise drastic action we may have to take
Like march "the Powers that be" down to the lake
Give them a helping hand plus what it takes
To give them a "little" push from behind.
That should change their minds I'll be bound

So, Members, stand firm on the ground
And we should come out on top, I'll be bound.

A promise is a promise guys
We don't think you are very wise.
To state we stay open for a further ten years
Now you are reducing us to tears.
Don't oh don't our Library close
You will upset so many, goodness knows
Just think, when you are old and bandy
And you have no Library handy
Won't you curse the Council of today.

Margaret Palmer