

LONG-TERM PLAN 2021–2031

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SELWYN DISTRICT COUNCIL 2021–2031 Draft Long-Term Plan

SUBMISSIONS #100501 - #100530



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Submission

Q1 KEEPING WATER SUPPLY SAFE

Avoid chlorination

It would be desirable to keep all drinking water free from chlorine. Use alternative methods.

Q2 PAYING FOR WATER SUPPLY

Support Proposal

This option will encourage consumers to conserve water and use it wisely.

Q3 DARFIELD AND KIRWEE WASTEWATER

Support Proposal

Stage one for Kirwee should be for all proposed new subdivisions, followed by existing properties.

Q4 ROAD MAINTENANCE

Support Proposal

Q5 FUTURE ROADING AND TRANSPORT PROJECTS

Support proposed programme

Extending work on Hoskyns Road and seal from SH73 to Kirwee cemetery. More vehicles are using this route.

Q6 PREBBLETON COMMUNITY CENTRE

Support construction

A community centre is the heart of a community. Builds good community spirit.

Q7 LEESTON LIBRARY AND COMMUNITY CENTRE

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Topic: BIG DECISION 1 - Keeping our drinking water safe (2021-2031) - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action If this submission was accepted in full or in part, then the following would be impacted:

Staff Comments The submitters preference for Council to upgrade some supplies so that they can avoid chlorination is acknowledged. This option means additional funding and upgrades, with the specific purpose of avoiding chlorination, would need to be added within the 2021-31 LTP as additional projects. The additional cost of this option is estimated to be \$30M capex and an additional \$0.2M operational expense. The increase in the water rate would be around \$100 per year per property. It is proposed that an exemption from chlorination from Taumata Arowai would be required prior to spending additional money on our water supplies.

Topic: BIG DECISION 2 - How we pay for drinking water supply (2021-2031) - Corporate

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments No comments made.

Topic: BIG DECISION 3 - Developing a new wastewater system in Darfield and Kirwee (2021-2026) - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments The submitters support for the Darfield Wastewater Proposal is acknowledged.

Topic: BIG DECISION 4 - Maintaining our roads (2021-2031) - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments No comments made.

Topic: BIG DECISION 5 - Planning for future roading and transportation projects (2021-2031) - Infrastructure

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Staff Comments Previous LTP requests to seal Hoskyns Rd from SH73 to Kirwee saw this being used as part of a series of test cases to inform the development of Councils current seal extension policy. Councils programme is to address specific network seal

extensions on high volume main routes or connections is to assist in the movement of people and freight. Hoskyns Road is a local road that doesn't fall into that category, as SH73 already provides the main sealed road connection to Kirwee.

Topic: BIG DECISION 6 - Future of the new Prebbleton Community Centre (2025/2026) - Property

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments No comments made.

[100502] -Creative Communities⁸ Suzanne Pickford

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The Selwyn Community is in desperate need of Arts Representation by a Councillor and by an Employee who can liaise with and advise local arts groups. We have a rapidly growing population and a vibrant community needs opportunities for many and widely varied activities and pass-times to benefit community cultural well-being. Creative Communities is a marvellous scheme and I have note that the regular meetings across a year really assists with clubs and groups. (Especially in relation to Christchurch for example, where the funding group only meet twice a year). However with insufficient support locals do not know what is available to them, if they did they might be encouraged to provide more events and activities especially on the small township level where the local sports hall (which have cost millions and are a real asset to sporting endeavours) can be used more fully by the artistic portions of the communities.

Creative Communities has more money to distribute and yet there are not many new events or activities utilising these funds. Too many small groups struggle to make ends meet and dwindle due to costs and lack of support. Encouraging locals to apply would be hugely beneficial. It is an important task,

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Suzanne

Member of Creative Communities Funding Group

Topic: TOPIC: Arts and culture - Community Services & Facilities

Staff Recommended Action	No recommended action made.
Staff Comments	<p>Submitter proposes that Council staff member work in arts area and a Councillor also be involved in arts.</p> <p>ACLL still has an Arts role and a Heritage role, although depending on the nature of the request , different team members of ACLL are responsible for different aspects of arts activity . A different role manages public art enquiries etc.</p> <p>Submitter also suggests Council assist in providing advice on how to make funding applications for Creative Communities and promotion of Fund. Council has recently reviewed how it supports this Fund and promotion has been included in this consideration and planning for the way forward. Most customer facing roles of Council (e.g. Customer Services, Library / Service Centre staff should be able to assist residents to download application and understand criteria) as well as Community and Economic Development staff. Council managed and administered Community Funding Guidelines are currently being prepared that will include some "how to" tips.</p>

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Are you submitting on behalf of an organisation? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If yes, please state the name of the organisation: _____
Do you wish to attend a hearing to present your submission in person? ☒ Yes ☐ No
Preferred time: Thursday 13 May 2021 ☒ Morning ☒ Afternoon ☐ Evening
Friday 14 May 2021 ☐ Morning ☐ Afternoon

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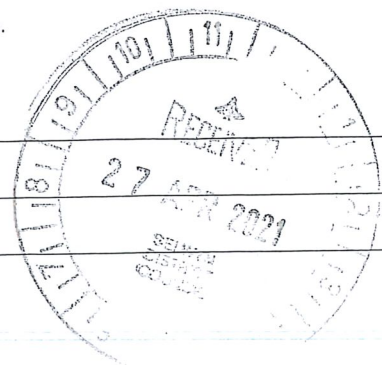
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Topic: BIG DECISION 3 - Developing a new wastewater system in Darfield and Kirwee (2021-2026) - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action	That the submission be acknowledged.
Staff Comments	<p>The submitters opposition to the proposal to develop a new wastewater system in Darfield and Kirwee is acknowledged.</p> <p>Please refer Sub ID 100026 for Staff comments.</p>

[100504] -Environment Canterbury Chair Jenny Hughey¹⁴

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Refer attached

30 April 2021



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Tēnā koe Sam,

Environment Canterbury submission on the Council's draft Long-Term Plan 2021-31

Thank you for the opportunity to make a submission on your draft Long-Term Plan 2021-31. In the current uncertain times, working together in partnership will continue to be critical. Our communities need a collaborative, joined-up approach and we look forward to working together to achieve this.

