

Christchurch City Council MINUTES ATTACHMENTS

Date: **Wednesday 4 February 2026**
Time: **9.30 am**
Venue: **Camellia Chambers, Civic Offices,
53 Hereford Street, Christchurch**

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Te Pātaka o Rākaihautū Banks Peninsula Community Board Report to Council – January 2026



Presenters: Lyn Leslie, Chairperson & Penelope Goldstone, Community Governance Manager Banks Peninsula

Introducing our new Board members



Nigel Millar



Josie Ogden Schroeder

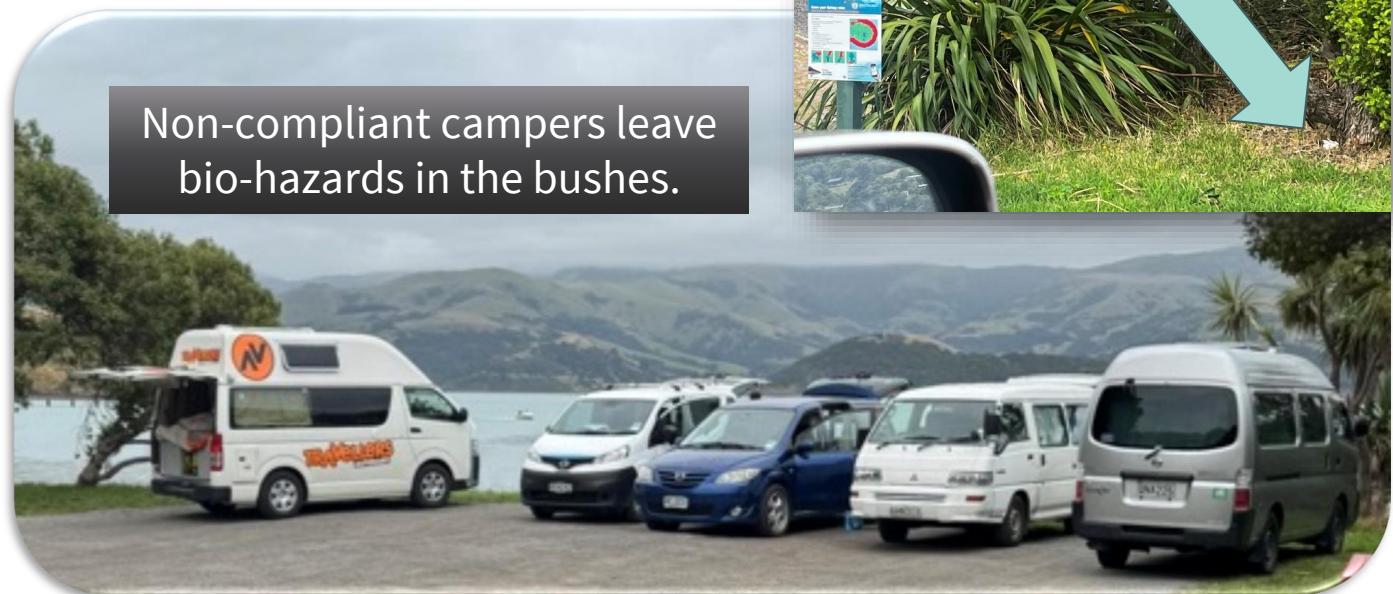
Freedom Camping Bylaw Enforcement

Council and NZTA have no power to enforce the Bylaw at NZTA Rest Areas.



Community plea for help

Non-compliant campers leave bio-hazards in the bushes.



Duvauchelle Freedom Camping Impacts

Freedom camping
extending into residential
areas.



Increasing Freedom
Camping Numbers



Crowding of the recreational area on the
foreshore



Fouling of the
foreshore



Christchurch
City Council

Port Levy Projects



Port Levy Hall Upgrade



Okains Bay Museum

Family Fun Day



**Thank you!
Ngā mihi nui!**

Item 7

Attachment A

Waihoro Spreydon-Cashmere-Heathcote Community Board

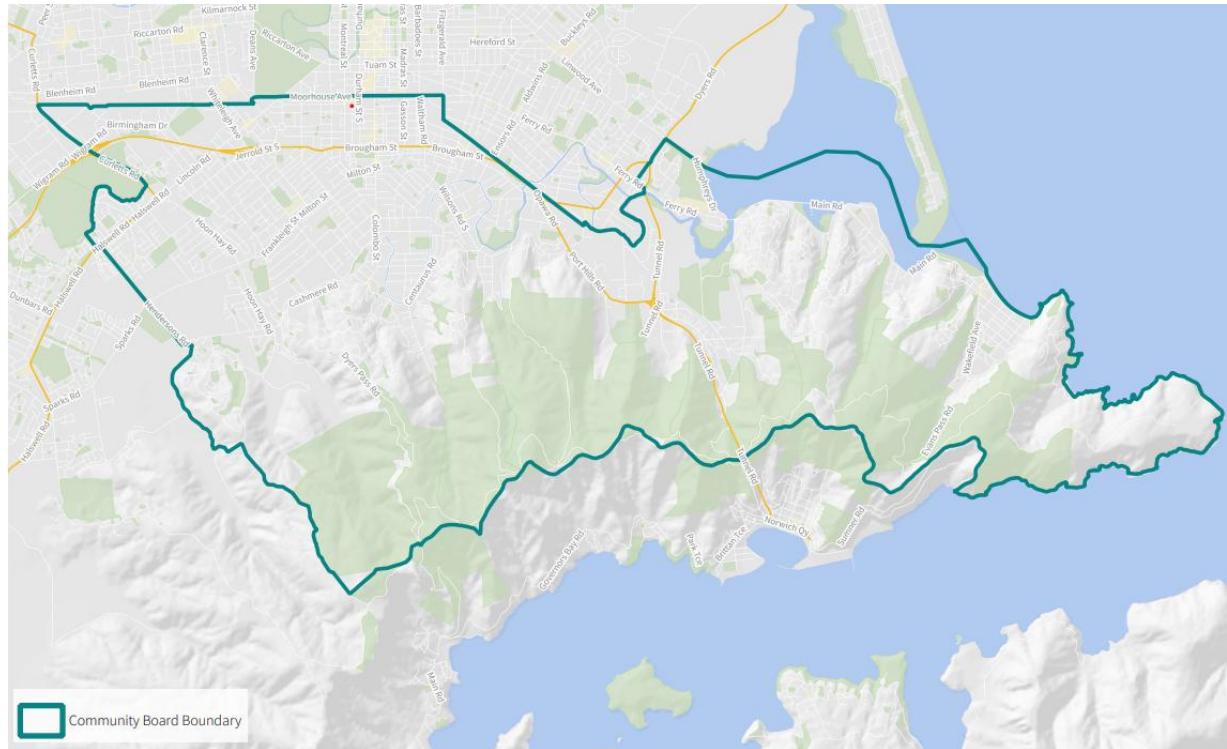
Report to Council on 4 February 2026



Presenters: Keir Leslie (Chair), Sophie Bond (Deputy Chair)

Board Priorities

Developing our Board Plan



Community Advocacy

Addington Stadium (Apollo Projects)



Community Liaison

Place Cadets – Hoon Hay Park

Co-designed with local tamariki from Te Kōmanawa Rowley School



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Community Liaison

Age-Friendly



Thank you!

Hon Casey Costello

Minister of Customs
Minister for Seniors
Associate Minister of Health
Associate Minister of Immigration
Associate Minister of Police

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Spreydon-Cashmere-Heathcote Christchurch Community Board

heather.davies@ccc.govt.nz



Dear Councillors

As the Minister for Seniors, I am committed to making New Zealand a good place to age. It is evident that we share this vision, and I thank you for your commitment to the Age friendly Aotearoa New Zealand programme.

I have been particularly impressed to see a strong community response to the Age Friendly Cities and Communities Questionnaire and your visions to support a city-wide Age-friendly action plan. This will make your community a place that values older people and makes it easier for everyone to participate in community life. We know that when older people are well, they can contribute fully and all of New Zealand benefits.

I am pleased to share with you that I will soon release a new Action Plan to support the Better Later Life Strategy from 2025 through to 2028. This Plan focuses on supporting people to live well longer, with priority areas including health and care services, cost-of-living, and housing.

