



LTP SUBMISSION 2024-2034

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Long-Term Plan 2024-2034

Submitter Details

Submission Date: 18/04/2024

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Preferred method of contact Postal

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Project cost:

None

Estimated impact on rates:

To be determined

Funding:

To be determined

Please add any comments you may have

Park and ride facilities are not helpful for people without cars who do not live in Lincoln & Rolleston. Darfield needs better more frequent public transport options for residents without cars - I will not pay for any proposal that does not address this.

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Build a community recreation and sports facility at Darfield that includes one indoor court.

Project cost:

Year 3: \$7.07 million (minus \$1.10 million already included in the last Long-Term Plan. Total left to fund is \$5.97 million)

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$11.67

Funding:

Rates: 57%

Development contributions: 43% *

Our
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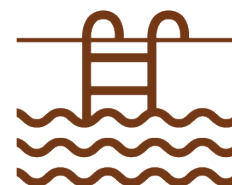
Facility required but keep costs & impact on rates minimal

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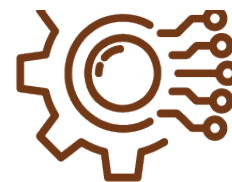
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Use money to help low-income householders

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Do you support the Council investing in better technology solutions to improve our services to the community?

No

Any comments?

Again, focus on low-income householders & keep costs to minimum

Other comments

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why no mention of Darfield wastewater system in plan? Why are you trying to mandate this for small households - those who can least afford it - while others, such as those with larger sections, are excluded? Large sections can only "sustainably manage onsite treatment" if small households are forced to stop using septic tanks. I.E. forcing the change onto smaller households is benefitting those with larger sections. ALL residents must contribute to the connection costs across the community. Otherwise, what financial help will you provide to householders who are being forced to pay for a change they don't want and can't afford?

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not sure what the difference is between Option 2 and Option 4 - this is not made clear.

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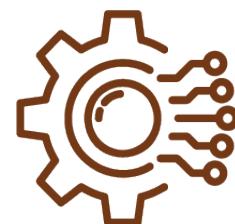


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Car is still the primary mode of transport, the funding from rates should be minimum

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None

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

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Funding:

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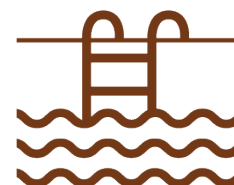
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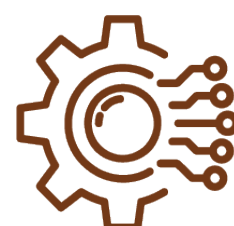
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What is your view on the proposed changes to the Significance and Engagement Policy and financial policies outlined on pages 54-55 of the consultation document?

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OPEN UP LAND FOR DEVELOPMENT IN WEST MELTON, ALLOW 10 acres lifestyle block to be subdivided easily, more amenities in West Melton

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Do nothing. Use the existing park facilities and remove or replace old and unsafe items in the park.

Project cost:

Year 1: \$143,000

Estimated impact on rates:

Included in our current rates

Funding:

Rates: 100%

Please add any comments you may have

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Regarding the intersection between State Hwy 1 and Browns Rd, Dunsandel.

This intersection is incredibly dangerous and because of the proposed changes on SH1 with some right turns being closed this intersection is going have traffic funneled into it from the likes of Frasers Rd. This sort of traffic will include tractors, trucks and other farm equipment. They would normally cross SH1 at little used side roads but will now have to use Browns Rd as a crossing point.

I am a secondary school bus driver and have experienced two close calls in recent months. The second I documented to my employer as it was a very close call and could have resulted in my bus being clipped and spun sideways. Luckily it was a near miss. There is too much happening at this intersection and a lot of cars will nip across with little thought to us slow movers. Add to that tractors and more trucks and it is a catastrophe waiting to happen.

Add to that the fact there are no barrier arms on the nearby rail crossing could potentially add to a disaster. Imagine someone just having had a close call and are driving with that deer in the headlights tunnel vision and drive straight into the path of a train.

I realise this is an NZTA situation but I implore you as Council to lobby those appropriate to look at this situation especially the funneling of more traffic into this area.

The first thing I would suggest is that no parking be allowed on the eastern approach as this creates

a very big blind spot. see area between (2) and (3) on appendix 2

It's not a matter of if but when.

Also the only dedicated pedestrian crossing if you can call it that is at (1) on appendix 2 pic. That means if children want to use domain or playground this is the only somewhat safe area to do so.

It has been suggested that a dedicated left turn lane from Browns Rd (5) going south will help but will in fact make the problem worse. There is no issue turning left here but a dedicated left turn will make issues further down where multiple trucks stop for food at the Stop Shop see (4). They would have to cross over the dedicated left turn.

The first thing I recommend is remove parking between (2) and (3)

Second thing would be to reduce the speed to 50km

And the third thing would be to install traffic lights. This would provide pedestrians better access and enable much safer vehicle crossings.

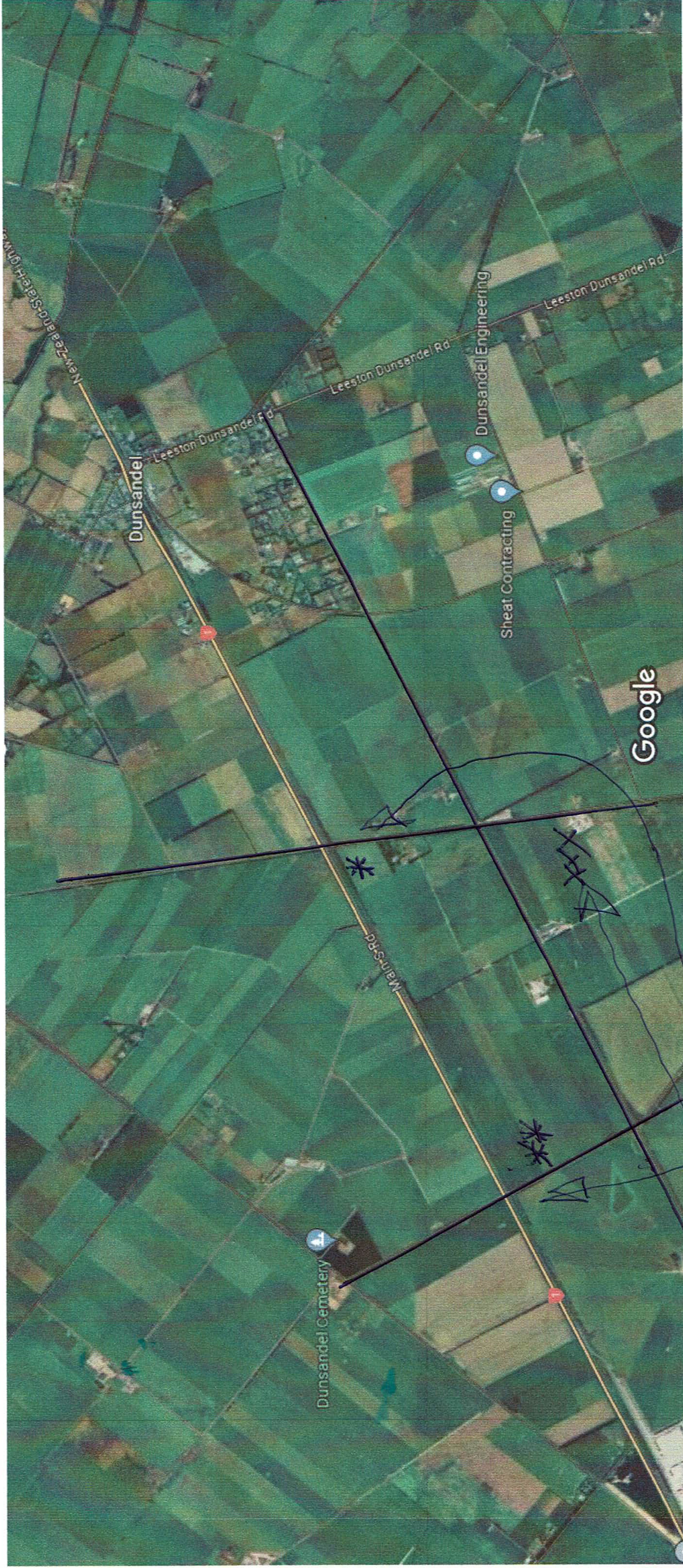
Kind regards

Russell Dalzell

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* LEFT TURN ONLY
** STRAITS RD TO BE CLOSED
XXX ED SWAN VOLLEDO HAVE TO CROSS SH1
AT BROWNS RD.

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APPENDIX 2



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Lawn Bowling Green at Rolleston

I wish to give my views on why a bowling green a Rolleston is needed.

Bowls is a fast growing sport that can be enjoyed by anyone of any age. The opportunities for playing bowls in Selwyn are limited especially in Rolleston.

A bowling green was mooted for Foster Park originally but got dropped for some reason.

Bowls is a very non-discriminatory sport that can be played by school children, through to the elderly and handicapped.

Dunsandel here for example has a very stable membership and has approximately 150 paid up members. These members are made up with the core serious bowlers, Community Bowlers and Social farmer bowlers. We also run invitational tournaments where a further 100 players are involved. Add to that the bowlers who come from other clubs on a home and away basis and the total is quite extensive for such a small community. It is pretty much the same across other Ellesmere and Malvern Bowling clubs.

Rolleston needs to develop their own bowling club. The new park setting on Maddisons Rd would be a possible location for this.

