

**Online Submission**

**Freedom Camp: Responsible Freedom Camping Bylaw**

**Submitter**

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Could I gain an advantage in trade competition with this submission?: No

Do we generally support the proposed Responsible Freedom Camping Bylaw: Yes

**Submission Details**

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**Specific comment(s) on areas designated in the proposed Responsible Freedom Camping Bylaw:**

Scargill domain has an exclusion for dogs as it is a working farm but we have seen dogs with the campers there on a number of occasions. These rules must be monitored It is not acceptable to hang your washing on the cricket boundary fences

**Specific comment(s) on waste issues associated with the proposed Responsible Freedom Camping Bylaw:**

Dumping Grey waste is a common problem that we have encountered How are you going to monitor this.

**Specific comment(s) on roading issues associated with the proposed Responsible Freedom Camping Bylaw:**

**Specific comment(s) on other safety issues associated with the proposed Responsible Freedom Camping Bylaw:**

The number of freedom campers needs to be limited for the space available EG. Too many campers causing crowding. We have had people park so close that we couldnot get out of van without climbing over tent pegs. When SH1 reopens there will be a significant increase in freedom campers and lots more pressure for the sights.

**General comment(s) on the proposed Responsible Freedom Camping Bylaw:**

Charges should be made for use of specific facilities IE Water Toilets Rubbish Ratepayers should not have to carry the costs for what can become a major expense.We would suggest that council have volunteers at place such as Scargill domain to monitor sites and collect fees.

Specific signage with rules on safety eg NO FIRES NO DOGS NO WASHING CLOTHES /DISHES IN TOILET FACILITIES.

We have been freedom camping for 20 odd years and have watched these problems increase There have to be strict rules and they must be monitored otherwise it will create another set of problems.When making bylaws they have to be enforceable