Canterbury Regional Forums

The Canterbury Mayoral Forum, and the regional forums and working groups that support it, provide valuable mechanisms for local government in Canterbury. The Mayoral Forum is also a key means of demonstrating a strong and unified voice on the priority issues for our region. With the current challenges facing local government through the three waters and resource management reforms and the evolving role of local government, the value of this strong and unified voice cannot be underestimated. We appreciate your continued commitment to working alongside Mayoral Forum colleagues for the benefit of Canterbury and its communities, and we look forward to continuing to work with your Council as we implement the Canterbury Regional Forums' work programmes, particularly the *Mayoral Forum's Plan for Canterbury*, over the remainder of this local government term.

We particularly value your leadership of the Mayoral Forum as its Chairperson. We thank you for ably guiding the Forum through the many complex and challenging issues it has tackled this term, including your work as chair of the Forum's Three Waters Steering Group.

We also thank Selwyn's Chief Executive for his dedicated leadership of the Canterbury Policy Forum and the Long-Term Plan working group this term.

Climate Change

The Canterbury Climate Change Working Group and the Mayoral Forum Climate Change Steering Group are key to developing a shared understanding of the implications of climate change across Canterbury. We would like to acknowledge your membership and contribution to the working group and look forward to continuing to collaborate with you in this work.

We also note and support your focus on putting climate change at the heart of Council decision making and your council's work on assessing its carbon emissions.

Enviroschools

As we work together towards adapting to climate change, Enviroschools, a national, evaluated programme that supports sustainable communities, is specifically designed to meet multiple council outcomes through authentic relationships with the community. There are 18 Enviroschools in the Selwyn district and we thank you for your support and ask that you maintain your investment in this proven programme. This will enable these schools to continue to empower young people to design solutions and take action for a more resilient, connected and sustainable community.

Canterbury Water Management Strategy and biodiversity

The Canterbury Water Management Strategy's recent Fit for Future project provided a platform to recognise the extensive work and investment from Canterbury councils that contributes towards achieving the goals for 2025. To support additional actions required to progress the goals, the project developed a work programme tailored for each Canterbury council. We note that Selwyn District Council has adopted the work programme and is implementing the Canterbury Water Management Strategy in areas of wastewater, drinking water, biodiversity and mahinga kai. Increased resourcing for biodiversity initiatives such as the restoration and enhancement of Tārerেকautuku/Yarrrs Lagoon is welcomed.

We support the Council's proposals to improve wastewater management in areas close to the Selwyn River/Waikirikiriri and in the Ellesmere Ward. We strongly support the Council's proposal to develop a reticulated wastewater system for Darfield and Kirwee. We look forward to seeing improved environmental outcomes as these infrastructure projects are completed.

We would like to acknowledge and thank Council for the collaborative approach taken recently in the Hororata catchment, with our respective staff working together through challenging drainage issues to find a solution for our shared community.

With respect to the network of Council managed drains around Te Waihora, we note Council is preparing to transition to a district-wide drainage committee and will place increasing emphasis on environmental performance. We are pleased to see a commitment to increasing the involvement of Te Taumutu Rūnanga in decision making.

We support the Council continuing its work with Papatipu Rūnanga and other partners to protect and enhance biodiversity values. In particular, we look forward to continuing to work together as part of the strategic co-governance arrangement for Te Waihora and its catchment.

We also acknowledge your involvement in and support of the Canterbury Biodiversity Champions group and look forward to working together to develop shared regional approaches to key biodiversity challenges for the region.

We acknowledge the District Council's participation in, and support of, the Selwyn Waihora and Christchurch West Melton Zone Committees and the contribution to

implementing the Zone Committees' action plans, and thank the Council for your ongoing commitment to the Canterbury Water Management Strategy and your willingness to work collaboratively and share information with other councils.

Greater Christchurch Partnership

We wish to emphasise the value we place on the collaborative work undertaken through the Greater Christchurch Partnership to improve the wellbeing of our communities, and our appreciation of your continued involvement and investment in this work. This particularly includes current work to develop the Greater Christchurch 2050 strategic framework and plan, which will describe the Partnership's collective aspirations for the future of Greater Christchurch and the actions we need to take over the next thirty years to make it happen. There is the opportunity for us to begin to deliver on our communities' aspirations through this Long-Term Plan. As noted above, we also need to continue to work together as we learn more about emerging central government direction, including in relation to resource management, urban and regional planning, three waters and climate change.

Public transport infrastructure

Collaboration is key to the successful integration and delivery of public transport infrastructure and services in Greater Christchurch. We encourage the Council to commit through this Long-Term Plan to the investment programme agreed in the Public Transport Futures business case, both in terms of investment value and the timing of delivery.

We do wish to be heard in support of our submission. If you have any queries in relation to our submission, please contact Adrienne Lomax, Regional Leadership and Policy, on 027 561 0270.

Yours sincerely



Jenny Hughey
Chair

Topic: TOPIC: Biodiversity / Environment¹⁸ Env & Reg Services

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments With regard to the submission points on Bio-diversity the ongoing support in the space is appreciated, in particular Ecan officer roles in the District Plan Review process, including the Bio-diversity Working Group.