I know financial constraints at the moment are not conducive to spending large amounts of money on a project like this but could you at least consider a proper needs analysis and or feasibility study. I know Ellesmere Bowling Sub Centre would like this issue addressed but because of time constraints I have been unable to get an official letter of support from them as they only meet twice a year. also Malvern, New Zealand Bowls and Canterbury Bowls could be approached for support

I would be happy to work with Council on taking this matter further but need the initial buy in to the proposal from Council.

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Build three new Park and Ride facilities at Lincoln and Rolleston, and upgrade public transport infrastructure, but only if Council receives co-funding from NZTA Waka Kotahi.

Project cost:

Years 1–3: \$4.2 million

Years 4–10: \$11.6 million

Estimated impact on rates:

Years 1–3: \$7.06

Years 4–10: \$19.52

Funding:

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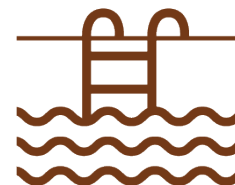
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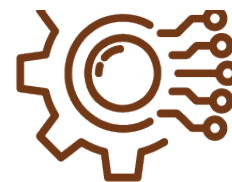
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Do not build Whata Rau. Carry out necessary repairs to the existing Leeston Library & Service Centre building so that it can continue to be used for a limited time instead. *The existing building is earthquake prone and will likely need further significant upgrades to be used from 2035 onwards.*

Project cost:

Year 1: \$3.05m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$10.46

Funding:

Rates: 100%

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Estimated impact on rates:

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Funding:

Rates: 49%

NZTA Waka Kotahi: 51%

Our
budgeted
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Please add any comments you may have

Don't build facilities for bus services that are becoming less reliable and force transport to consider heavy rail from Darfield to Christchurch, it will be faster, more reliable and can increase capacity. Building for buses is an out dated policy and need to think about growing Selwyn connections to central christchurch city.

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Project cost:

None

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

None

Funding:

None

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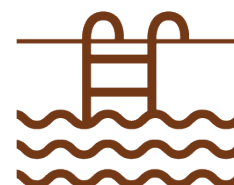
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Any comments?

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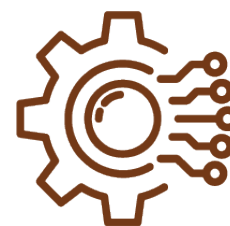
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more technology does not translate to better service.

Other comments

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The rolleston dog park should not be allowed to be restricted to residents and should at all time have half fully open to the residents.

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Do not build Whata Rau. Carry out necessary repairs to the existing Leeston Library & Service Centre building so that it can continue to be used for a limited time instead. *The existing building is earthquake prone and will likely need further significant upgrades to be used from 2035 onwards.*

Project cost:

Year 1: \$3.05m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$10.46

Funding:

Rates: 100%

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Leeston is not sufficient in scale to warrant new facilities to this level at this time.

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Do nothing. Use the existing park facilities and remove or replace old and unsafe items in the park.

Project cost:

Year 1: \$143,000

Estimated impact on rates:

Included in our current rates

Funding:

Rates: 100%

Please add any comments you may have

address unsafe equipment and keep spending to a minimum.

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Long-Term Plan 2024-2034

Submitter Details

Submission Date: 18/04/2024

First name: [REDACTED] **Last name:** [REDACTED]

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Delay building new Park and Ride facilities at Lincoln and Rolleston, and upgrading public transport infrastructure until the next Long-Term Plan when funding options might be more clear.

Project cost:

None

Estimated impact on rates:

To be determined

Funding:

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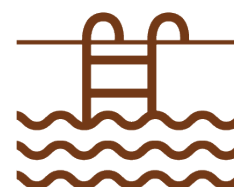
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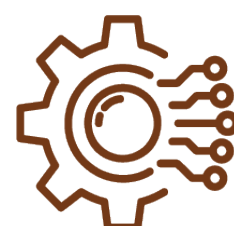
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i think transport options are an important investment into our future. More opportunities to travel between the Christchurch city and other Selwyn towns will mean less cars on the road and more flexibility for people who rely on public transport. Will be good to see Selwyn explore the most sustainable options out there when it comes to transport development.

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Project cost:

Year 3: \$7.07 million (minus \$1.10 million already included in the last Long-Term Plan. Total left to fund is \$5.97 million)

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$11.67

Funding:

Rates: 57%

Development contributions: 43% *

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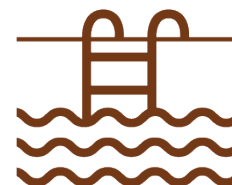
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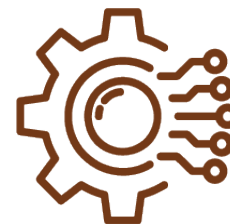
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Keep investing in our libraries as they are such important hubs for our communities. They hold the stories of this place and beyond which is such a privilege to have access to. Te Ara Ātea is a world class facility that you won't find anywhere else in the world because of its integrated Māori design which tells the stories of this place. Partnerships with Ngāi Te Ruahikihiki seem to be going well so well done! I'd like to see an increase in provision for services to and for Māori communities in the district.

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Project cost:

Year 1: \$16.01m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$44.22

Funding:

Rates: 80.5%

Development contributions: 19.5% *

2024/25

2025/26

2026/27

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Libraries and community spaces are so valuable and important to communities. Especially ones like ours in Selwyn that is diverse and growing with an increase of families. The services provided through libraries are essential to the health safety and wellbeing of the community and id encourage the council to continue to invest in libraries because of ths awesome work they do. Staff are amazinf and the community will really appreciate t

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Project cost:
Years 1-15: \$9.49 million
Estimated impact on rates:
Years 1-5: \$10.23
Years 6-10: \$6.05
Funding:
Rates: 71.4%
Development contributions: 28.6% *

Please add any comments you may have

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Long-Term Plan 2024-2034

Submitter Details

Submission Date: 19/04/2024

First name: Scott **Last name:** Harvey

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Preferred method of contact Email

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Additional requirements for hearing:

Feedback

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immensely popular worldwide, and importantly cater to both the sporting and non-sporting community. We could go big, really help put Rolleston on the map for out of town visitors (visit the TOPGOLF website for an idea of what I'm envisaging, these are amazing, and again cater to a very wide audience).

Of note, a squash court is something Rolly misses too, perhaps any such facility at Lowes Rd could incorporate a squash club.

Thank you for taking my feedback, noting I'm really invested in seeing Rolly continue to grow & prosper, so I'd happily be involved/represent the community/give my time to help get such an initiative off the ground.

Regards, Scott Harvey

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Submission Date: 19/04/2024

First name: Rosalyn **Last name:** Everest

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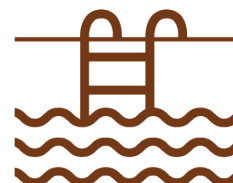
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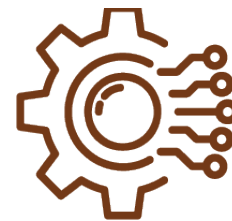
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Carry out the landscape improvements to extend the playing fields; replace and upgrade the playground equipment, footpaths, toilet block, lighting and irrigation; and seal the carpark.

Project cost:

Years 1-10: \$3.4m

Estimated impact on rates :

Included in current rates

Funding:

Rates: 71.4%

Development contributions: 28.6% *

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Long-Term Plan 2024-2034

Submitter Details

Submission Date: 19/04/2024

First name: Laura **Last name:** Roberts

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Project cost:

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Estimated impact on rates:

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Funding:

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Project cost:

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Estimated impact on rates (per year):

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Funding:

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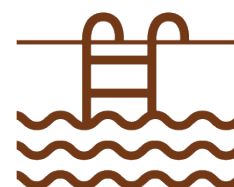
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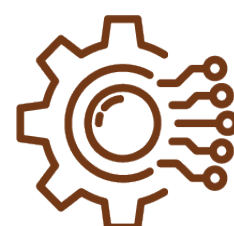
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Project cost:

Year 1: \$16.01m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$44.22

Funding:

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Project cost:

None

Estimated impact on rates:

To be determined

Funding:

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I would recommend maintaining a 'holding pattern' on the creation of park and ride facilities and investment in mass road transport. The bus services that are funded by taxes and rates across Greater Christchurch are underutilised. Time should be taken to understand the motivations of potential users

combined with the increased prevalence of hybrid working. Most people that drive into Christchurch will prioritise flexibility and freedom of movement over the availability of public road transport. To make bus route more efficient to the extent that the public will choose to use them over their own vehicles would require significant investment in creating dedicated bus lanes. A more future proof investment may be in other methods of transportation, such as commuter rail.

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Project cost:

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Estimated impact on rates (per year):

None

Funding:

None

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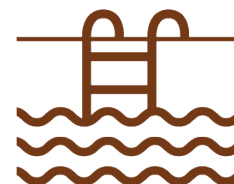
With around 4% of the district's population coming residing in Darfield there is little justification to make any significant investment on this project at the current time. Darfield has a perfectly functioning and fit for purpose community hall. West Melton has a new facility which is 17 minutes drive from Darfield with Rolleston only 25 minutes drive.

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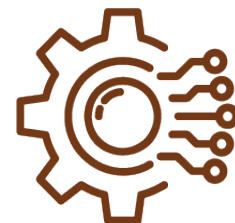
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Other comments

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The council should look to stimulate economic growth by making it attractive to new businesses to move into the area, particularly to Rolleston (Izone). There are few industrial units available to lease or buy in the area.

