

Do you wish to speak in support of your submission at the hearing?: No

I am able to attend:

I intend to attend: Virtually

Would you like to be added to our database to be notified of future consultations?: Yes

**Your Details**

Full Name: Jane Tarbotton

**Do you agree with our preferred option or do you support another option?**

Drinking water meters: Spread over 3 years - Our preferred option

Let us know why: I presume that if there are leaks etc that the cost of pumping will then over time decrease and this would then be reflected in a rates decrease? If there are abnormally large users (filling swimming pools etc) maybe there should be a charge for this

Elderly Persons Housing: Self-sustaining in 2 years - our preferred option

Let us know why: The rent increases are still below market value and to be fair to all elderly that don't have access to these homes the housing needs to be break even

What do you think about our plans for our other projects and activities?: On top of the list of people's concerns at number 1 for the last 2 years was roading. Where is your plan to do anything but maintenance in the next 10 years? Some of our rural roads are sub standard. I believe there should be a programme for a certain number of kms of new seal every year to get ahead of this growing problem. The number of vehicles using these roads are only increasing (along with the rate take from the rural areas) and the roads are degrading. I would like to see our rates doing more than "pretty front doors"!