I see the age friendly work that you do as providing the basis for a successful Action Plan, and ultimately a more age friendly New Zealand. We currently have 36 cities and communities, including yours, in the Age-friendly Network. I'm hopeful that with your help we can encourage others to join.

Thank you again for your support. I look forward to working with you.

Yours sincerely

Hon Casey Costello
Minister for Seniors

Waimāero Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Community Board

Report to Council – 4 February 2026



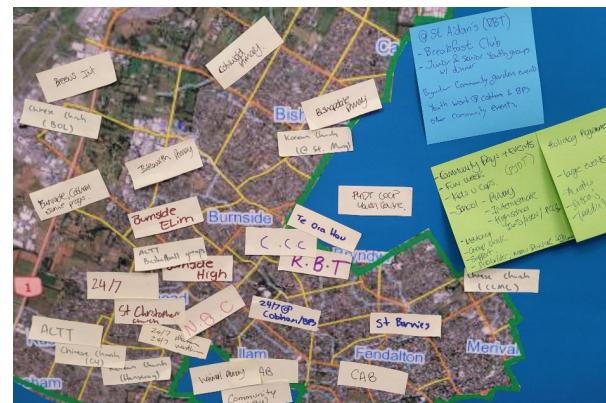
Presenters: Jason Middlemiss (Chair), Nicola McCormick (Deputy Chair)

Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood Youth Hub

In partnership with the Canterbury Youth Workers Collective, our local Community Development Advisers facilitated a hui for organisations working with young people in our Board area.

In attendance were representatives from schools, local youth trusts and community organisations.

Participants contributed to a mapping exercise which helped identify gaps, overlaps and opportunities for collaboration.



Fendalton-Waimairi-Harewood - End of year 'Thank You' Breakfast

The annual 'thank you' breakfast saw around 30 representatives from local community organisations gather in the Ōrauwhata Bishopdale Community Hall.

The Community Board Deputy Chair, Nicola McCormick, talked about the great contribution the organisations all make to our communities, thanking them all for their hard work and the care they give. Our communities are so much better off because of the work they do in and with them.



Coutts Island Residents Preparedness Meeting

The Belfast Area Residents' Association (BARA) held a meeting in January to look at developing an area evacuation plan. A survey was circulated prior to the meeting to find out what residents wanted to know.

It was a very successful meeting with speakers and attendees from Regional and Local Civil Defence Emergency Management, Environment Canterbury and Fire and Emergency New Zealand. It was a chance to get an overview of how things work and who is responsible for what, in the event of flooding and fires in the area.



Englefield Nature Play Space Renewal



The renewal of the Nature Play Space at Englefield Reserve saw stepping logs, tables, a whare and balance beams installed mid-December.

This has been a great example of a ‘community-led’ project, with the design being created with input from the local residents’ association, Pūtahi Belfast School, the Belfast Community Network, and local young people.

Breens/Harewood Traffic Lights!

It's been a long time coming but our Board would like to express our thanks to all those involved in the installation of lights at this intersection.

The feedback and appreciation from local residents has been very positive.



Thank you!

Waipapa Papanui-Innes-Central Community Board

Report to Council for February 2026



Presenters: Dr Sunita Gautam and Simon Britten
4 February 2026

Public Forum

11 December 2025

- Anne Hall and Brian Tucker from Merivale Retirement Village spoke to their concerns about the condition of the footpaths, gutters and road in Somme Street.
- Local resident, Chris Dooley, spoke regarding his concerns about speeding traffic on Trafalgar Street.

Northwest Water & Road Upgrades Briefing

- Staff briefed the Board on this coordinated programme of water and roading upgrades taking place over the next couple of years and the communications approach, including referring to the project webpage for ongoing updates: www.ccc.govt.nz/northwest where there is also a newsletter to subscribe to.



Community Liaison

Rangatahi Civic Award Presentations

- **Te Aratai College**

Smriti Parajuli achieved the extraordinary milestone of receiving the award for the third consecutive year.

- **Papanui High School**

Toby McKee received the Community Service Champion award.

- **Te Kura o Matarangi Northcote School**

The Deputy Chair was joined by new Board member, Ashleigh Feary, to present the award to Ryusei Shoji.

Te Aratai College recipient
Smriti Parajuli (right)

Papanui High School recipient
Toby McKee (below left)

Te Kura o Matarangi Northcote School
recipient **Ryusei Shoji (below right)**



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Community Liaison

Summer with your neighbours

- Albany Street Neighbourhood Summer with your neighbours gathering (*top left*)



Street Parties

- Morrison Avenue

Hosted by Freedom Trust and supported by Christchurch City Council, Kāinga Ora, Papanui Baptist, Northgate Trust, and members of the community (*top right*)

- Paddington Reserve

It was a great day that brought the street and wider community together with a strong sense of community and connection (*lower centre*)



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Community Events

- **Shirley Community Trust Light Party**
The Trust's pirate-themed party was a load of fun for all.
- **Neighbourhood Trust Light Party**
A family-friendly event for the local community to enjoy.

Shirley Community Trust
(right)

Neighbourhood Trust Light Party (below)



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Community Liaison Community Events

- **Mara Kai Open Day at Phillipstown Hub**

The staff and garden volunteers celebrated the arrival of the Spring season by inviting the people of Phillipstown to come check out what's happening in the large garden.

- **Hauora Health Day at Te Whare Roimata**

Several health providers were present as well as Work and Income. The day was well attended winding up with a Hangi.

Mara Kai Open Day at Phillipstown Hub (right)

Hauora Health Day at Te Whare Roimata (below)



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Community Events

- **Avebury House and Riverlution Spring Fair**

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- **Phillipstown Community Hub Spring Gala**

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Avebury House/
Riverlution (right)

Phillipstown Community
Hub Spring Gala
(below)



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Mairehau Volunteer Library Open Day and Market

The Mairehau Volunteer Library held its Open Day and Market on Saturday, 18th October, and the event proved to be a fantastic success. The day brought together community members of all ages to celebrate local connections and support the library's ongoing work.

Books and DVDs were available at bargain prices, giving visitors the chance to discover new favourites while supporting the library. There was also a selection of homemade cakes, preserves, and plants for sale, all generously donated by volunteers and community members.



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Richmond Community Garden's 10th Anniversary

Staff attended the 10th anniversary of the establishment of Richmond Community Gardens and the celebration of Richmond Café's first birthday.

Over 100 people attended the event, including volunteers, staff, funders, and politicians.

The event was a celebration of the community activation of the site, and the long hours of dedicated work that created the environment.



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Opening – Lancaster Park Changing Rooms and Community Facility

On 28th November, staff and elected members attended the opening of the new Lancaster Park facilities. After the formal blessing and speeches, the ribbon was cut by John and Jenny Hoskin from the Charleston Neighbourhood Association.

Positioned on the northeast corner, the purpose-built facilities will allow the historic park to be fully activated for sporting, community, and recreational use.



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Thank you!

Waipuna Halswell-Hornby-Riccarton Community Board Report to Council – 4 February 2026

Te kaipāhō (Presenters): Marie Pollisco, Chairperson
Sarah Brunton, Deputy Chairperson



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Community Board Part A Report

- Waipuna Halswell Hornby Riccarton Community Board: Representation on Committees and External Organisations, 2025–2028
 - Ruapuna Community Liaison Committee

Riccarton Central Youth Audit Workshop

A group of 25 young people (representing nine youth groups, six schools and the University of Canterbury), participated in the Riccarton Central Youth Audit Workshop.

The workshop featured a session on how Council works, ways to influence decisions and create positive change for youth in Riccarton Central.



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Matatiki Play Space Opening

A community activation was held to celebrate the completion of the nature-based play space at Matatiki Hornby Centre.



Community Preparedness



A workshop was held with community organisation representatives with the objective of initiating new Community Emergency Preparedness plans within the Board area.

Wycola Skate Park Art Design Competition

An art competition to design the Wycola Skate Park hamster wheel received a total of ninety artwork submissions from students aged 5 to 18, with the majority coming from local Hornby schools.



Community Events

- Our Riccarton, Our Community, Let's Have Fun Community Day
- Halswell Heritage Display
- Riccarton Street Party
- Halswell Toy Library Open Day
- Hornby Community Centre Fundraiser Quiz
- Halswell Family Fun Day
- Share Kai and Kōrero – Hornby



Thank you!