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The charity, Affinity Gymnastics Academy Incorporated, is the Selwyn Districts largest charity sports

club with a very large membership base. Three years ago numerous submissions were made to council requesting their support. The council committed to undertake a feasibility report for a new building for Affinity that would be subject to a lease. This was never done and the council ignored repeated requests.

The club currently pays \$160,000 per year in rent to a private landlord for an unsuitable building.

Despite this, the council obviously finds it acceptable to build more floodlit sports pitches for smaller clubs at in Prebbleton for \$11M and an artificial hockey and football pitch in Rolleston for \$4.3M, all to be used by much smaller clubs.

The council should either commit to a new purpose-built gymnastic sports facility in Rolleston for the Selwyn District or provide land on reserve land as an alternative option to allow the club to fund its own building.

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Project cost:

Year 1: \$3.05m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$10.46

Funding:

Rates: 100%

Please add any comments you may have

The previous decision (LTP21-31) stated that the cost to build the new community centre was \$8.9m, with an increase in targeted rates of \$19/yr. The proposed cost in this LTP is nearly double. The council should make the existing building safe and compliant and prioritise other works. The utilisation of the existing building should be properly understood prior to making a decision that affects all ratepayers for a small town of around 2,000 people.

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Do nothing. Use the existing park facilities and remove or replace old and unsafe items in the park.

Project cost:

Year 1: \$143,000

Estimated impact on rates:

Included in our current rates

Funding:

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The investment proposed is disproportionate to the rate paying population base and potential amenity utilisation.

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First name: Neil **Last name:** Smart

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Years 1–3: \$4.2 million

Years 4–10: \$11.6 million

Estimated impact on rates:

Years 1–3: \$14.41

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Project cost:

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Estimated impact on rates (per year):

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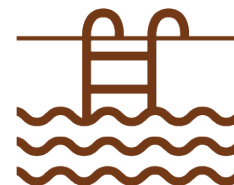
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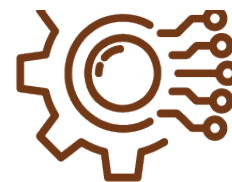
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Long-Term Plan 2024-2034

Submitter Details

Submission Date: 18/04/2024

First name: [REDACTED] **Last name:** [REDACTED]

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Project cost:

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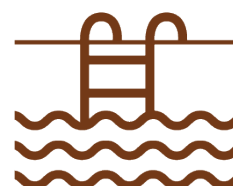
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Build Whata Rau next to Leeston Park using a more standard design that can be easily repeated for other buildings. This building would have the same sized floor space as option 2 and include a cultural narrative in the design.

Project cost:

Year 1: 15.21m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$42.01

Funding:

Rates: 80.5%

Development contributions: 19.5% *

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Project cost:

Years 1-10: \$3.4m

Estimated impact on rates :

Included in current rates

Funding:

Rates: 71.4%

Development contributions: 28.6% *

Our
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Please add any comments you may have

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Long-Term Plan 2024-2034

Submitter Details

Submission Date: 19/04/2024

First name: Erin **Last name:** Van Der Zwet

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Preferred method of contact Email

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Project cost:

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Years 4–10: \$11.6 million

Estimated impact on rates:

Years 1–3: \$7.06

Years 4–10: \$19.52

Funding:

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NZTA Waka Kotahi: 51%

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Project cost:

Year 3: \$11.28 million (minus \$1.10 million already included in the last Long-Term Plan. Total left to fund is \$10.18 million)

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$19.91

Funding:

Rates: 57%

Development contributions: 43% *

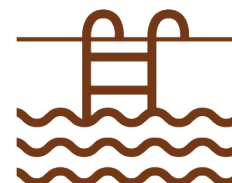
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Any comments?

Economic Development

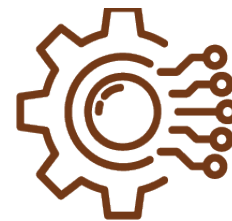
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Provide a chlorine free filtered water station in the centre of Darfield - particular because we have already been subjected to chlorination and we are last in line for exemption consideration

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Project cost:

None

Estimated impact on rates:

To be determined

Funding:

To be determined

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Project cost:

None

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

None

Funding:

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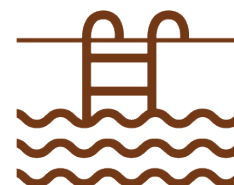
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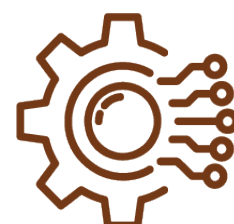
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Project cost:

Year 1: \$3.05m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$10.46

Funding:

Rates: 100%

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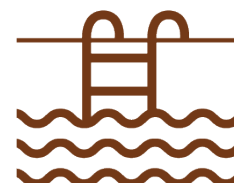
Again, same thoughts as per Ellesmere. I live near Darfield, so I totally agree that Darfield, especially with its rapid growth, needs the new community recreation and sports facility, but I just feel that extra cost is not essential at this time. Even \$20 per year adds up, on top of all of the other proposals.

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No

Any comments?

I live at Shffield. It was gifted to the Council, and so I feel strongly it should be gifted back to the Community, and to the School. Yes, we are only 10 minutes away from Darfield, but we get virtually nothing from the Council specific to this locality. We are not Darfield. We are Sheffield. We too are growing, with new housing going up, and farmers getting permission from Council to subdivide further, so within ten years, this village will be much bigger. The school is growing, and the school children use that pool all of the time. So gift it back to the community, and grant a community body, say the school, the \$290,000 that you would use to close it, for the school to upgrade it, and for the community to use.

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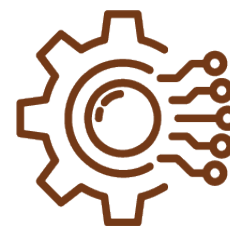
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Again, I just wish the Council would stick to the basics of what a local Council ought to do. Top priority is the services we need (not want): good quality roads, rubbish collection, and water. Then next layer, are things like a hall or community building. These things listed are nice ideas, but not essential. They do not affect most ratepayers, so are not necessary.

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Once again, it is clear that the Council is going well past what is essential into areas that are almost ideological. I am part-Māori but strongly disagree that we need consultation with Māori over everything. I think as a Council you need to do this referendum that this new government has brought in, to obtain a mandate from your ratepayers as to whether they think that sort of consultation and representation, which is not democratic, should be happening or not. I also do not think we need to spend money on climate change issues. We need to stick to the basics of why you exist, especially in a recession.

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Living in Sheffield, I feel we get very little value from the Council. I commute to CHCH for work each week day and the quality of the road along the Old West Coast Road has been appalling. I have lived here for three years, and it is a joke how many times the same parts of the roads get re-sealed. Clearly the sealant is low quality, as in a heavy rain, the pot holes return, and we are back to square one. The quality of the road closer to Sheffield is particularly bad.

Regarding the new provision of green waste collection, it does not extend to Sheffield. I asked about it, and was told no, it only goes as far as Darfield. So another example where we as a small community on the margins of the Council are ignored and left out.

Now you want to close the pool, and have signalled you may do the same with the Hall. That was not a surprise with this Council. In order to gain some positive thoughts from our community, you should gift both back to the Community, to a Trust or to the School, and allow us to maintain and use both facilities locally.

I went over a breakdown of my rating bill, and thought of how many of those costs are completely irrelevant to me. As I commute to CHCH, I don't ever go to Rolleston, and only go to Darfield once or twice per month, at the most, and then it is just to get petrol or groceries. Nothing else.

I tried the Library in Darfield, and it was dreadful. They have put a table tennis table into the library, and it was noisy and I got hit on the head twice by the ball. I was so annoyed I said to the librarian about it, and she said they were prioritising offering something to do for local school children. I said to her if you end up getting no one coming to the library you only have yourselves to blame. That building is big enough to house a table tennis table in another room. I have been to that library now four times, and that time was my last, and I will not be going again. Each time, the book selection was poor. Not one author I wanted was there, and very few books in the non-fiction categories were of interest. I then looked online at the catalogue, and saw that the entire Selwyn Library catalogue was of poor and limited quality.

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Next complaint is the water. Please stop whatever is in it! It tastes horrific. I have got to pay for bottled water, and I am saving up for a filter. Everyone I know out here has filters now installed. The plumbers must be happy! You did not consult if we wanted that. It is no longer required by the government, so please stop adding fluoride or chlorine, or whatever it is that tastes awful, smells awful, and makes everything go yellow. Out here at Sheffield our water was of a good quality before you added that stuff to our supply. You are not obliged to keep doing this, so please stop.

Final summary is I think you need to prioritise basic things first - the stuff councils are meant to provide: roads, water, sewerage, and rubbish collection. Then look at parks and facilities. However, be aware many ratepayers never use even those, so at that point, you need to survey your ratepayers as to what is actually a priority - you are elected representatives of the ratepayers. We are into a recession, and the nation has huge debt. This ten year plan should be about consolidation. Ensuring the basics are provided, but not a lot else. Aim for a more positive next ten year period, when hopefully the economy is stronger and more vibrant, and then the extras, like parks and facilities, can be expanded. Maybe work in with schools, like Papanui High School has with the Council with the Graham Condon Centre. Share the costs.