Topic: TOPIC: Climate Change - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments Council acknowledges the feedback and recognises ECAN as an important partner in its efforts on Climate change response. SDC will continue to collaborate with ECAN in all its future Climate Change related works.

Topic: TOPIC: Governance matters - CEO

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments Council acknowledges and thanks Environment Canterbury for its comments to our Draft 2021-2031 Long Term Plan.

We value the relationship that we have with Environment Canterbury and the opportunities to collaborate on a wide-range of activities that have both impact on and benefit for our collective ratepayers.

Topic: TOPIC: Public Transport - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments Council has included in its proposed LTP its share of funding required to implement PT Futures in Selwyn, as identified and agreed through the combined business case process for Greater Christchurch and partners. The NZTA Board has to endorse the Business Case to enable funding to then be allocated in subsequent National Land Transport Programmes, starting in 2021-24.

Topic: TOPIC: Water / Wastewater - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments Support for the Council's proposals to improve wastewater management in areas close to the Selwyn River/Waikirikiriri and in the Ellesmere Ward is acknowledged.

The SDC / ECan collaborative approach taken recently in the Hororata catchment is acknowledged.¹⁹

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Topic: TOPIC: Planning questions or comments - Env & Reg Services

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Staff Comments

The Selwyn District Plan²⁴ is currently under review and has been out for public consultation. Through this process the growth of townships and the protection of the rural area will be considered.

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Topic: TOPIC: Funding requests - Community Services & Facilities²⁸

Staff Recommended Action No recommended action made.

Staff Comments Submitter advocates for funding for Ellesmere Heritage Trust. This Trust has received some funding from Council in past 3 years from Strategic Partnerships Fund.

No budget currently allocated to this group in year commencing 1 July 2021.

Operational costs could potentially be considered by Council for “Strategic Partnerships” Funding. A Report to go to Council anchored to 4 wellbeings.

No current budget for capital costs/ investment.

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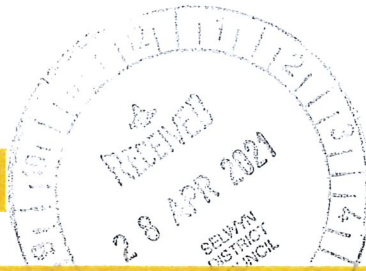
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Topic: BIG DECISION 7 - Future of the Leeston Library and Community Centre (2022/2023) - Property

Staff Recommended Action	That the submission be acknowledged.
Staff Comments	No comments made.

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Staff Recommended Action If this submission was accepted in full or in part, then the following would be impacted:

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Topic: BIG DECISION 2 - How we pay for drinking water supply (2021-2031) - Corporate

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments No comments made.

Topic: BIG DECISION 3 - Developing a new wastewater system in Darfield and Kirwee (2021-2026) - Infrastructure

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Staff Comments The submitters opposition to the proposal to develop a new wastewater system in Darfield and Kirwee is acknowledged.

Please refer Sub ID 100026 for Staff comments.

Topic: BIG DECISION 4 - Maintaining our roads (2021-2031) - Infrastructure

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Staff Comments Through the Safe Network Programme (SNP) and national Road to Zero initiatives, Council and the NZTA is funding a major increase in road safety upgrades both on local roads and state highways in the District over the next ten years. The subsidised SNP is currently valued at \$32 million for Council local roads which do not include other upgrades funded directly by Council that have a safety benefit as well.

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Staff Comments	The Selwyn District Plan is currently under review and has been out for public consultation. Through this process the growth of townships, their character and amenity will be considered.

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2. Forest & Bird has 47 branches throughout Aotearoa New Zealand. Our North Canterbury Branch and Selwyn based supporters have a long history of conservation in the Selwyn District. Forest & Bird have contributed significantly—and continue to contribute significantly—to conservation in the Canterbury region, as advocates for the environment through national, regional, and local planning processes; through our youth network; as an educator through our Kiwi Conservation Club; and in action through on-the-ground conservation work within our communities.
3. Forest & Bird has for many years had a strong interest and involvement in protecting and restoring nature on land, in freshwater and in the ocean in the Canterbury region. Our strategic vision for Canterbury which ties into our national Forest & Bird strategic objectives is as follows:

Climate Centred: Canterbury is resilient to the impacts of climate change. Activities or developments in the region must actively mitigate their contribution to climate change. People understand the threat and urgency of climate change and are supported in climate change practices.

Economy that Supports Nature: Canterbury's local economy and nature are interconnected. Unhealthy nature equals an unhealthy economy.

Vibrant Landscapes: Canterbury's terrestrial native flora and fauna are protected and enhanced in urban and rural areas. Canterbury's landscapes are free from pests. Development can occur without clearing and destroying landscapes and their respective natural ecosystems.

Oceans Alive: Canterbury people recognise the health of the marine environment is a direct result of on-land activities. The regions harbours return to their original, healthy states. Fishing and aquaculture activities follow ecosystem-based management principles. Canterbury's marine environment is protected through a network of no-take marine protected areas.

Energised Water, Rivers and Wetlands: Canterbury's groundwater, rivers and streams are clean, healthy and teeming with life. Wetlands are protected and enhanced.

4. Forest & Bird is grateful for the opportunity to provide feedback on the Selwyn District Council (SDC) Draft Long Term Plan 2021/31 (LTP). We have done so beginning with some general comments on issues of interest to Forest & Bird then with specific comments on leadership, climate change, indigenous biodiversity and biosecurity, freshwater, and waste management.

