LTCCP 2006-16 SUBMISSION

Submissions close on 5 May 2006

I do NOT wish to present my submission at the hearing, and ask that this submission be considered.

I am completing this submission:

Number of people you represent:

For yourself

My submission refers to: Summary Version of the LTCCP Page Number:

I also want to respond to: Other

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Your Submission:	Do you have any comments on the major projects in our Draft Community Plan?
	I ask that the Council reconsiders its proposal to close the Bishopdale library

I ask that the Council reconsiders its proposal to close the Bishopdale library. This library is well used by residents in the area. It is safe and easily accessible for young and old. I see many children using it out of school hours and I see that it is well used by school groups. Were the library shut I doubt that many of the people now using it would be able to travel to other libraries. It is a facility well loved by the people in this area. Why shut something that is so obviously wanted. By contrast I note that Council wants to spend more money on the Art Gallery. Why? Who goes there? I don't.And I suspect that many of the users of suburban libraries don't either. The City Centre is not a nice place to go. I submit that the Council keeps the suburban libraries open and considers shutting the Art Gallery.

Do you have any comments on groups of activities (The activities and services the Council provides?)

Do you have any other comments or suggestions you want to make?