I have lived in five council areas in my adult life as a ratepayer, and this is certainly the worst experience I have had of a council: in the lack of what is provided just because I live in a more rural location within the council, and in the sense of ideals of the Council being prioritised over the basics, without consultation. In fact, it has been such a negative experience living out here regarding how the Council is, with the roads, the water, the lack of green waste collection, and now the pool closing, I am planning to sell when I can, to move. The main reason is just how badly we are treated

by the Council - it makes for a miserable existence out here. It really feels like the Council simply does not care. Rolleston then Lincoln are the priorities, and to a lesser extent, Darfield and Lesston, but the rural ratepayers are just almost irrelevant.

I am not normally a negative person, but truly, these three years out here, with one thing after another, it has been a very negative experience with the Council, without one positive aspect I can think of.

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Do nothing. Use the existing park facilities and remove or replace old and unsafe items in the park.

Project cost:

Year 1: \$143,000

Estimated impact on rates:

Included in our current rates

Funding:

Rates: 100%

Please add any comments you may have

I think until the economy has improved, these sorts of extras, although nice to have, are not essential. Hopefully, by the next 10 year Long Term Plan, NZ's economy is in a better shape. Most ratepayers cannot afford increased rates at this time, so it is the Council's responsibility to curb its spending to the "must have's" not the "nice to have" or "ideal to hvae" categories.

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Submission Form – Long-Term Plan 2024-34

For Council use: submission number **418**

Note to submitters

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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.

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Submissions close at 5pm on Thursday 2 May 2024. All submissions need to be returned to the Council Rolleston office or one of our four libraries and service centres by this time to be considered. Any submissions received after this time will not be considered.

Submitter details

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

First name* **Janet**

Last name* **Burton**

Address* _____

Town* _____

Postcode* _____

Contact number* _____

Email address* _____

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

Our Big Decisions



What is your view on building three new Park and Ride facilities in Lincoln and Rolleston and upgrading bus stops?

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- ☐ Carry out the work regardless of co-funding.
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Any other comments?

Pa & only useful over & above own transport use if can deliver passengers to their destination as quick or quicker - ie town centre city - Herby.



What is your view on delivering Whata Rau?

- ☒ Do not build Whata Rau. Carry out necessary repairs to the existing Leeston Library & Service Centre building so that it can continue to be used for a limited time instead. *restrictive*
- ☐ Build Whata Rau as agreed in our 2021-31 Long-Term Plan, using the design already completed to meet the needs identified by the community.
- ☐ Build Whata Rau with additional sports courts and/or bigger community meeting spaces.
- ☐ Build Whata Rau, using a more standard, simplified design with the same floor space and cultural narrative, but without the same flexibility to meet the needs already identified.

Any other comments?

New Rolleston Library is not too far away & offers alot of room & activities for other people use -



What is your view on upgrading Leeston Park?

- ☐ Do nothing. Only carry out routine maintenance to replace old and unsafe items.
- ☐ Extend the playing fields and upgrade the car park playground equipment, footpaths, toilets, lighting and irrigation.
- ☐ Carry out the full Leeston Park Master Plan over 15 years.

Any other comments?

I'm not living in leeston so know the issues that well



What is your view on delivering a new sports and recreation facility for Malvern?

- ☐ Do not build a community recreation and sports facility at Darfield.
- ☐ Build a community recreation and sports facility at Darfield that includes one indoor court.
- ☐ Build a community recreation and sports facility at Darfield that includes two indoor courts.

Any other comments?

- ditto -

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makes sense due to population in Sheffield tho
Do you support the closure of Sheffield Pool?

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No

it wouldn't affect me, can't really say~



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Use of train lines could be better used for a public transport carriage into town? - quicker than bus - could be used by elderly & younger ones - however, cost factor could be a problem - put on during summer months to test out the popularity?





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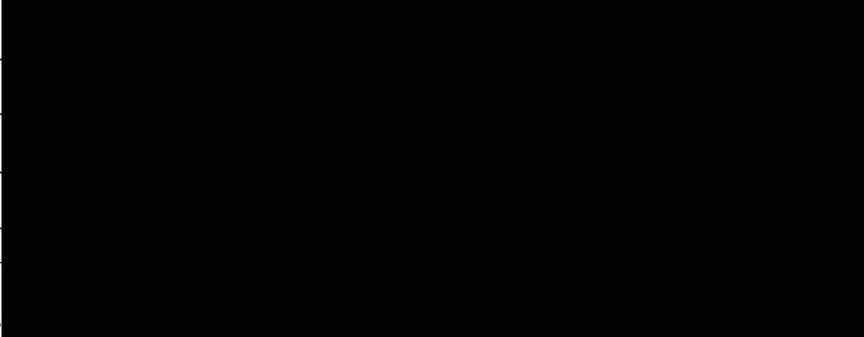
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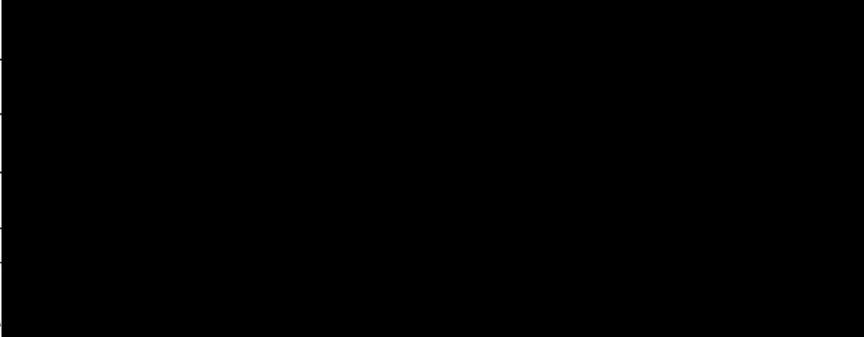
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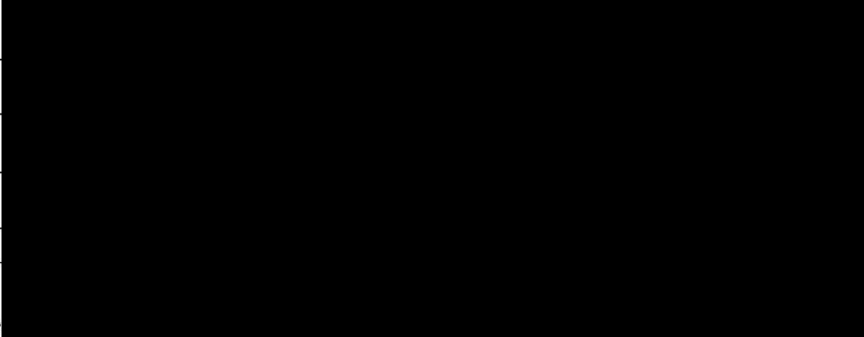
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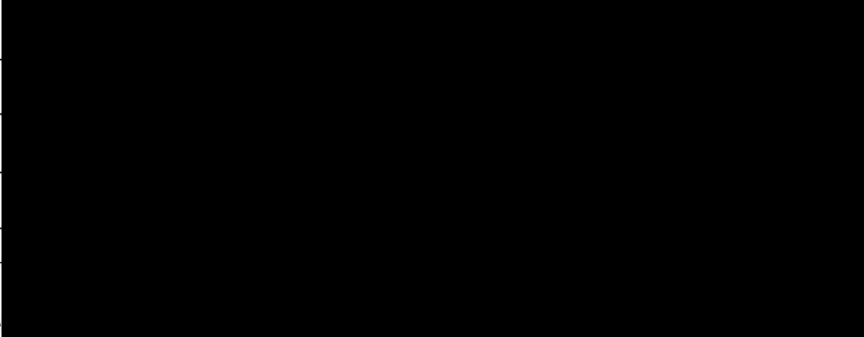
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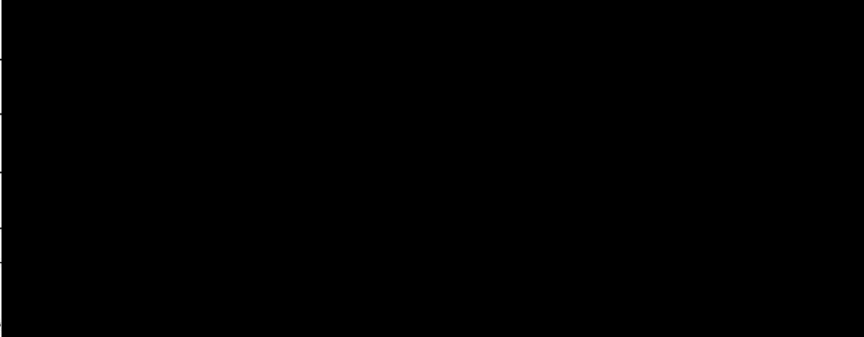
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WE NEED TRAIN BETWEEN
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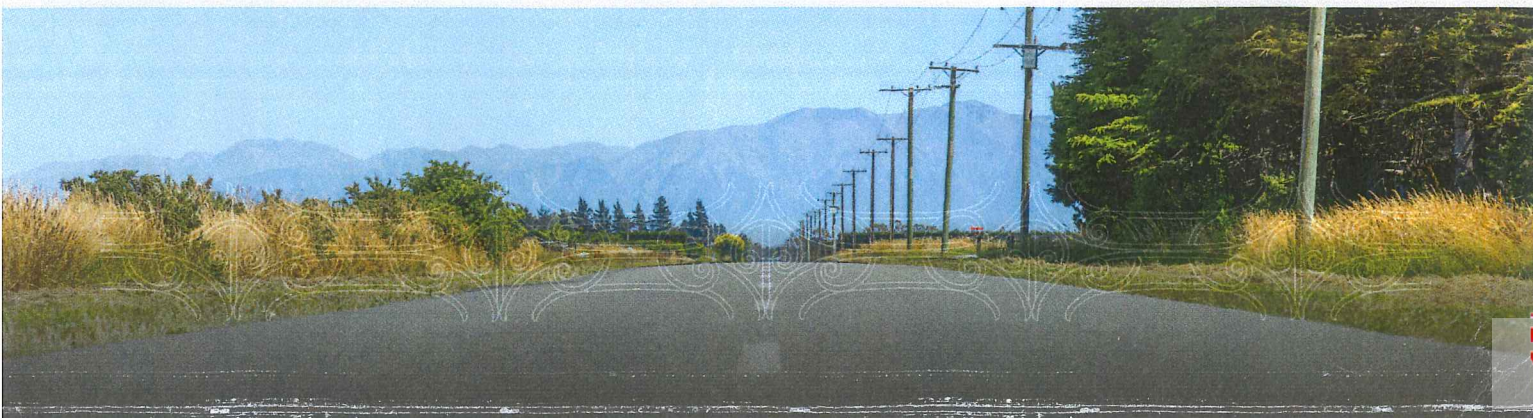
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Other comments?