General Comments

5. Forest & Bird acknowledges the challenges that a year of COVID has placed on everyone, which will likely be felt for years to come. Forest & Bird generally supports the LTP including the council's strategic priorities and the development of well-being indicators. We strongly recommend including measures for the indicators, to ensure public accountability.
6. From the Greater Christchurch 2050 consultation, council heard that people wanted a sustainable, green, safe and affordable place to live that is easy to get around using public transport, walking or cycling, and where nature is protected and respected. That people were most concerned that not enough was being done to offset the impacts of climate change, that there are pollution and waste management issues, worsening traffic congestion, and that natural ecosystems and indigenous biodiversity will be threatened, among other social and cultural well-being challenges. These are not unreasonable demands.
7. The Selwyn district is fortunate to have many of the desired features by virtue of its geography and location, however these features, especially the natural ones, are not immune to the impacts of climate change and threats of inappropriate development, pollution, pest plants and pest animals. It is councils job to carry out the will of the people and to ensure the natural environment is protected and maintained. This underpins well-being.
8. Well-being is central to the Local Government Act and the focus is often on balancing the four: cultural, social, economic and environmental. The current environmental indicators for freshwater quality and quantity, and native plants and animals, loss of productive soils to urban sprawl and inappropriate land-use in the Selwyn district, suggest that the balance is totally out of kilter and short term economic well-being has prevailed. This is not sustainable.
9. Much is to be done to reset the balance, required action made all the more urgent by climate change. In Forest & Bird's view, if the natural environment is healthy, the

people are healthy. This balance between the well-beings can be reset through good governance, prioritising environmental well-being, sound strategic planning and management, and in co-operation with other government agencies, and communities.

10. The remainder of this submission focuses on how to reset the well-being balance and suggests ways for council to improve its performance and achieve its desired well-being outcomes. Forest & Bird recommends now more than ever SDC needs to prioritize environmental well-being.

Leadership

11. Forest & Bird strongly encourage more co-operation and information sharing between the SDC, neighbouring territorial authorities and Environment Canterbury and other Government agencies on a Climate Change Strategy for the Canterbury region¹; on Canterbury freshwater issues, including the implementation of the National Policy Statement for Freshwater Management 2020 (NPS-FM) and Te Mana o Te Wai; on three waters reform; on an implementation plan for the Biodiversity Strategy for the Canterbury region and the proposed National Policy Statement for Biodiversity (NPS-IB); on Biosecurity; on environmental compliance, monitoring and enforcement; on a risk assessment of legacy landfills and other climate related risks; and on regional transport solutions, to help improve the wellbeing and resilience of Canterbury's communities.
12. Co-operation between local government and other government agencies with a common purpose to achieve environmental wellbeing will achieve greater efficiencies and better long-term outcomes for all rate and taxpayers of Canterbury. Forest & Bird recommends council continue to resource councilor or staff participation in groups that promote co-operation and joined up thinking for the greater good.²
13. Forest & Bird strongly supports youth engagement. Participation by youth in the School Strikes for climate change suggests that there is a significant opportunity to channel that energy onto charting a more resilient future. We recommend the SDC, as a civic leader, fund and resource programs that promote the engagement of Selwyn youth in environmental programs and local democracy.

Climate Change

14. Forest & Bird agree, climate change is one of the most pressing issues faced by central and local governments worldwide.
15. Forest & Bird commends SDC for adopting its first climate change policy in December 2020 and pledging to officially put climate change at the heart of its work. However, it is not clear how this pledge will be implemented through this LTP. A significant proportion of council funding (39%) is allocated to transport and roading,

¹ We acknowledge the Mayoral Forum, Chair Mayor Sam Broughton and that SDC is a member of the Canterbury Climate Change working group.

² For example here are two such initiatives that we urge the CCC to support & seek participation in [Cr Barbara Gilchrist becomes Timaru's 'biodiversity champion' | Stuff.co.nz](#) and [Biosecurity Advisory Groups | Environment Canterbury \(ecan.govt.nz\)](#)

(ironically transport is one of the biggest contributors of greenhouse gases) while there appears to be no clear budget for climate change action to protect the natural environment.

16. This is despite the Tonkin & Taylor report³ highlighting that:

The natural environment presented the highest number of 'extreme' and 'major' elements at risk, with nearly 50%. The majority (94%) of elements at risk were identified as 'moderate' or above consequence.

And explained that the natural environment domain risks include the following key climate hazards:

Sea level rise, flooding, coastal erosion, fire, higher air temperature, drought, storms and wind, annual rainfall changes, reduced snow and ice, marine heatwaves, and changes in ocean chemistry.

And that these hazards are likely to affect:

Native terrestrial, freshwater, and marine biodiversity; ground and surface water availability and quality; water quality in marine, estuaries, harbours, lakes, and rivers; natural coastal habitats (such as dunes, estuaries, and rocky shores); coastal wetlands; lowland and coastal environments; mountain and hill country environments; alpine and high-country environments; and terrestrial, freshwater, and marine pests and disease.

17. Forest & Bird recommend that SDC prioritise climate change action and cast a climate lens across all council activities especially activities that have long term ramifications for nature and for communities, to ensure that the district is on a pathway towards an equitable future for generations to come.
18. We encourage the council to adequately resource participation in the Canterbury Climate Change working group. We strongly urge you to develop a climate strategy for the council itself and for the Selwyn district with own targets and milestones, that sits within a Climate Change Strategy for Canterbury. Targets and milestones are especially important for measuring progress and for accountability during election time.
19. Through strong leadership in local and regional government and from industry, New Zealand has the best chance of achieving its international climate obligations.