Waitai Coastal-Burwood-Linwood Community Board

Report to Council - February 2026

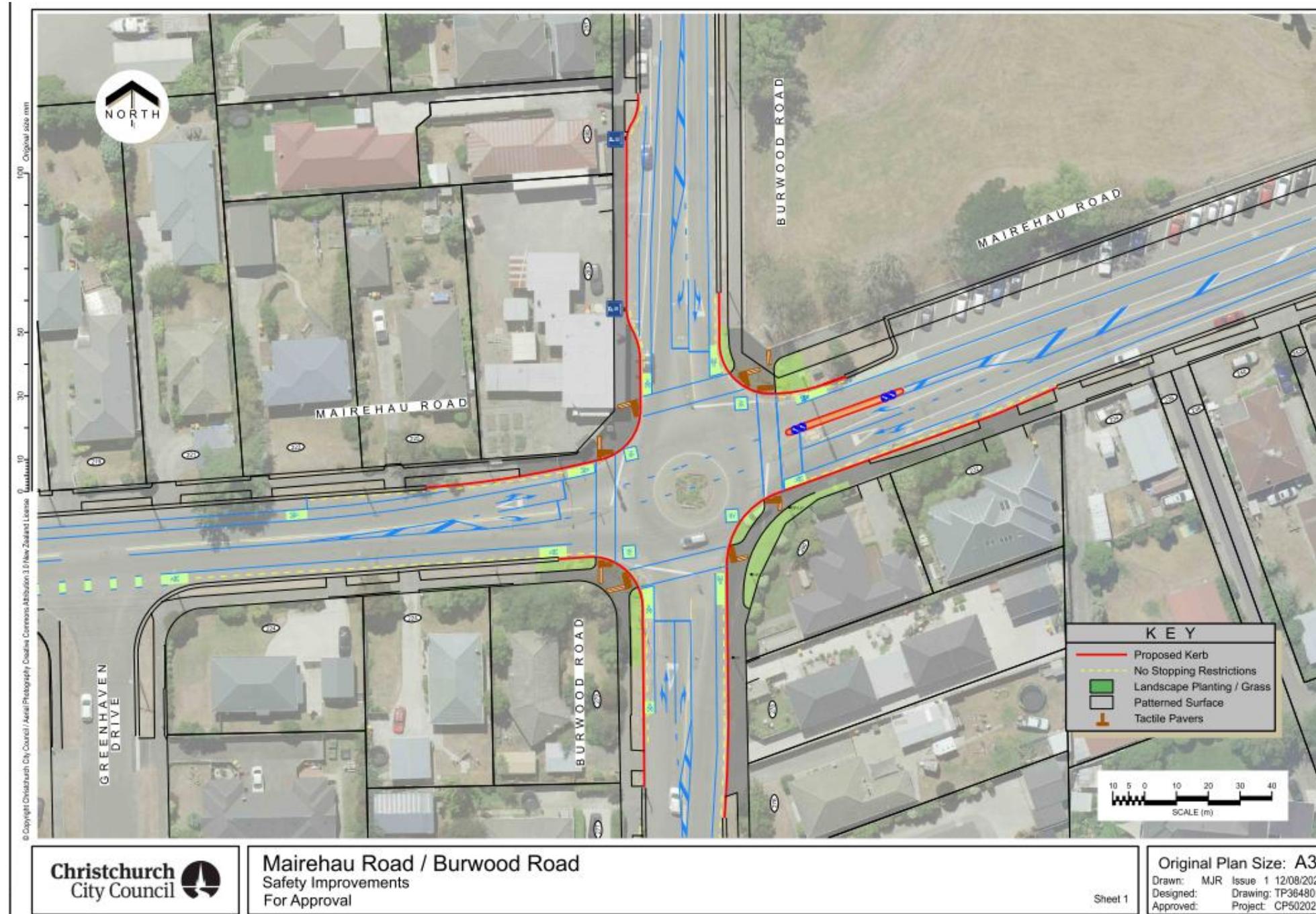


Wastewater Treatment Plant



Community Board Part A Report

Burwood & Mairehau Intersection Improvements



Thank you!



Petition to Christchurch City Council 2025

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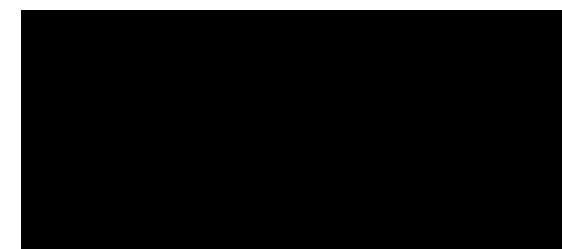
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Whereas the Christchurch City Council has further stated the intention to rent out Cathedral Square for private use on as many as 120 days in the year, and

Whereas these concerts and other private, ticketed events can perfectly well be held in HAGLEY PARK, as they have been in the past,

Therefore, we the undersigned, being qualified electors of the city of Christchurch, petition the Christchurch City Council to pass the following resolution:

That Cathedral Square shall once more be designated as a space PRINCIPALLY FOR PUBLIC AND CIVIC USE; that the Christchurch City Council will cease to hire out Cathedral Square to private organisations for exclusive, ticketed events; that Cathedral Square may not be fenced off or closed to the public except for legitimate construction purposes, for cleaning, or in case of emergency; that, should such an emergency arise, an official public consultation on the measure will be launched either immediately or as soon as practically possible; and that, under ordinary circumstances, Cathedral Square is to be fenced off for cleaning on no more than FOUR days per year, these being weekdays, and the time of closure falling between 10pm and 6am.



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5	Maria McIntyre
6	Tatjana Saniwela
7	Jesi Ramirez
8	Jenny Jamieson
9	Billy merton
10	Stephanie mitchell
11	Den Muhammed
12	Mary Sinclair
13	Jenny Pagan
14	Jesse Simpson
15	Andrea Rutherford
16	Ann Marie Muhammed
17	Jenny Pagan
18	Ashleigh Russell

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22	SEKONE, LEA
23	Lynn Jansen
24	Harry Lane
25	ELPHAMIE MANNING
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27	Marty Graham
28	Gavin Nicholas
29	Mark Rutherford
30	DEEP SWAMI
31	MICHAEL TAYLOR
32	Fleur Bridger
33	Patricia Deeks
34	Dianne Daillie
35	Caroline Barker
36	Luan Stathouler