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THE ONLY EXTRA RATES
I'M WILLING TO PAY IS
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Long-Term Plan 2024-2034

Submitter Details

Submission Date: 21/04/2024

First name: Sara **Last name:** Kross

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Preferred method of contact Email

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Project cost:

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Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$11.67

Funding:

Rates: 57%

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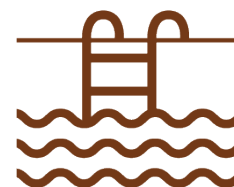
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No

Any comments?

Pools are essential for our communities and we shouldn't be asking people to drive into hubs like Darfield and Rolleston to use them. This is removing a cost from the council and adding it to individual households (and probably schools). \$1 million is a drop in the bucket of all of the other costs proposed. We should be building MORE community pools and facilities.

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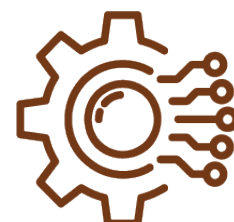
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I think the council needs to explain what these digital solutions are and how this cost compares to the existing digital infrastructure.

Other comments

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I am concerned that the council is falling behind on provisioning of infrastructure and services to the ever-growing population of Selwyn. The Lincoln town centre plan is considerably out of date and was written with a population of about 10,000 people in mind- which the recently approved subdivisions in the area will double in the near future. If it takes the council 10 years to even get projects started, then we should be seeing much more proposed for Lincoln in the current long-term plan, including a swimming pool and more playing fields and public recreation facilities. I don't see evidence of a clear plan for dealing with the increased traffic that comes with the growing population- especially the burden that will be placed on Prebbleton and the southern suburbs of Christchurch with twice as many cars traveling through their neighbourhoods. Nor is there a clear plan for making it safer for cyclists and pedestrians within our towns- we have excellent bike paths in some areas (for example, I commute via the rail trail from Christchurch through Prebbleton and to Lincoln), but the paths virtually disappear in the towns themselves where cars have priority over bikes. I know that the school my children go to has constant problems with traffic created by parents dropping kids off, and that feedback from parents has been that they don't feel the roads leading to the school are safe enough for their kids to ride bikes- thus leading to more traffic and even more unsafe conditions. I'd really like to see our towns planned in such a way that there are safe bike paths (that give the bikes right of way over cars on side streets), especially leading to schools and the town centre.

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Project cost:

Year 1: 19.24m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$53.14

Funding:

Rates: 80.5%

Development contributions: 19.5% *

2024/25

2025/26

2026/27

2027/28

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Project cost:

Years 1-15: \$9.49 million

Estimated impact on rates:

Years 1-5: \$10.23

Years 6-10: \$6.05

Funding:

Rates: 71.4%

Development contributions: 28.6% *

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Last name*

Address*

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Contact number*

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Long-Term Plan 2024-2034

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Submission Date: 19/04/2024

First name: [REDACTED] **Last name:** [REDACTED]

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\$19.91

Funding:

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First name: Bev **Last name:** Kelly

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Project cost:

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Years 4–10: \$11.6 million

Estimated impact on rates:

Years 1–3: \$7.06

Years 4–10: \$19.52

Funding:

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NZTA Waka Kotahi: 51%

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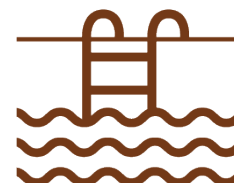
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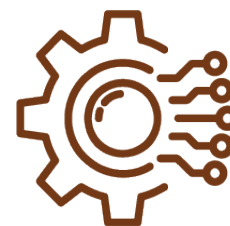
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Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$44.22

Funding:

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2024/25

2025/26

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Carry out the landscape improvements to extend the playing fields; replace and upgrade the playground equipment, footpaths, toilet block, lighting and irrigation; and seal the carpark.

Project cost:

Years 1-10: \$3.4m

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Funding:

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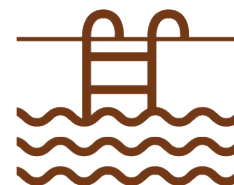
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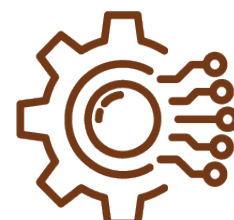
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Project cost:

Year 1: \$3.05m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$10.46

Funding:

Rates: 100%

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Do nothing. Use the existing park facilities and remove or replace old and unsafe items in the park.

Project cost:

Year 1: \$143,000

Estimated impact on rates:

Included in our current rates

Funding:

Rates: 100%

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Long-Term Plan 2024-2034

Submitter Details

Submission Date: 19/04/2024

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Our
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Project cost:

Year 3: \$7.07 million (minus \$1.10 million already included in the last Long-Term Plan. Total left to fund is \$5.97 million)

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$11.67

Funding:

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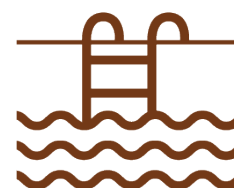
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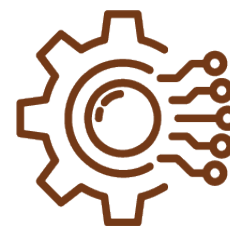
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Project cost:

Year 1: 15.21m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$42.01

Funding:

Rates: 80.5%

Development contributions: 19.5% *

2024/25

2025/26

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Project cost:

Years 1-10: \$3.4m

Estimated impact on rates :

Included in current rates

Funding:

Rates: 71.4%

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Submitter Details

Submission Date: 19/04/2024

First name: DONNELLE **Last name:** GLEN

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Project cost:

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Estimated impact on rates:

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Funding:

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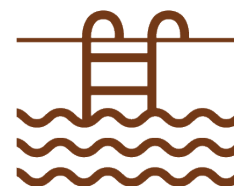
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Do you support the closure of Sheffield Community Pool?

No

Any comments?

The community needs this pool for children in the district to learn to swim, Darfield is already crowded!

With a growing population in the area, this pool will be used for years to come.

If Sheffield school kids have to be transported to Darfield for compulsory swimming lessons, this is taking into there learning of numeracy and literacy time, adding to the costs of transport and logistics for teachers, parents and impeding more importantly the learning of the students.

Primary school children only have a limited learning concentration period per day, if that is taken up with a logistical 2 hr round trip to go for swimming lessons 3 x per week, where do fit time for the actual learning?

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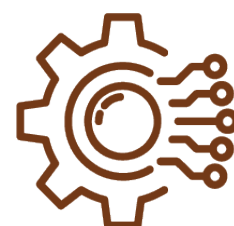


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First name: Krystal **Last name:** Paix

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Project cost:

Year 1: \$16.01m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$44.22

Funding:

Rates: 80.5%

Development contributions: 19.5% *

2024/25

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This upgrade is really important. i run the Leeston Drawing Club out of the Leeston Library we are a not for profit registered charity who employ Ellesmere College Students each term to teach art classes to

nuerodiverse children and those with complex needs.

As a ratepayer it is disheartening to see all the money funnelled into Rolleston and the small rural farming towns (which are growing at an swift rate and will soon be bulging like Rolleston). If we don't keep up with infrastructure in these growing towns we will be faced with the same problem that Rolleston has with the school. Services which have not planned for sustained growth.

The Leeston Library is the hub for the local community, many clubs, groups and families gather. As a planner myself it would be very disheartening to see the council not keep their word on this. Keep the heart and soul of the small community alive by providing adequate infrastructure.

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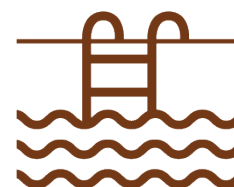
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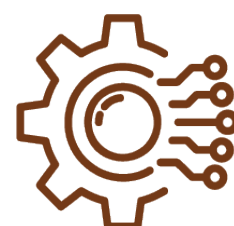
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Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$53.14

Funding:

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Development contributions: 19.5% *

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Submission Form – Long-Term Plan 2024-34

For Council use: submission number

Note to submitters

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Submissions close at 5pm on Thursday 2 May 2024. All submissions need to be returned to the Council Rolleston office or one of our four libraries and service centres by this time to be considered. Any submissions received after this time will not be considered.