Biosecurity and Biodiversity

20. The rate loss of indigenous biodiversity in Selwyn district is shocking. Recently, Forest & Bird has observed loss of increasingly rare and significant dryland high country ecosystems to more intensive agriculture. We are disturbed by the lack of council action to stop this unlawful behaviour. The loss of native ecosystems and the intensification of farming activities is a driver of declining water quality.

³[Attachment-1-Canterbury-climate-change-risk-screening-interim-report.pdf](https://canterburymayors.org.nz/Attachment-1-Canterbury-climate-change-risk-screening-interim-report.pdf)
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21. Forest & Bird acknowledge that SDC has two dedicated in-house biodiversity officers. We strongly support the work of Andy and Denise and encourage the council to utilise their collective expertise in all aspects of council's operation, to maintain, protect and restore the district's remaining indigenous biodiversity.
22. Forest & Bird urges SDC to increase its community biodiversity fund. We understand that the Selwyn Natural Environment Fund (SNEF) is currently \$75K - this is a meagre \$2.67 per household per year.⁴ Increasing this to \$10 per year per household would provide an additional \$205K to assist land occupiers to protect and maintain significant natural areas (SNA) in the district, though still not nearly enough to do what is required. Rates relief for SNA is also a necessary tool.
23. Forest & Bird commends the work of Environment Canterbury in its establishment of the Biodiversity Champions program. We acknowledge and support SDC councillor membership of this initiative. We strongly urge council to resource participation in this group and to establish a biodiversity working group to advise and support the champion and the council to achieve its statutory obligations.
24. The council has a statutory obligation to protect outstanding landscapes and features and significant indigenous biodiversity, and to control land-use for the purpose of maintaining indigenous biodiversity. The proposed national Policy Statement for Indigenous Biodiversity (NPS-IB) is likely to be gazetted later this year. The NPS-IB strengthens territorial authorities responsibility to identify and protect Significant Natural Areas (SNA).
25. Forest & Bird recommends that SDC increase funding to properly resource its environmental regulatory planning portfolio to implement the NPS-IB, to identify, map, protect and maintain SNAs and to meet its statutory obligation for indigenous biodiversity.
26. We also recommend adequately resourcing and upskilling the council's compliance, monitoring and enforcement capability.
27. Biosecurity is of increasing concern to Forest & Bird, and it is likely to be exacerbated by the impact of climate change. Pest animals, weeds and diseases are a risk to people and to nature. Environment Canterbury has established Biosecurity Advisory Group for mid Canterbury in which SDC representation would be helpful.
28. We recommend that SDC investigate and resource participation in the Environment Canterbury Biosecurity Advisory group for mid Canterbury. Participation in this group enables joined up thinking, access to hear community concerns and an opportunity to use scarce resources to manage biosecurity risks more efficiently.⁵

Freshwater

29. The discussion document opens with this statement:
Selwyn is an awesome place to live, work and play – and the safest place to live in New Zealand. That's why more and more people and their whanau are choosing to move to Selwyn. (p1)

⁴ Based on 28000 households as indicated in the consultation document.

⁵ Illegal indigenous vegetation clearance under the guise of compliance with the Canterbury Pest Management Plan and management of domestic and feral cats are two issues which would benefit from an SDC presence at this table.

It goes on to say:

Selwyn just keeps growing! We know Selwyn is a great place to live and work, to do business and to raise a family. And it seems more and more people are getting the message and coming to join us.

Over the past 10 years Selwyn has been the second-fastest growing district in New Zealand, growing from 42,900 in 2011 to around 71,500. While this increase came initially from the Canterbury earthquakes of 2010–2011, in recent years we’ve continued to see steady internal migration, mostly from the greater Christchurch area. (p7).

30. Recently, Radio New Zealand reported on the nitrate contamination of Selwyn’s water.⁶ The take home message is that while Selwyn is one of the fastest growing regions, it could easily become one of the fastest declining regions if its water supply is undrinkable.
31. Freshwater contamination is a significant issue for all of Canterbury. Water pollution is devastating for nature and for public health. Current freshwater issues will be exacerbated by climate change. Forest & Bird strongly supports SDC’s commitment to the government’s freshwater reform and the three waters program, especially for improving water use efficiency, for better controlling land use to protect drinking water sources and to improve ecosystem health of the district’s waterways.
32. A good supply of clean and healthy water is necessary for all four well-beings. We are concerned that the SDC has not adequately considered the implications of, for example, nitrate contamination in drinking water supplies. We strongly recommend that the SDC ensure there is adequate funding to tackle this issue during the lifetime of this LTP.
33. Metering water is a one way to generate income to improve community drinking water infrastructure. Forest & Bird supports water charges so long as it occurs in an equitable way. We recommend that the council work closely with Environment Canterbury to recover costs from commercial users of water and water polluters, to ensure the cost of keeping community drinking water sources safe from contamination and improvements to freshwater ecosystem health are not borne entirely by the public.

Waste management

34. Forest & Bird strongly recommends an education program to further minimise waste to landfill, to improve recycling and to investigate new technology for waste disposal. Fly tipping of waste continues to be a problem in the district. This is both an environmental risk and a biosecurity risk. Increased affordable opportunities to dispose of large quantities of green waste and other waste are needed.
35. We recommend that the SDC allocate funding to urgently assess and understand its risk of legacy landfills in the Selwyn district. The funding must include the removal of the most at-risk landfills vulnerable to sea level rise or extreme storm events, before a Fox River styled clean-up operation is needed in this district.⁷

⁶ [Canterbury homeowners to get free water check for nitrate levels | RNZ News](#)

⁷ [Protecting Fox River from future rubbish spills could cost \\$2.8 million | RNZ News](#)

Conclusion

36. Forest & Bird recommend elevating the climate change policy as an overarching priority in the LTP so SDC can cast a climate lens over its entire work program, and we recommend council prioritise environmental well-being to reset that balance.
37. For efficiency and effectiveness, Forest & Bird strongly recommends interagency co-operation on climate and environmental well-being initiatives.
38. We recommend increasing funding for NPS-IB implementation and for the Selwyn natural environment fund and for implementation of the governments essential freshwater package.
39. We recommend setting targets and milestones for well-being indicators to monitor council progress and for accountability at election time.
40. We hope that our suggestions are helpful and that they will be reflected in the final Long-Term Plan.