	Full Name
37	Peter Smith
38	Hickey Blackburn
39	Stephen Larkins
40	Robin Ferris
41	Gill Cox
42	Clemency Nutt
43	Alma Wright
44	Laurie Murrell
45	Chris Cox
46	Bibi Madeena Sieb
47	Erica Scott
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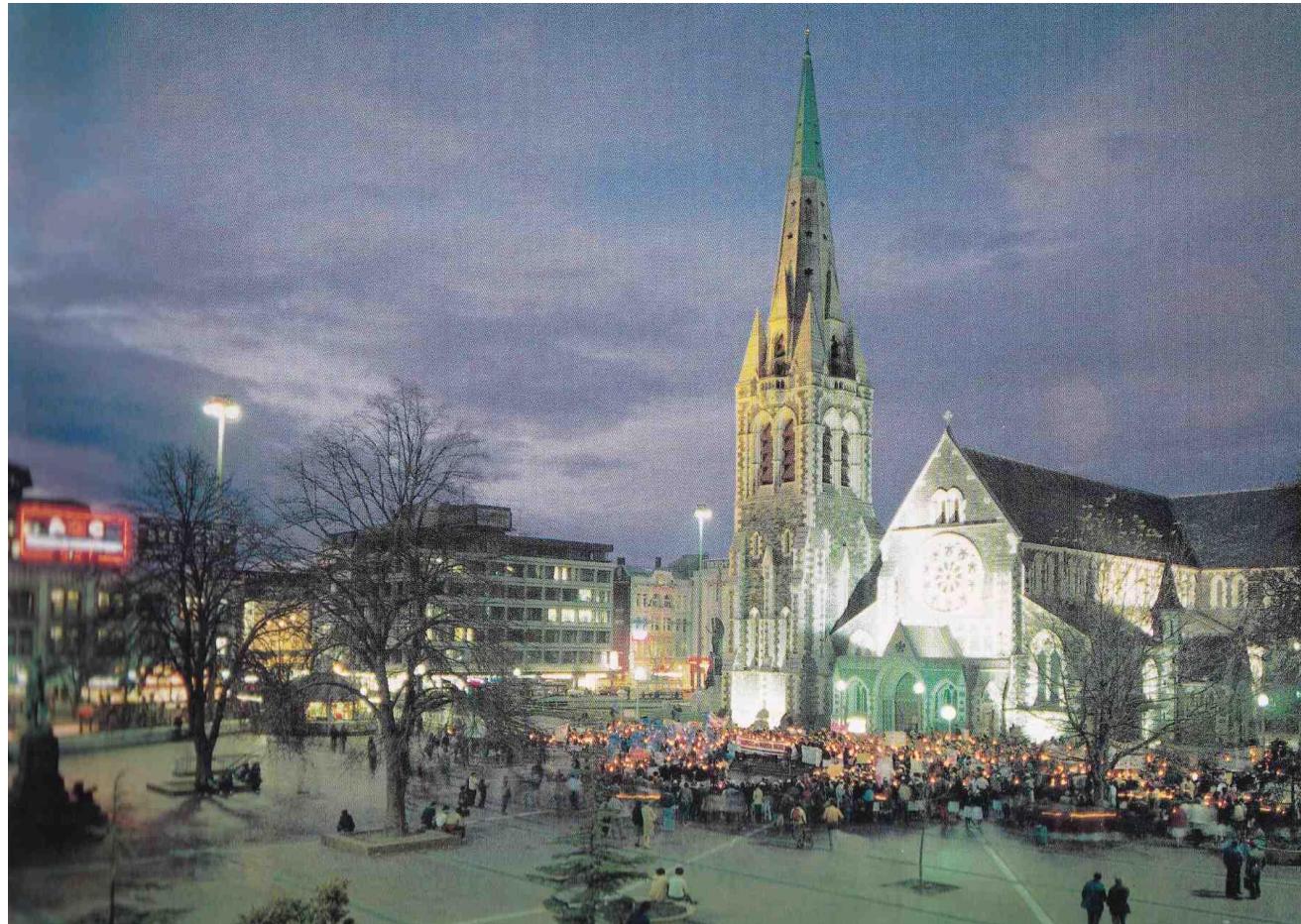
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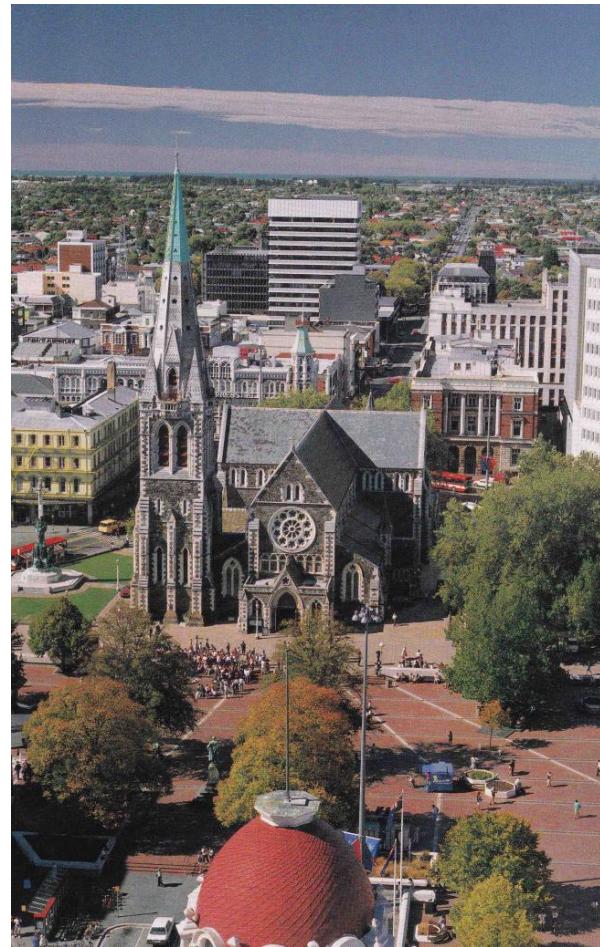
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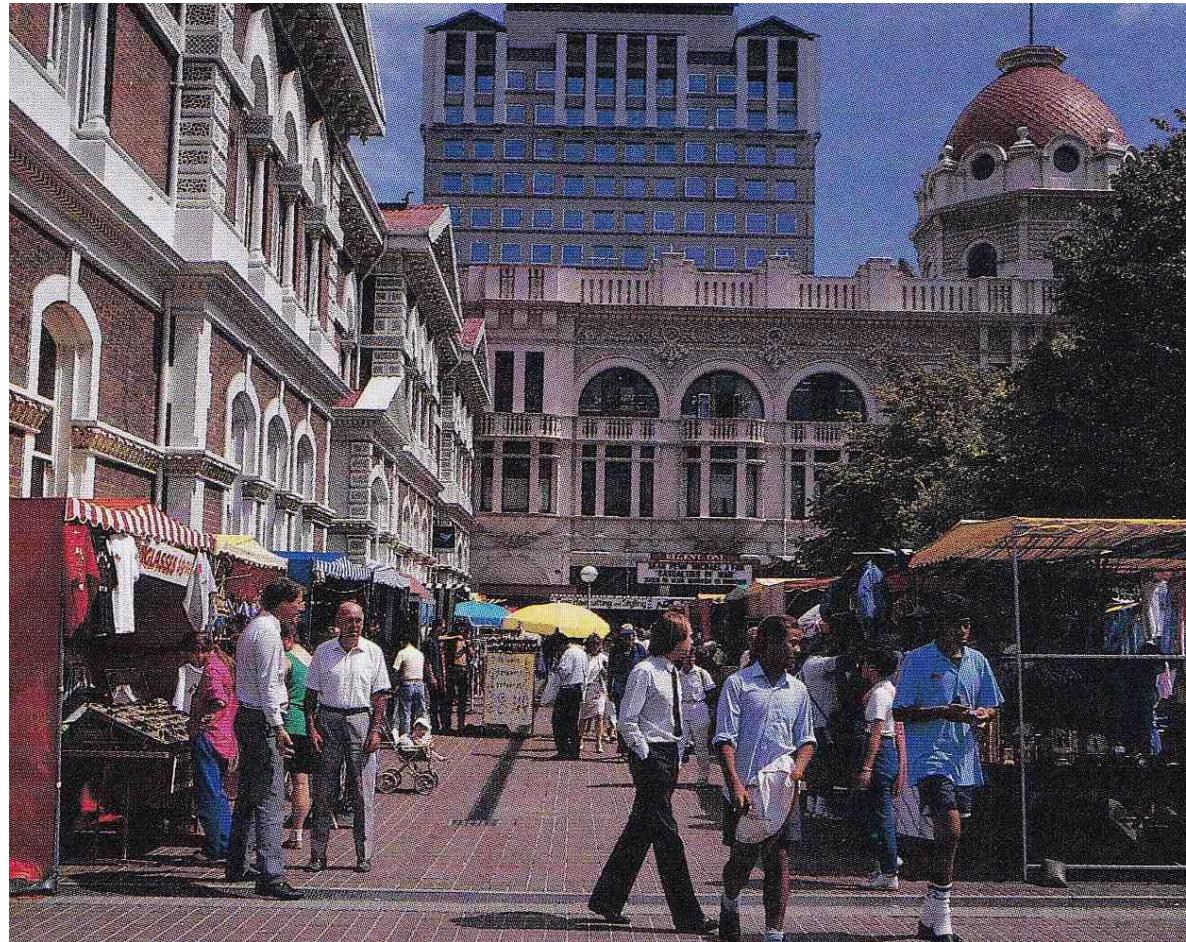
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Candlelight vigil against neoliberalism, Cathedral Square, 1990s
(from "Christchurch: City of Cities", publication by Christchurch City Council)