Submitter details

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

First name* Alana

Last name* Simbar-Vernon

Address* 1311 Courtney Rd

Town* Kirwee

Postcode* (7571)

Contact number* 0220922938

Email address* alana@thesvs.com

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

Our Big Decisions

1

What is your view on building three new Park and Ride facilities in Lincoln and Rolleston and upgrading bus stops?

- ☐ Only carry out the work if the Council receives co-funding from NZTA Waka Kotahi.
- ☒ Carry out the work regardless of co-funding.
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Any other comments?

Get a one-car carriage train to
bring Springfield, Sheffield, Darfield
and Kirmee residents into
Rolleston. The train line is under
utilized and think of the cars
taken off the roads.

Offer more than once a day
train and buses to Darfield

2b

What is your view on upgrading Leeston Park?

- ☐ Do nothing. Only carry out routine maintenance to replace old and unsafe items.
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Any other comments?

2a

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Any other comments?

Leeston is expanding. Think
more than immediate

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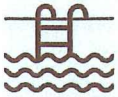
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Darfield is getting massive. It
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does Kirmee. Look at population
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Matters for Community Guidance



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Do you support the closure of Sheffield Pool?

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Yes

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No



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Do you support the continued development of an economic development strategy?

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Yes

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No



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Yes

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No

need details.



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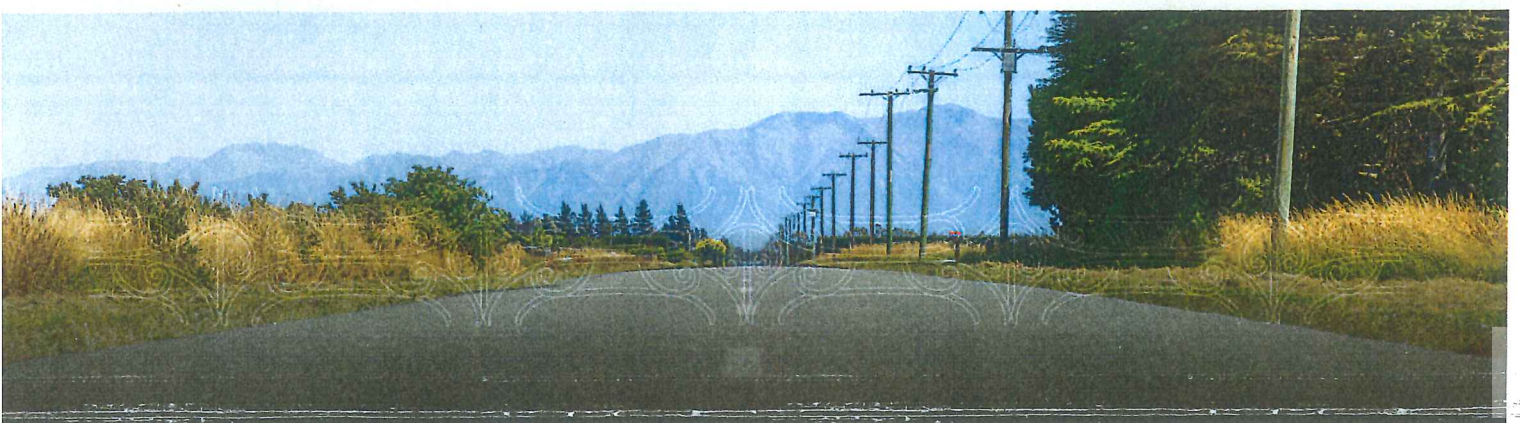
All Iwi are just NZers. They shouldn't get any extra treatment or votes over every other NZer.

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*Develop services along SH 73.
Kiriue + Darfield have almost doubled in 3 years. Stop ignoring this. Use the rail line.
But on multiple services.*

*Link our communities better.
Get the mobile library to go to Kiriue more than never!
Some people also need to think about more bush/tree reserves.*





Long-Term Plan 2024-2034

Submitter Details

Submission Date: 20/04/2024

First name: Ray **Last name:** GOLDRING

☐ Withhold my details

Organisation: Castle Hill Community
Association

Preferred method of contact Email

Do you wish to attend a Council hearing to present your feedback in person?

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The CHCA has a number of matters that we want to address.

DARK SKY

Castle Hill Village is located in the mountains and is void of any close town of city light-influence. It is an ideal location to view the stars and milky-way. However, a few years ago the street lights were changed from standard globes to LED. It was assumed the LED lights would shine down onto the street only - but alas - they still shine out onto the adjacent properties as well resulting in light-pollution preventing the unencumbered viewing of stars.

We request that the Castle Hill Village be designated a "Dark-Sky" zone with suitable street lighting to prevent light polluting residents' viewing of the night sky.

GREEN WASTE

The permanent residents of Castle Hill Village have no facility for the disposal of green-waste in the Village. With the Village becoming more "forested" with the planting of beech trees, and with existing beech trees getting larger, snow and heavy wind events often break branches off which need disposing of.

We request that a green-waste facility, possibly a dedicated open-top container, be located adjacent to the recycling/rubbish skips in the Village.

VILLAGE ENTRANCE

The Village entrance posts and railings are rotting and unsightly and need replacing.

It is requested that the Village entrance be rebuilt in keeping with the original design and theme.

WILDING SEED AGENT TREES

The Canterbury Regional Pest Management Plan designates Douglas fir and larch as pest conifers. Currently the Castle Hill Village reserves have a number of these wilding seed-source trees still growing there. These trees are spreading their seeds onto adjacent properties in breach of the RPMP.

We request that the remaining wilding seed-source pest trees on Castle Hill Reserves be removed immediately.

Do you wish to present your submission in person at a public hearing in the council chambers?

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Submission Date: 20/04/2024

First name: Willem **Last name:** Tolhoek

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Years 4–10: \$11.6 million

Estimated impact on rates:

Years 1–3: \$14.41

Years 4–10: \$39.83

Funding:

Rates: 100%

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Build a community recreation and sports facility at Darfield that includes one indoor court.

Project cost:

Year 3: \$7.07 million (minus \$1.10 million already included in the last Long-Term Plan. Total left to fund is \$5.97 million)

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$11.67

Funding:

Rates: 57%

Development contributions: 43% *

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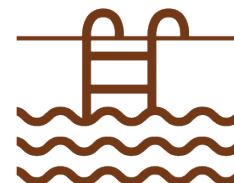
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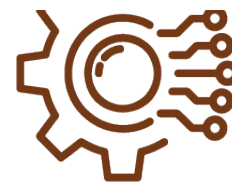
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Any comments?

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The council needs to be more financially disciplined at this stage of the economic cycle. The council can't keep raising rates above inflation. Developers should make more of a contribution towards community and roading infrastructure. This should come at the expense of developers profits (they need to be happy with making a large profit from land sales, not over the top profits).

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With the council approving the massive development of land in Lincoln. Many of the roading network upgrades will need to be brought forward to meet the increase traffic congestion that will occur. Lincoln will be effectively doubling in size. Traffic lights that have been proposed will need be brought forward. The roading improvements for Birches, Ellesmere and Springs road to Prebbleton will need to occur. These roads are already very unsafe due to the increases degradation of the roading surface due to already high vehicle use. These roads have not been upgraded in the past 30 years.

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Do not build Whata Rau. Carry out necessary repairs to the existing Leeston Library & Service Centre building so that it can continue to be used for a limited time instead. *The existing building is earthquake prone and will likely need further significant upgrades to be used from 2035 onwards.*

Project cost:

Year 1: \$3.05m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

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Funding:

Rates: 100%

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To be totally inclusive you need to help fund those that support those in need. Digital Exclusion excludes the old, the disabled, the poor, those that struggle with literacy, and those for who have English as their second language.

Do you wish to present your submission in person at a public hearing in the council chambers?

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Brief Overview: Citizens Advice Bureau Christchurch Area

CABCHA Citizens Advice Bureau Christchurch Area (CABCHA), Ngā Pou Whakawhirinaki o Ōtautahi provides an essential contribution to community wellbeing by offering a universal multi-faceted information and advice service. Our service has been in Christchurch for 53 years and is highly valued by community groups and government organisations at both local and national levels.

Our full-time (9am-5pm) information service is run from three Christchurch-based branches in New Brighton, at the Fendalton Library and in Hornby with a weekly service at The Loft in the Eastgate Mall. A monthly face-to-face service supports the fast-growing Selwyn Central communities. All are located on major bus routes.

We have one full-time paid staff manager and over 120 highly trained volunteers.

Clients are often referred to CAB from government organisations and our information is located on most government websites as a place where individuals can get reliable information.

Continued funding will allow CABCHA to...

1. Continue to provide free, impartial and verifiable information to support the wellbeing of all sectors of the community. We continuously evaluate services to ensure that the needs of the more vulnerable members of the community are being met (e.g. low-income families, elderly, Pacific Peoples, migrants, and people with disabilities) and we are keen to move our City branch into new premises located in East Christchurch, where we can work more closely with other community trusts and organisations.

2. Continue to address digital exclusion issues by increasing access to information and support services to those without the ability to connect online. CABCHA helps redress the inequity of the digital divide in Christchurch by providing access to online forms, keeping paper-based information and forms, providing volunteers and clinics for those who need help with letter writing or filling out forms, and actively assisting clients to navigate the online environment to meet their needs. We are committed to providing information, specialist clinics and increased accessibility to all our services face-to-face. We provide activities, assistance, and programmes that promote hauora by increasing community connectedness and participation in addressing unmet needs.