Thank you for the opportunity to submit.

Nicky Snoyink
Regional Manager Canterbury/West Coast
Royal Forest & Bird Protection Society of New Zealand Inc.

Topic: TOPIC: Biodiversity / Environment⁵¹ - Env & Reg Services

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments

With regard to the biodiversity points and protection of Indigenous Biodiversity, the submission has merit. The SNEF fund has been proposed to be increased but not to the extent outlined in the submissions. With the increase in subscriptions to the fund and the impending National Policy Statement for Indigenous Biodiversity, which will likely increase Councils responsibly and resource commitment in this area, a household funding rate has merit. This idea has been used elsewhere in the Country, including at the Waimakariri District Council. However, the amount proposed would be over the planned LTP budget for the SNEF fund.

The Council will work towards implementing the National Policy Statement for Indigenous Biodiversity once that is gazetted and the final direction and implications fully understood, noting that Council has only seen a draft that was subject to submissions.

Council staff are aware that the NPS-IB will likely provide guidance and rules regarding the identification and management of SNA's. Council recognises the need to protect and manage indigenous biodiversity in the District through its SNA programme and as such has two staff working on this, and associated funding streams.

Council acknowledges issues of biosecurity and the threat that exotic weeds play to indigenous biodiversity. We are working closely with agencies and our community to develop more effective and joined up responses to biosecurity issues and threats.

Topic: TOPIC: Climate Change - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments

Council acknowledges and thanks Forest Bird for their feedback.

Council has been actively participating in the regional climate change working group. Council has initiated work on developing a Climate change response for the Council functions and will extend this work to include Selwyn region.

Topic: TOPIC: Governance matters - CEO

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments

Council acknowledges the submitter's comments and looks forward to meaningful dialogue on a range of issues with Forest and Bird for the mutual benefit of our district's residents.

Topic: TOPIC: Solid Waste - Infrastructure⁵²

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments

RE: Waste management 34. We agree. Education: Council has budgeted for a full time educator position based at the yet to be constructed Education Centre. This role will predominantly focus on waste related education, but also overlap with other environmental and sustainable living aspects. Tech advances: Council keeps abreast of technology changes in waste disposal, particularly with pyrolysis and gasification. Fly tipping: the roading department manages this. Increased affordable opportunities for Greenwaste disposal: Selwyn has one of the lower greenwaste disposal fees of the region. We also provide low cost greenwaste disposal at our community waste days in Ellesmere and Malvern. We welcome other suggestions as to how we could provide further opportunities.

35. Funding for assessing and removing at risk legacy landfills: Council has been underway for some time with assessments of old landfills in the district. ECan is also working in this area, particularly with climate change related risks to landfills. Both ECan and Selwyn are sharing the results of the different pieces of work that both Councils are doing. Prioritisation of any remediation work will be done when the assessments are completed.

Topic: TOPIC: Water / Wastewater - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments

Council regularly monitor nitrate levels within its water supplies. Sample results can be found on the Councils web page: <https://www.selwyn.govt.nz/services/water/water-supplies/water-quality-in-selwyn-district/water-quality-tests-results>

Setting of farming nitrate limits and discharge conditions sits with Environment Canterbury.

support for SDC's commitment to the government's freshwater reform and the three waters program is acknowledged.

Metering water is a one way to generate income to improve community drinking water infrastructure. Forest & Bird supports water charges so long as it occurs in an equitable way.

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No preference

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No preference

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No preference

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No preference

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No preference

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No preference

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No preference

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No preference

Q10 OTHER COMMENTS

Please see attached sheet re dangers to heritage sites in the Lincoln Area

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- ☐ Option 1: I support the construction of a new community centre in Prebbleton. *(This is the Council's preferred option)*
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- ☒ I don't have a preference.

Any other comments?

7. Big decision 7: What is your view on the future of the Leeston Library and Community Centre?

- ☐ Option 1: I support the proposal to build a new combined Leeston Library/Service Centre and Community Centre on Leeston Park. *(This is the Council's preferred option)*
- ☐ Option 2: I prefer to upgrade the existing library/service centre building in 2022/23.
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- ☒ I don't have a preference.

Any other comments?

8. Big decision 8: What is your view on the future of the Hororata Community Centre?

- ☐ Option 1: I support the proposal to build a new Hororata Community Centre on the Hororata Domain in 2023/24. *(This is the Council's preferred option)*
- ☐ Option 2: I prefer to renovate the existing hall (a current area of 168m²) and provide new meeting spaces (125m²) for the community and playcentre (107m²) on the current site in 2023/24.
- ☐ Option 3: I prefer to keep status quo, ie maintain existing hall and not construct a new Hororata Community Centre or renovate existing hall.
- ☐ I don't have a preference.

55 Any other comments?

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9. What is your view on the proposed changes to Council's Significance and Engagement Policy and financial policies as outlined in the consultation document?

- ☐ Option 1: I support the proposed changes. *(This is the Council's preferred option)*
- ☐ Option 2: I don't support the proposed changes.
- ☒ I don't have a preference

Any other comments?