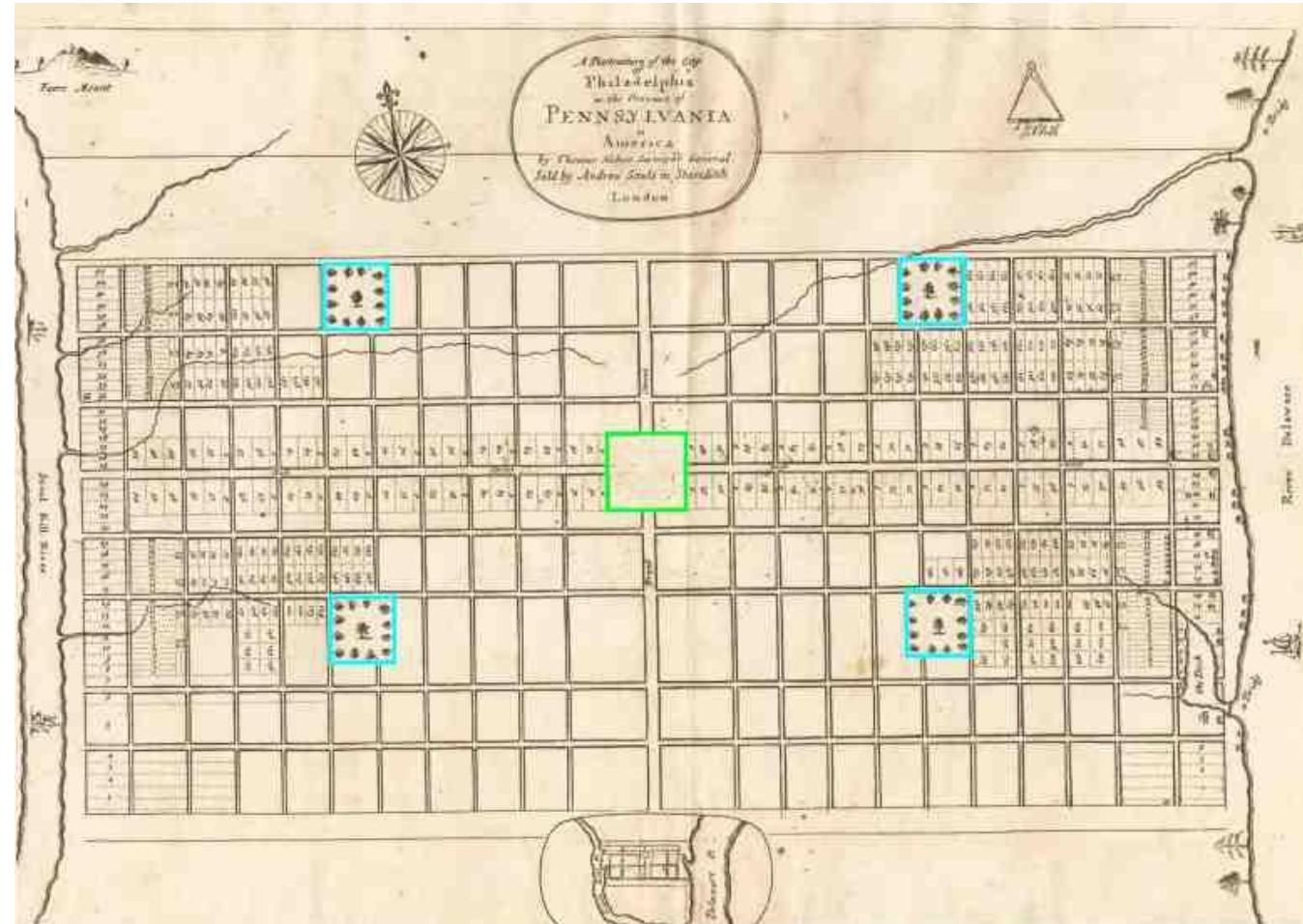
Aerial view of Cathedral Square in the 1990s
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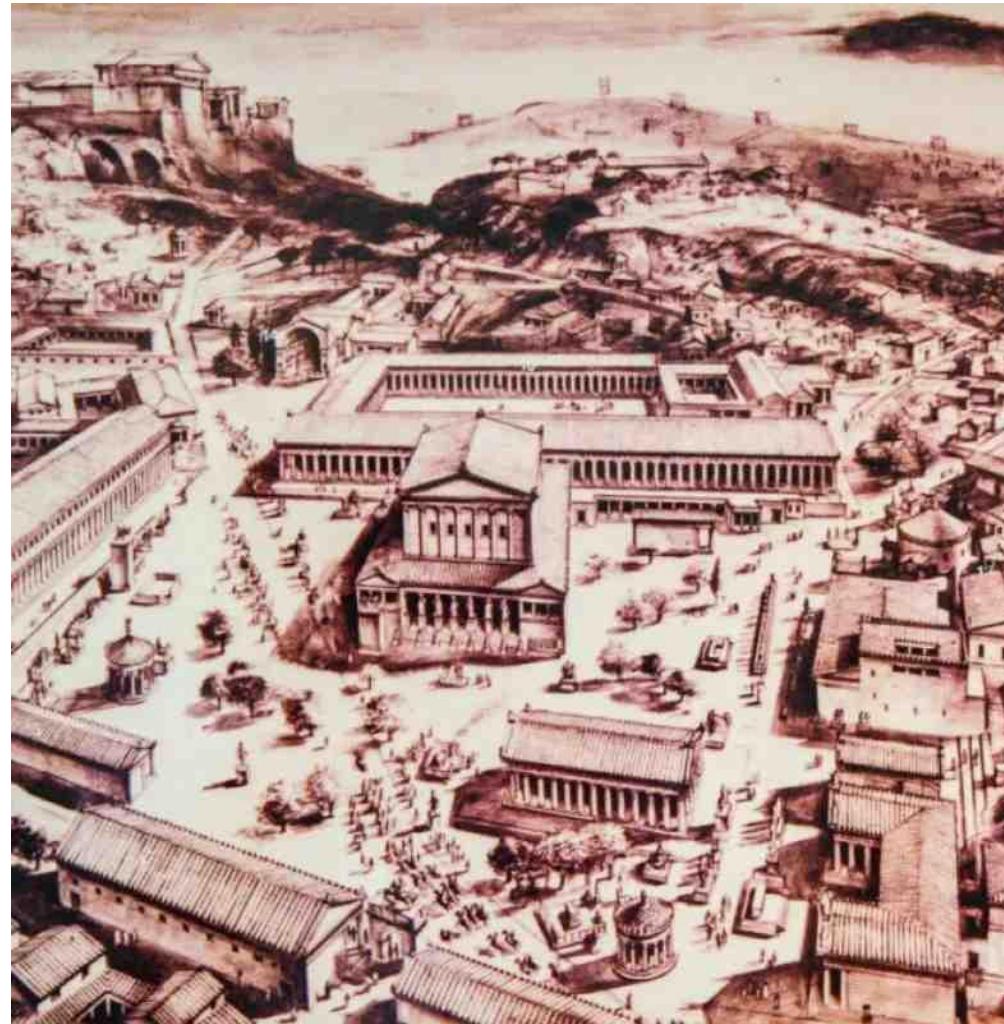
Market stalls, Cathedral Square, 1990s
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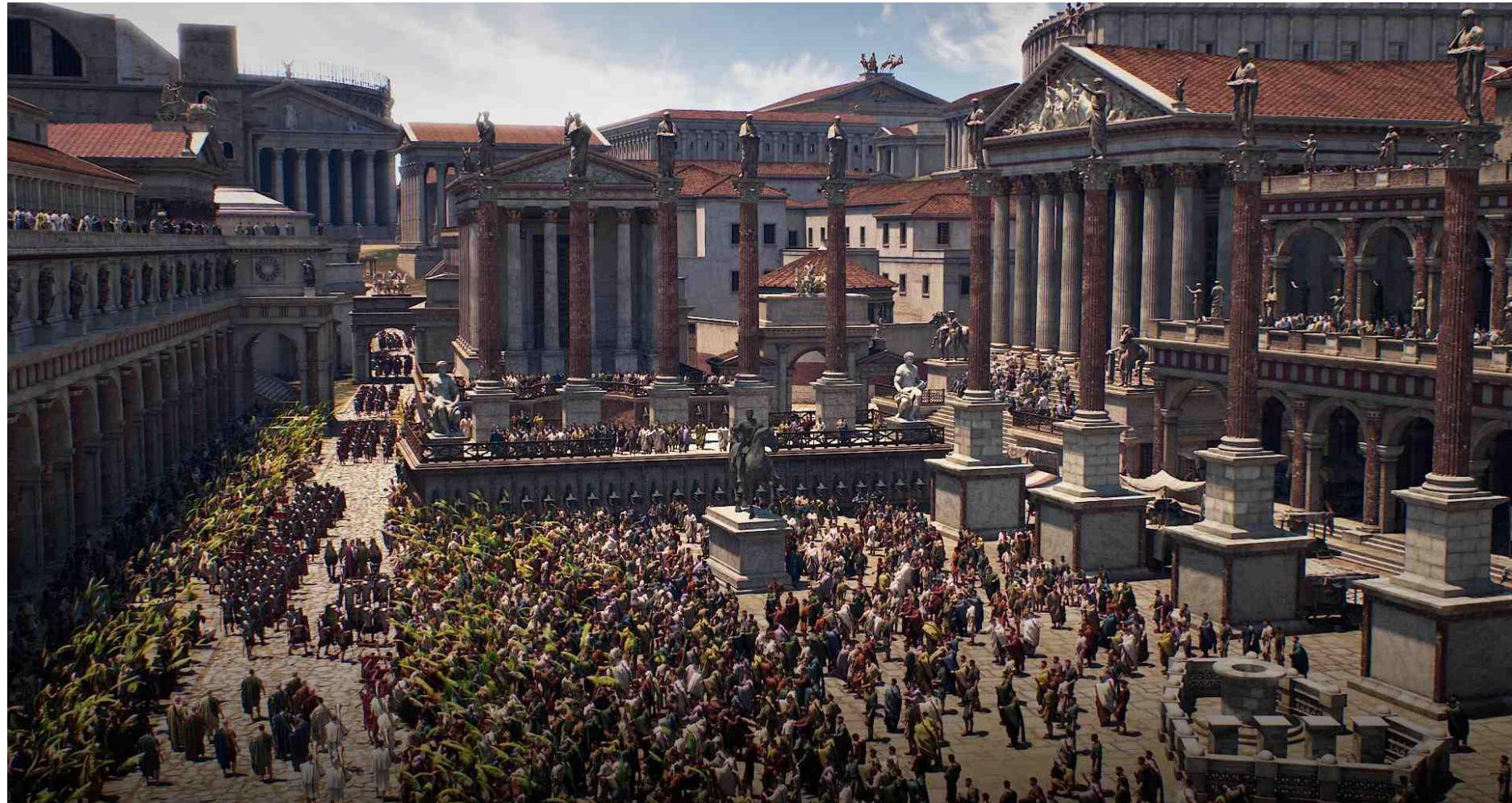
The 'Big Chess Board', Cathedral Square, 1990s
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Plan of the City of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, U.S.A.; note the 'five squares' design, shared by Christchurch