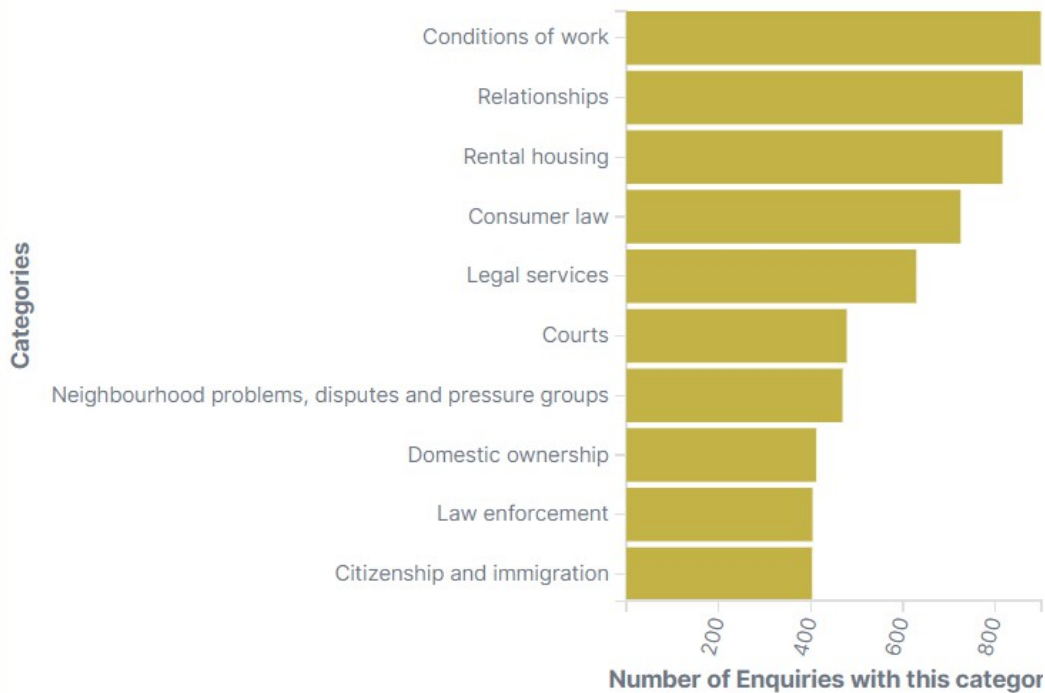
Stats overview Citizens Advice Bureau Christchurch Area April 1, 2023- March 31, 2024

10,380
CAB Services (excluding Clinics)

4,975
Number of Clients Attending
Clinics

2,480
Hours spent (in-depth Interviews)

Top Ten Categories



Selwyn Specific:

Of the clients who identified their location, 7% contacted CABCHA from the Selwyn District.

Long-Term Plan 2024-2034

Submitter Details

Submission Date: 20/04/2024

First name: lorraine **Last name:** strowger

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we need to encourage sport participation as much as we can and an indoor facility would most certainly help this. Have long believed that the pond should go now and that area be used to build 2 indoor courts for netball and basketball and gym area at least. Parking is already there which will be an advantage.

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Submitter Details

Submission Date: 20/04/2024

First name: Ceridwyn **Last name:** FOOTE

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Years 4–10: \$11.6 million

Estimated impact on rates:

Years 1–3: \$7.06

Years 4–10: \$19.52

Funding:

Rates: 49%

NZTA Waka Kotahi: 51%

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The ideal is to have this co-funded however if this doesnot appear, then move forward with option 2. the logic would be funding from Waka Kotahi otherwise they have to build more and more roads!!!!

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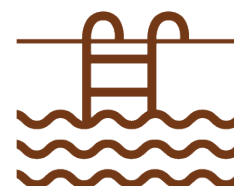
Very much in favour of this. Are two courts enough??? What's the saying / movie - 'Build it and they will come' - I assume the option of one or two courts is based on the perceived need now, by the time this is built it could already be too small. A larger facility also has the capability to attract patronage from outside the Malvern area ie as a competition venue, Oxford, Methven etc teams.

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Yes

Any comments?

This a hard one, However, if the pool has reached the end of its life, this would be a replacement not refurbishment. Unless other funding options ie MOE contribution, commercial partner, I dont think there is an option.

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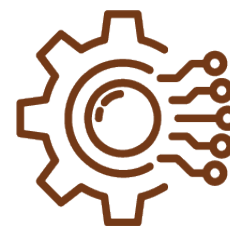
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Policy changes and updates are often dictated by other rules, laws, policy changes by others, often central govt, not to mention the passage of time. Looks they are all woven together and just need to happen.

I fully agree that mana whenua and iwi need to have a seat at the table and be included at all stages of council decision making.

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strategic Relations: as stated before I fully support a strong, equitable partnership with mana whenua.

Water: I'm not opposed to chlorination if needed. Exempting some communities from this would require vigilant monitoring. An opps, and putting out a boil water notice is too late, and has consequences as we have seen. Same with fluoride, the benefits speak for themselves, especially for the underprivileged. sounds like a sensible strategy in place for the monitoring of nitrate. Just

have to hope Ecan requirements have the effect they hope.

Transport: this one is very important to me. I understand that some of this is not necessarily under council control, however council professes to want Selwyn to be self sustainable. This can not happen when it's people do not have the means to move around the district - apart from climbing in a car - We are all talking 'climate change', ' environmental footprint' however at this point to get to one township to the next there is NO OTHER OPTION. I live in Darfield, I have no way to access any of the facilities in Rolleston apart from getting in the car. The Youth of Darfield, the elderly or those with no vehicle are stuck, no where to go, no means of getting there. The facilities and services offered by the Selwyn community and council are worthless if the people do not have a public transport option to get to them. I see this as a priority!!!!!!

Organics collection: yup, have a bin already, huge need, totally agree, especially with urban sections getting small, people these days dont have room for a compost bin not to mention the skills or inclination. Pines resource centre is great. Key to its use by the wider community is keeping the cost as low as possible. it must be remembered for most of us we are travelling a significant distance to get to it so the cost is a factor.

Property Assests: Development contributions - I have been involved in subdivisions in Darfield. Paying more 'contributions' I do not agree with. the cost of council contributions is already a significant portion of development costs and I am yet to see where these contributions are spent in the community. ie in our last development we expanded an existing reserve as well as paying a significant reserves contribution, the 2022 annual plan had money set aside to enhance and develop this reserve - to date there is no sign of this. It is to be remembered council is gaining a number of rate payers from these developments and this is where these 'new' contributions should be coming from. This proposal would create a yet another barrier to development and the growth of the council ratepayer client base.

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Project cost:

Year 1: \$16.01m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$44.22

Funding:

Rates: 80.5%

Development contributions: 19.5% *

2024/25

2025/26

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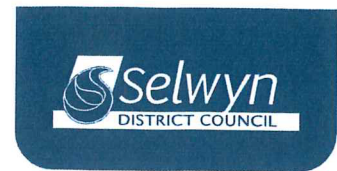
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Submissions will be used only for the purpose of this consultation process.

Submissions close at 5pm on Thursday 2 May 2024. All submissions need to be returned to the Council Rolleston office or one of our four libraries and service centres by this time to be considered. Any submissions received after this time will not be considered.

Submitter details

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

First name* Jos

Last name*

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Town*

Postcode*

Contact number*

Email address*

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

Our Big Decisions

1

What is your view on building three new Park and Ride facilities in Lincoln and Rolleston and upgrading bus stops?

- ☐ Only carry out the work if the Council receives co-funding from NZTA Waka Kotahi.
- ☐ Carry out the work regardless of co-funding.
- ☒ Delay the work until the next Long-Term Plan when funding options might be clearer.

Any other comments?

THE COMMUNITY NEEDS A COMMUTER RAIL
OPTION THAT CAN GET YOU FROM ROLLESTON
TO CHRISTCHURCH CITY CENTRE IN
30 MINUTES, HOUR LONG BUS ROUTES
ARE NOT A FEASIBLE COMMUTER OPTION.

2b

What is your view on upgrading Leeston Park?

- ☒ Do nothing. Only carry out routine maintenance to replace old and unsafe items.
- ☐ Extend the playing fields and upgrade the car park playground equipment, footpaths, toilets, lighting and irrigation.
- ☐ Carry out the full Leeston Park Master Plan over 15 years.

Any other comments?

IN ORDER TO BETTER MANAGE
AND MINIMIZE IMPACT ON RATES,
PLEASE CONSIDER DELAYING THESE
UPGRADES UNTIL DEVELOPERS ARE
EITHER ABLE AND WILLING TO
CONTRIBUTE MORE -OR- WE HAVE
RETURNED TO A MORE MODERATE
RATES INCREASE.

2a

What is your view on delivering Whata Rau?

- ☐ Do not build Whata Rau. Carry out necessary repairs to the existing Leeston Library & Service Centre building so that it can continue to be used for a limited time instead.
- ☒ Build Whata Rau as agreed in our 2021-31 Long-Term Plan, using the design already completed to meet the needs identified by the community.
- ☐ Build Whata Rau with additional sports courts and/or bigger community meeting spaces.
- ☐ Build Whata Rau, using a more standard, simplified design with the same floor space and cultural narrative, but without the same flexibility to meet the needs already identified.