10. Other comments? You can provide comments on any other projects proposed in this Consultation Document or in the draft Long-Term Plan, or any other matters. You can also provide feedback on our proposed well-beings (see p. 9) and climate change response (see p. 10–11).

Please see attached sheet re
danger of development to heritage
sites in the Lincoln area.

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Submission from Lincoln & Districts Historical Society Inc. to Selwyn District Council's 2021-2031 Long Term Plan

29 April 2021

As President of Lincoln & Districts Historical Society Inc. I want to express our members' concerns about the increasing development around Lincoln and its long term effects on significant heritage sites. Two come immediately to mind and there are others.

1. First, there is the recent proposal to develop the land around Chudleigh Farm, off Springs Road, south of Lincoln University. That was the original Springs Station, the first European settlement in the Lincoln area. The current house is the third on the site and was built in 1878 following the destruction of the second by fire. It has a particularly fine staircase, and its grounds show off the springs of the area to advantage. The current state of the farm buildings could be tidied up, without loss of historic features, which would enhance the site of the original Springs Station as a memorial to early settlement of the area.
2. Secondly there is the site of the original Lincoln mill and its millpond. These were key parts of the 19th century economy of the Lincoln area, and while no photographs seem to have survived of the mill, the site should be kept and have appropriate interpretation and information panels for the public's benefit.

Both of these sites are a representation of our local history and need to be guarded jealousy against the ravages of unthinking rapacious developers.

Dr Rupert Tipples,
President.
(tipples49@outlook.com)

Topic: TOPIC: Heritage Sites - Env & Reg Services⁵⁷

Staff Recommended Action	That the submission be acknowledged.
Staff Comments	<p>The Selwyn District Plan is currently under review and has been out for public consultation. This process involved identification and assessment of historic buildings, which included a public nominations.</p> <p>Chudleigh is listed in the Proposed Distrcet Plan as a heritage item (H323 – ‘The Springs’ O’Callaghan Farmhouse/’Chudleigh’). Submissions on the Proposed District plan have challenged its inclusion.</p> <p>Regarding the site of the old Mill and Mill Pond. If it this is the site near the old Lincoln Community Centre then it is not listed in the District Plan.</p>

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When on the Malvern Hills Water Supply Committee, we were seriously considering a deeper well at Hartleys Road. Suddenly our services as a Committee were no longer required and so the solution for the water problem did not go ahead. I think its got to be a good idea.

Q2 PAYING FOR WATER SUPPLY

No preference

I believe in Malvern, we are the highest rated for water supply.

Q3 DARFIELD AND KIRWEE WASTEWATER

Keep status quo

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Q4 ROAD MAINTENANCE

No preference

Q5 FUTURE ROADING AND TRANSPORT PROJECTS

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Support proposal

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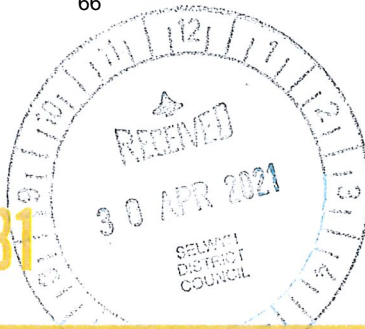
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Topic: BIG DECISION 1 - Keeping our drinking water safe (2021-2031) - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments Your support for Council to continue its current approach to maintain safe drinking water is acknowledged. This option means additional funding and upgrades, with the specific purpose of avoiding chlorination, won't be included in the 2021-31 LTP.

Topic: BIG DECISION 2 - How we pay for drinking water supply (2021-2031) - Corporate

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments The Council understands the financial pressures that ratepayers face and endeavours to keep rates increase to a minimum. Maintaining a safe supply of water is of utmost importance and therefore requires the necessary investment to ensure you have safe water to drink.

Topic: BIG DECISION 4 - Maintaining our roads (2021-2031) - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments No comments made.

Topic: BIG DECISION 7 - Future of the Leeston Library and Community Centre (2022/2023) - Property

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments No comments made.

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Submission

Submission supplied as PDF or Word document, printed and attached as the following page.

Q1 KEEPING WATER SUPPLY SAFE

I would like to see less irrigators being allowed to use valuable drinking water.

Q2 PAYING FOR WATER SUPPLY

We should not be paying for drinking water - it's not Council's to sell.

Q3 DARFIELD AND KIRWEE WASTEWATER

No preference

Q4 ROAD MAINTENANCE

Contractors should be held accountable for poor workmanship.

Q5 FUTURE ROADING AND TRANSPORT PROJECTS

Q6 PREBBLETON COMMUNITY CENTRE

No preference

Q7 LEESTON LIBRARY AND COMMUNITY CENTRE

It is my belief that we should be incorporating the existing Rugby / Sports Hall into the proposed community centre, rather than building a brand new building. Saving the taxpayers / ratepayers, of which I am one, a lot of money.

Q8 HORORATA COMMUNITY CENTRE

Q9 SIGNIFICANCE AND ENGAGEMENT POLICY

Q10 OTHER COMMENTS

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SUBMISSION ON LONG-TERM PLAN 2021-2031



Note to submitters

You can make a submission on this form, or by filling in an online submission on the Council's website at www.selwyn.govt.nz/thisway2031.

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You do not have to answer every question. You can make a general submission or submit on matters not included in the consultation document by completing question 10: Other comments.

If you need extra space for your submission use additional paper (please include your name on additional sheets).

All submissions will be considered by Council before making a decision.

Anyone can make a submission. All submissions, including the names and contact details of submitters, are publicly available, as required by the Local Government Act 2002. Submissions will be used only for the purpose of this consultation process.