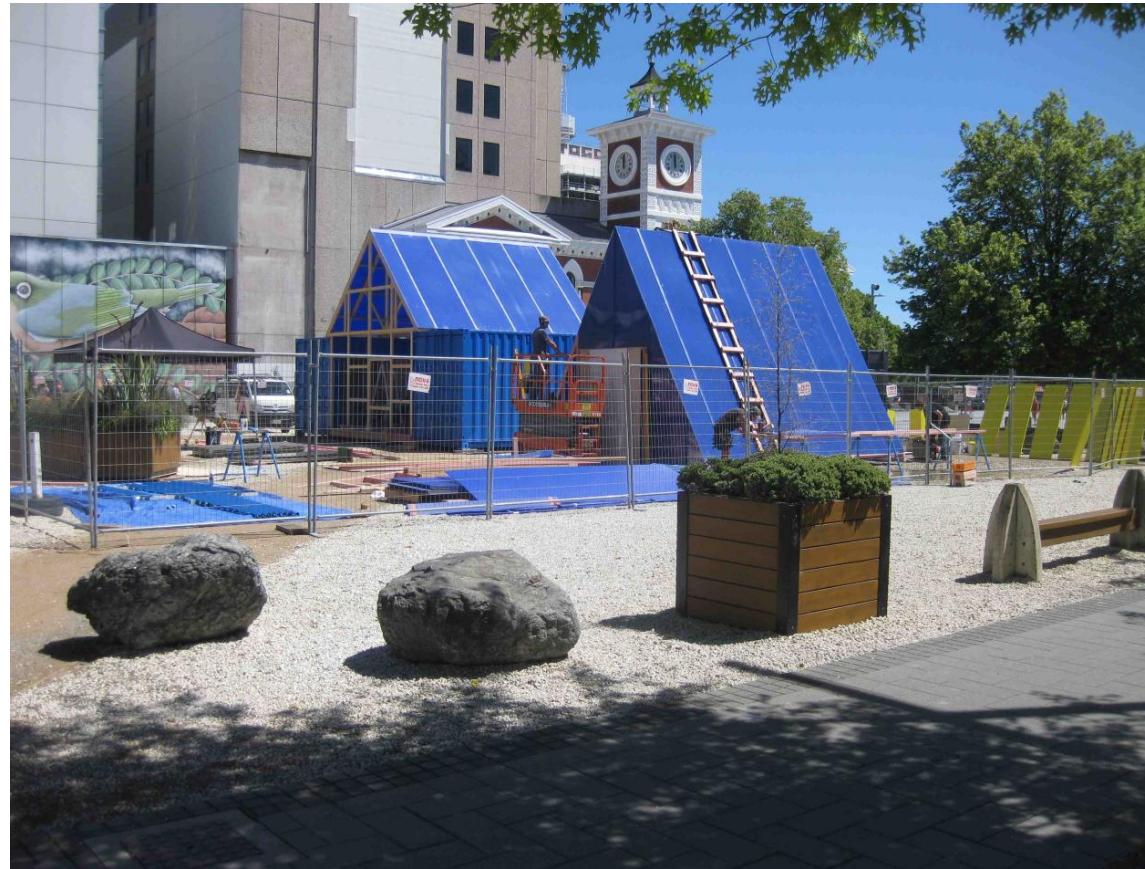
Agora of Athens reconstruction (Alan Sorrell, 1955).



3D model of the 'Forum Romanum' in ancient Rome, 4th century A.D.

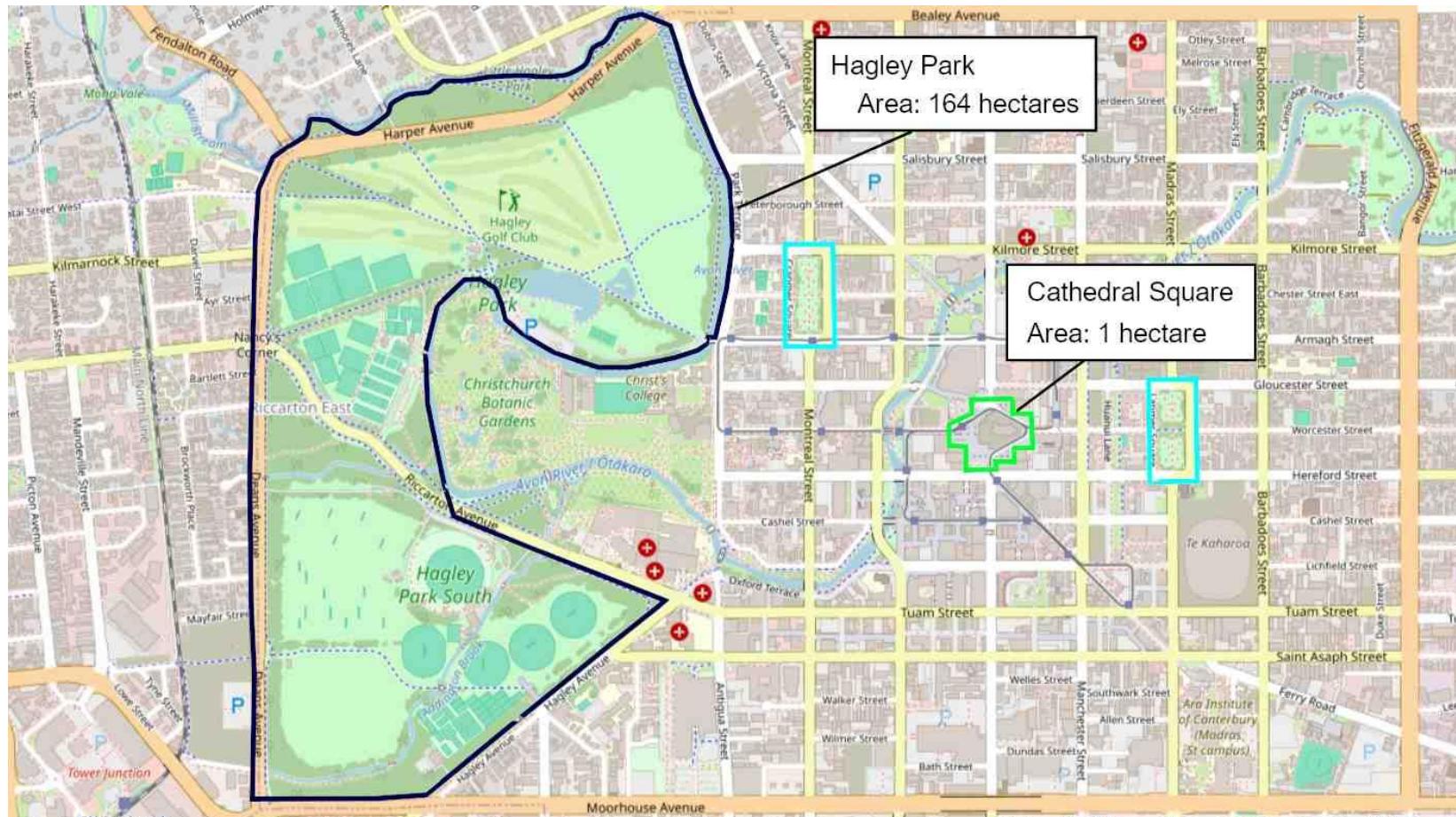
Inappropriate venue - example: Cathederal Square fenced off for private ticketed concert, 16 May 2025