Any other comments?

OVER THE LONG TERM, OPTION 1 IS SIMPLY
THE MOST EXPENSIVE OPTION AS THE EXISTING
BUILDING IS EARTHQUAKE PRONE AND NEEDS
REPLACEMENT. OPTION 3 IS SIGNIFICANTLY
MORE EXPENSIVE. THE COST DIFFERENCE
BETWEEN OPTION 2 AND 4 IS NEGLIGIBLE,
BUT OPTION 2 HAS THE ADVANTAGE OF BEING
ALREADY DESIGNED.

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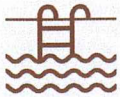
What is your view on delivering a new sports and recreation facility for Malvern?

- ☐ Do not build a community recreation and sports facility at Darfield.
- ☐ Build a community recreation and sports facility at Darfield that includes one indoor court.
- ☒ Build a community recreation and sports facility at Darfield that includes two indoor courts.

Any other comments?

PLEASE CONSIDER DELAYING THE
START OF THIS PROJECT TO BETTER
MANAGE THE IMPACT ON RATES.
BUT I AM GENERALLY SUPPORTIVE
OF THE PROJECT AS FITNESS IN THE
COMMUNITY IS POOR AND WE HAVE
A HEALTH EPIDEMIC IN NZ.

Matters for Community Guidance



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Do you support the closure of Sheffield Pool?



Yes



No



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Do you support the continued development of an economic development strategy?



Yes



No



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We are proposing to explore the most effective technologies that could assist us to do our best work for the community.

We've budgeted \$1.3million a year to do this, with the costs to be reconfirmed through each annual plan as the work progresses.

Do you support the Council investing in better technology solutions to improve our services to the community?



Yes



No



Policies

What is your view on the proposed changes to the Significance and Engagement Policy and financial policies outlined on pages 54-55 of the consultation document?

1. I SUPPORT THE CLIMATE CHANGE POLICY.

2. I OPPOSE CO-GOVERNANCE AND TREATING NZ CITIZENS DIFFERENTLY ON THE BASIS OF ETHNICITY. DEMOCRACY IS BUILT ON ONE PERSON ONE VOTE. THEREFORE I AM OPPOSED TO MÄORI GETTING A SPECIAL SEAT AT THE TABLE ON COUNCIL DECISION MAKING.

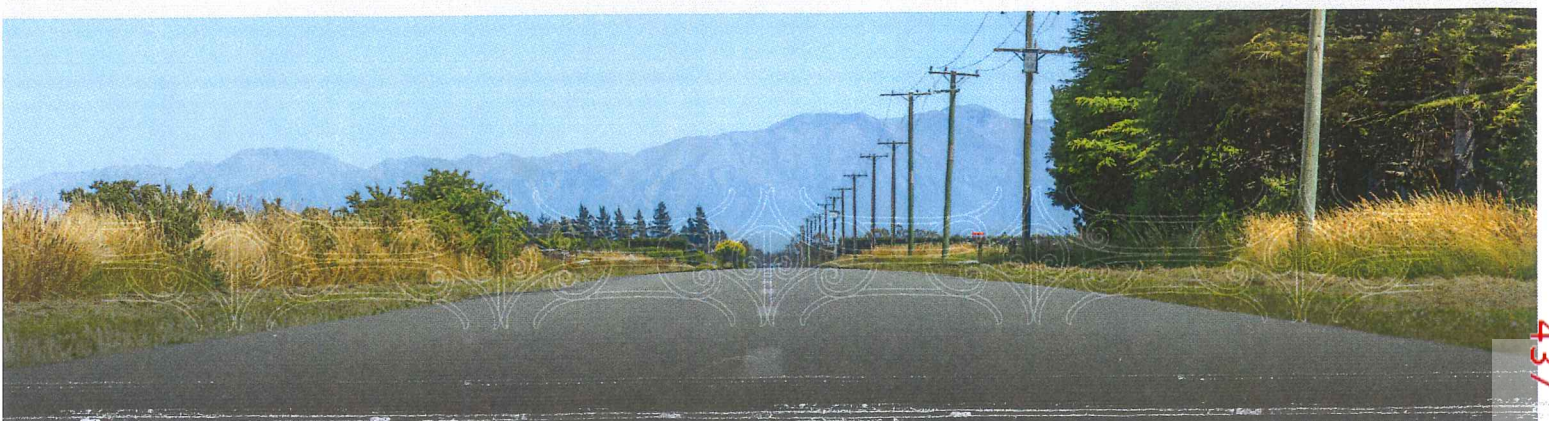
Other comments?

You can provide comments on any other matters in our draft Long-Term Plan, including the projects in the Keeping Your Community Informed section on pages 44-51 of the consultation document.

1. PLEASE DO MORE TO MODERATE RATE INCREASES. LAST YEAR MY RATES INCREASED 14%. THIS YEAR 16% IS FORECASTED. RATE INCREASES SHOULD BE MORE IN LINE WITH INFLATION IN GENERAL.

2. I AM OPPOSED TO THE PROPOSAL TO BOND A STADIUM ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF ROLLESTON. RATE PAYERS WILL BEAR THE COST OF THIS EITHER DIRECTLY THROUGH CONTRIBUTIONS OR INDIRECTLY THROUGH INCREASED DEMANDS ON ROADS AND INFRASTRUCTURE. THERE ARE OTHER IMPROVEMENTS WE NEED MORE URGENTLY.

3. PLEASE UPGRADE OUR WATER INFRASTRUCTURE TO MEET CHLORINE-FREE REQUIREMENTS. I HAVE READ THE ADVICE ON COST IN THE CONSULTATION DOCUMENT AND WOULD WILLINGLY ACCEPT THE IMPACT ON OUR RATES. THIS IS VITAL INFRASTRUCTURE.





Long-Term Plan 2024-2034

Submitter Details

Submission Date: 20/04/2024

First name: [REDACTED] **Last name:** [REDACTED]

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Preferred method of contact Email

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Delay building new Park and Ride facilities at Lincoln and Rolleston, and upgrading public transport infrastructure until the next Long-Term Plan when funding options might be more clear.

Project cost:

None

Estimated impact on rates:

To be determined

Funding:

To be determined

Please add any comments you may have

3. Malvern Recreation and Sports Facility

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Project cost:

Year 3: \$7.07 million (minus \$1.10 million already included in the last Long-Term Plan. Total left to fund is \$5.97 million)

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$11.67

Funding:

Rates: 57%

Development contributions: 43% *

Our
budgeted
option

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Project cost:

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Years 4–10: \$11.6 million

Estimated impact on rates:

Years 1–3: \$7.06

Years 4–10: \$19.52

Funding:

Rates: 49%

NZTA Waka Kotahi: 51%

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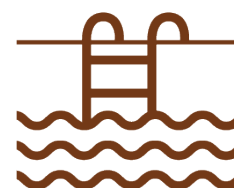
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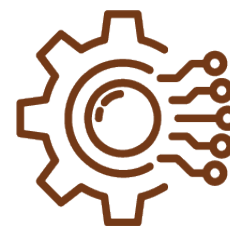
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Yes

Any comments?

2. Waihora Whata Rau - community facility and reserves upgrade Leeston

After consulting with the community, in the last Long-Term Plan we proposed a new community facility for Leeston, called Whata Rau, which would be built alongside the park, providing a 'hub' for Ellesmere where residents can gather, play, and learn.

2a. Whata Rau - new community facility

After consulting with Ellesmere residents during the last Long-Term Plan, we agreed to build a new library and community centre called Whata Rau, next to Leeston Park. This project would provide more community spaces that are needed in the area, and provide a solution for the existing Leeston library and service centre: the current facility is earthquake prone and needs significant repairs or to be replaced.

Increased construction costs and land remediation issues mean the costs to build Whata Rau have increased. Given this new information we want to hear from you - should we:

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Build Whata Rau next to Leeston Park as agreed in our 2021-31 Long-Term Plan and using the current design and layout planned to meet the needs identified by the community. The facility would include a library, council service centre and community centre.

Project cost:

Year 1: \$16.01m

Estimated impact on rates (per year):

\$44.22

Funding:

Rates: 80.5%

Development contributions: 19.5% *

2024/25

2025/26

2026/27

2027/28

2028/29

2029/30

2030/31

2031/32

2032/33

2033/34

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2b. Leeston Park improvements

We planned to upgrade Leeston Park as part of the project to build a new community facility. Since agreeing to do that, we have completed a master plan for redeveloping the park over the next 15 years.

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Carry out the upgrades detailed in the Leeston Park Master Plan over 15 years, including new pathways, carparks, toilets, park furniture, sports field lighting and irrigation, trees and plants, playground extension and upgrades, and park extension and signage.

Project cost:

Years 1-15: \$9.49 million

Estimated impact on rates:

Years 1-5: \$10.23

Years 6-10: \$6.05

Funding:

Rates: 71.4%

Development contributions: 28.6% *

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Project cost:

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Years 1–3: \$14.41

Years 4–10: \$39.83

Funding:

Rates: 100%

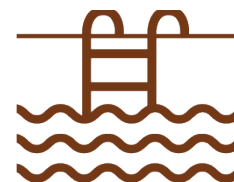
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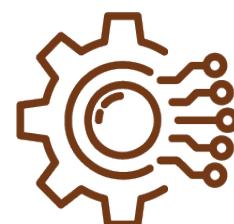


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