For Council use: submission number

Please note: all fields marked with an asterisk (*) are compulsory

Submitter details

First name* R. Wayne Last name* Thian
 Address* 13 Carsten Street Town* Leeston Postcode* _____
 Contact phone number* 0214 317025 Email address* N/A
 Are you submitting on behalf of an organisation?* ☐ Yes ☒ No
 If yes, please state the name of the organisation:* _____
 Do you wish to attend a hearing to present your submission in person?* ☐ Yes ☒ No
 Preferred time: Thursday 13 May 2021 ☐ Morning ☐ Afternoon ☐ Evening
 Friday 14 May 2021 ☐ Morning ☐ Afternoon

Questions

1. Big decision 1: What is your view on how we should keep our drinking water supply safe?

- ☐ Option 1: I support the proposal for the Council to continue its current approach to maintaining safe drinking water supplies, to meet community expectations and comply with regulations. (This is the Council's preferred option)
- ☐ Option 2: I prefer the Council to upgrade some supplies so that they can avoid chlorination.
- ☐ I don't have a preference.

Any other comments?

I would like to see less irrigators being allowed to
use valuable drinking water.

2. Big decision 2: What is your view on how we pay for drinking water supply?

- ☐ Option 1: I support the proposal to increase the volumetric water rate by a higher proportion than the annual fixed rate.
(This is the Council's preferred option)
- ☐ Option 2: I prefer to increase both the volumetric water rate and annual fixed rate by the same proportion.
- ☐ I don't have a preference.

Any other comments?

*We should not be paying for drinking water - its not
the councils to sell.*

3. Big decision 3: What is your view on developing a new wastewater system in Darfield and Kirwee?

- ☐ Option 1: I support the proposal to connect the new wastewater system to the Pines wastewater treatment plant in Rolleston.
(This is the Council's preferred option)
- ☐ Option 2: I prefer to keep status quo, ie keep septic tanks.
- ☒ I don't have a preference.

Any other comments?

4. Big decision 4: What is your view on funding for maintaining our roads?

- ☐ Option 1: I support the proposal to increase the level of general rate-funded maintenance above the level funded by NZ Transport Agency.
(This is the Council's preferred option)
- ☐ Option 2: I prefer to fund maintenance at the level supported by NZ Transport Agency.
- ☐ I don't have a preference.

Any other comments?

Contractors should be held accountable for poor workmanship.

5. Big decision 5: What is your view on future roading and transportation projects?

- ☐ Option 1: I support the proposed capital works programme for the 2021–2031 period. *(This is the Council's preferred option)*
- ☐ Option 2: I prefer to vary the programme under option 1 by starting some projects earlier or later.
- ☐ I don't have a preference.

Any other comments?

6. Big decision 6: What is your view on the future of the new Prebbleton Community Centre?

- ☐ Option 1: I support the construction of a new community centre in Prebbleton. *(This is the Council's preferred option)*
- ☐ Option 2: I prefer the project to be deferred to outside the 10-year plan.
- ☒ I don't have a preference.

Any other comments?

7. Big decision 7: What is your view on the future of the Leeston Library and Community Centre?

- ☐ Option 1: I support the proposal to build a new combined Leeston Library/Service Centre and Community Centre on Leeston Park. *(This is the Council's preferred option)*
- ☐ Option 2: I prefer to upgrade the existing library/service centre building in 2022/23.
- ☐ Option 3: I prefer to defer the project to outside the 10-year plan.
- ☐ I don't have a preference.

Any other comments?

It is my belief we should incorporate the existing Rugby/Sports hall into the proposed Community Centre, rather than building a brand new building. Saving the taxpayers / rates payers, of which I am one, a lot of money.

8. Big decision 8: What is your view on the future of the Hororata Community Centre?

- ☐ Option 1: I support the proposal to build a new Hororata Community Centre on the Hororata Domain in 2023/24. *(This is the Council's preferred option)*
- ☐ Option 2: I prefer to renovate the existing hall (a current area of 168m²) and provide new meeting spaces (125m²) for the community and playcentre (107m²) on the current site in 2023/24.
- ☐ Option 3: I prefer to keep status quo, ie maintain existing hall and not construct a new Hororata Community Centre or renovate existing hall.
- ☐ I don't have a preference.

Any other comments?

9. What is your view on the proposed changes to Council's Significance and Engagement Policy and financial policies as outlined in the consultation document?

- ☐ Option 1: I support the proposed changes. *(This is the Council's preferred option)*
- ☐ Option 2: I don't support the proposed changes.
- ☐ I don't have a preference.

Any other comments?

10. Other comments? You can provide comments on any other projects proposed in this Consultation Document or in the draft Long-Term Plan, or any other matters. You can also provide feedback on our proposed well-beings (see p. 9) and climate change response (see p. 10-11).

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Topic: BIG DECISION 1 - Keeping our drinking water safe (2021-2031) - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments Acknowledged. The volumetric charge will help to promote sustainable water use.

Topic: BIG DECISION 2 - How we pay for drinking water supply (2021-2031) - Corporate

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments The purpose of water rates are for the supply infrastructure not the water supplied. The Council understands the financial pressures that ratepayers face and endeavours to keep rates increase to a minimum. Maintaining a safe supply of water is of utmost importance and therefore requires the necessary investment to ensure you have safe water to drink.

Topic: BIG DECISION 4 - Maintaining our roads (2021-2031) - Infrastructure

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments Any substandard work is repaired by Council roading contractors at their cost under contract provisions

Topic: BIG DECISION 7 - Future of the Leeston Library and Community Centre (2022/2023) - Property

Staff Recommended Action That the submission be acknowledged.

Staff Comments No comments made.