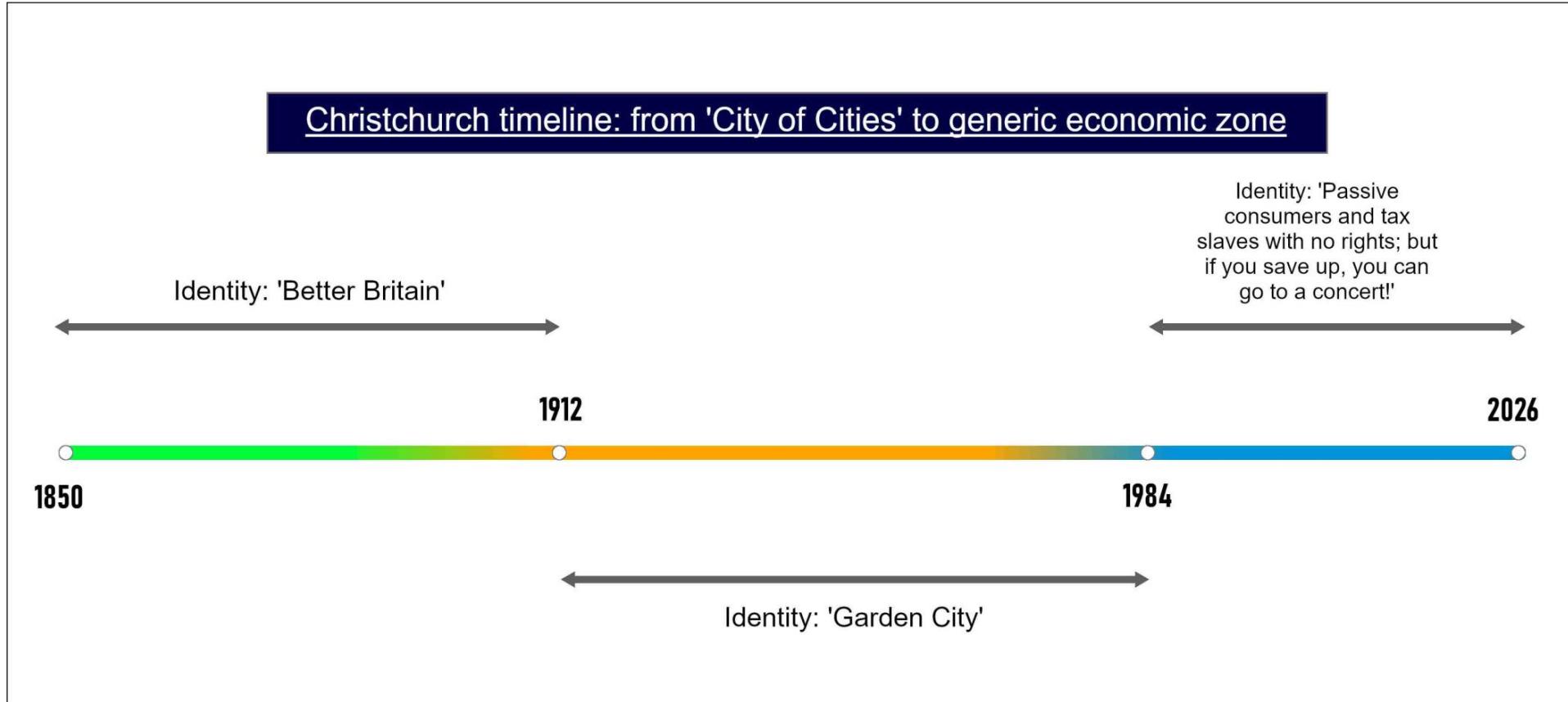




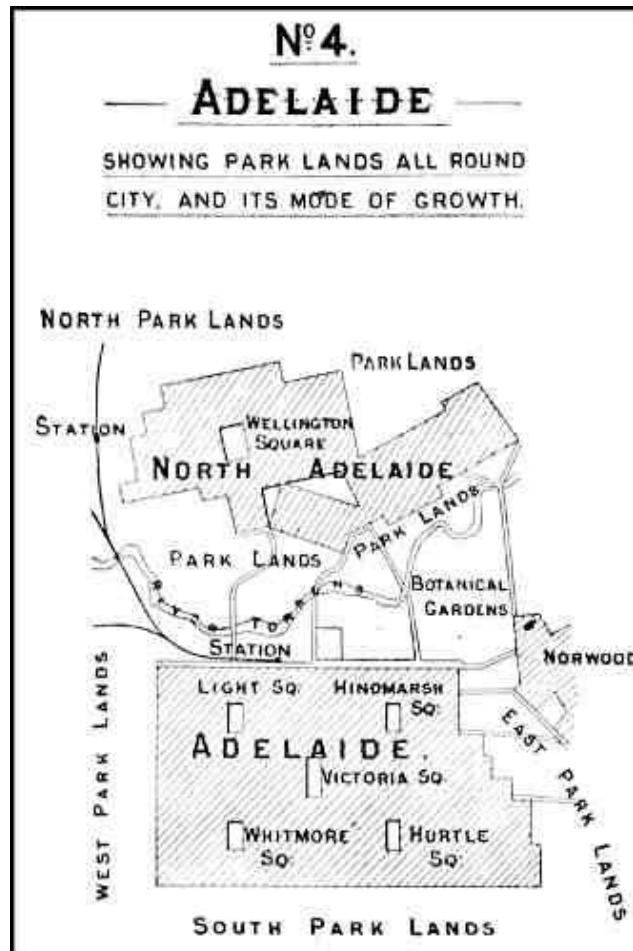
All your base are belong to Auckland! Christchurchers excluded from their town square because Auckland needs it to promote their shopping centres. (Display in Cathedral Square to advertise new Ikea opening in Auckland).

Photo taken on Canterbury Day, November 14 2025

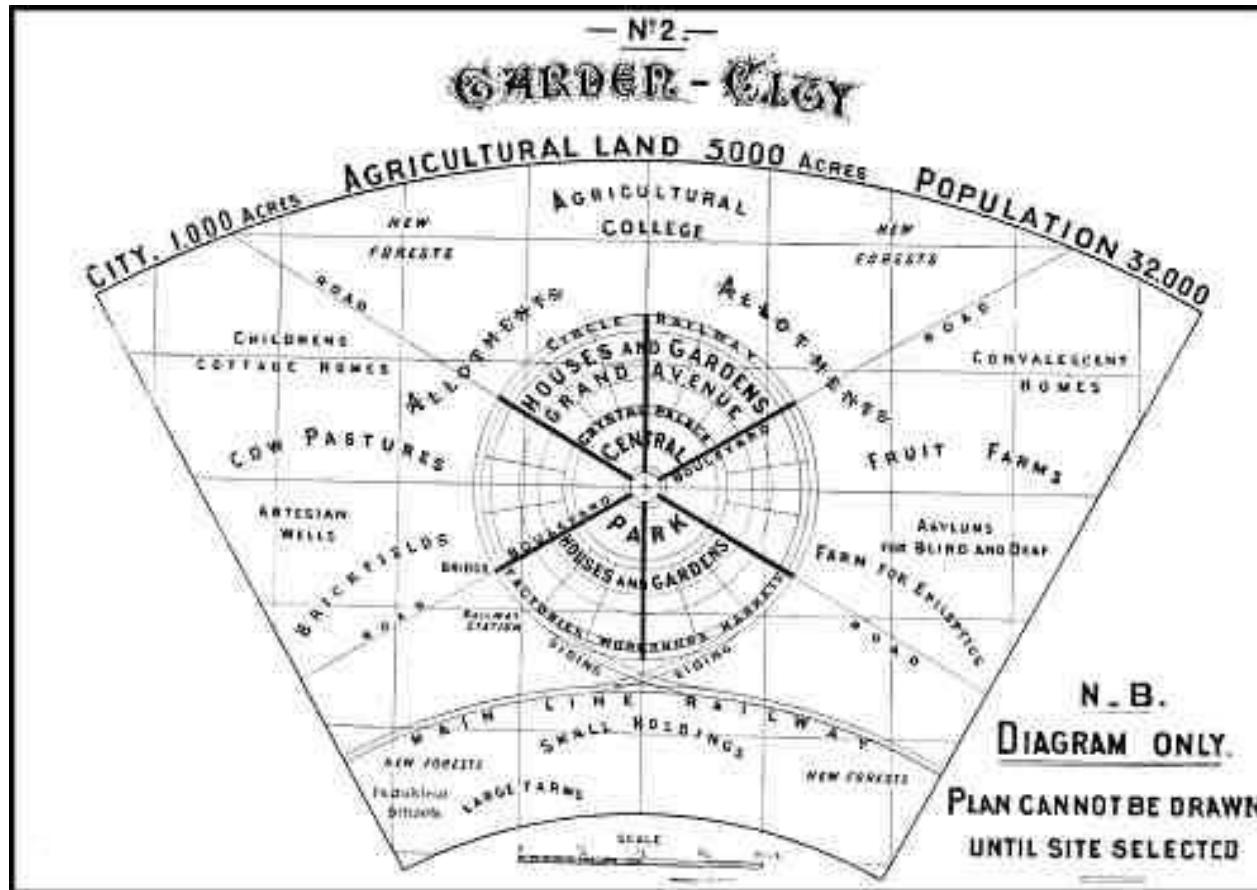




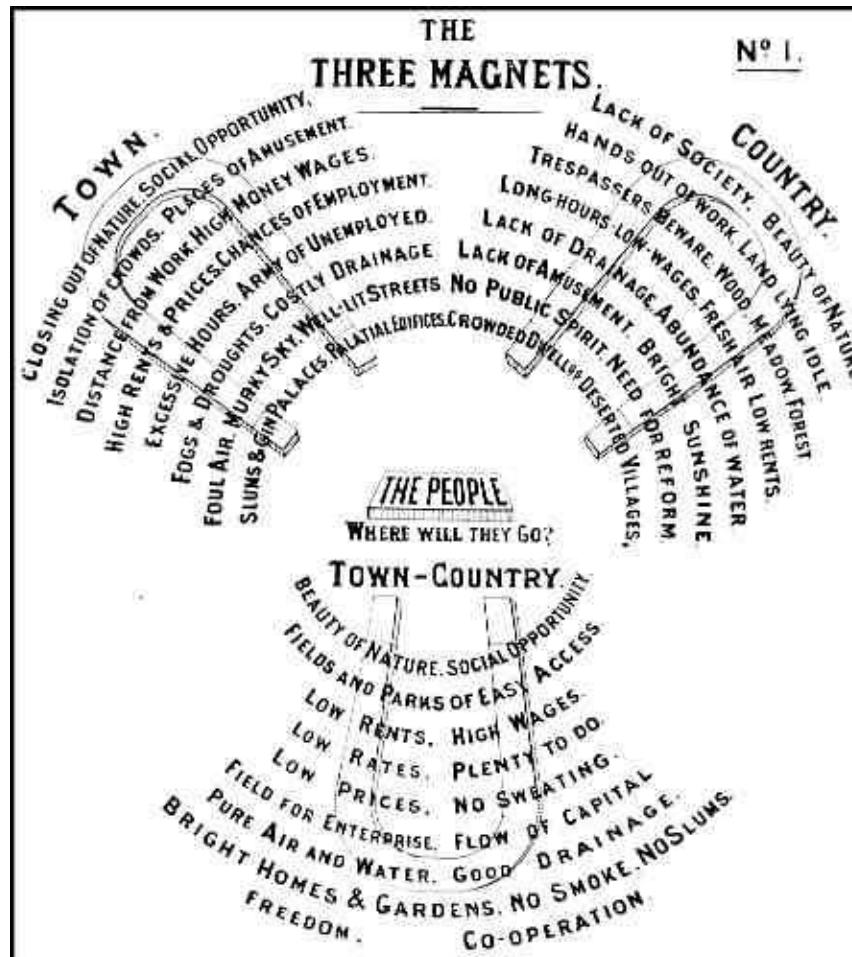




From "Garden Cities of To-morrow" (2nd ed., 1902)
by Ebenezer Howard



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CSO & Rova Present: Don McGlashan with CSO
Saturday 16 August 2025

Our Community Outcomes

A collaborative confident city

...the opportunity to actively participate in community and city life, a strong sense of belonging and identity, and feel safe,

A green, liveable city

Our neighbourhoods and communities are accessible and well-connected...

A cultural powerhouse city

...diverse communities are supported to understand and protect their heritage, pursue arts, cultural and sporting interests contribute to making our city a creative, cultural and events powerhouse.

A thriving prosperous city

...a great place for people, business, and investment...grow our potential, enterprises are innovative and smart... together we raise productivity and reduce emissions.



CSO Ki te Haporī In the Community – City Mission Project 2025

CSO Ki te Hapori In the Community

Our vision becomes our reality

We provide the most effective music-based community engagement in the Southern Hemisphere.

We are acknowledged and known as an international leader by countries including Canada, Japan, Germany, United Kingdom, China, Malaysia, Poland.



CSO Ki te Hapori In the Community – Multiple Sclerosis & Parkinsons Music Therapy 2025

Unique Operational model

- Approx 40 traditional mainstage performances (with rehearsal)
 - CSO 2026 Season includes six Lamb & Hayward Masterworks, three Lamb & Hayward Curator's Series and six CSO & Rova Presents
 - Hires/In Partnership events including the likes of Blindspott with CSO, Love Actually in Concert, Royal New Zealand Ballet and NZOpera
- 14,800 tickets sold to concerts in 2025
- 60% of CSO activity is off-stage and in the community
- In 2025, our *Ki te Hapori In the Community* programme saw:
 - 10,926 audience/participant interactions
 - 119 inclusive performances with CSO musicians
 - 288 separate sessions of *Ki te Hapori* activity throughout the Waitaha Canterbury region



Top left: Welcome to Christchurch - Migrant Community, Bottom left: Flourish

Right: Music Trails

CSO Ki te Haporī In the Community Projects

Aspirations Conductor Training Programme	Play with CSO for Community Musicians	Jolt Move
Irelands Internships for Young Players	Community Orchestra Coaching	Platform – Men’s and Women’s Prison Programme
On the Road	Music Trails	Instruments in Focus Workshops
Retirement Home Visits	Arvida Community Visits	Chamber Music Weekend
Slater Violin	Accessible Sensory Experience	Welcome to Ōtautahi – Migrant and Refugee Communities
NXTGEN Youth Think Tank	Christmas at Tūranga	Tukutuku – Inclusive Creativity
CSO Youth Club	Flourish Dementia Programme/Music for Healthy Brains	Partnerships with Music Schools
School Holiday Programmes	Music Therapy Collaborations	Elevate Young Musicians’ Development Programme
Solo Opportunities for Young Musicians	Okioki: Music for Respite in Healthcare Settings	Foundations Youth Mentoring
Arts-inclusion Workshops	City Mission Project	Primary School Visits

Who are we working with?

- Youth
- Impermanently housed
- Aged health
- Recreational ensembles/players
- Migrant and Refugee Communities
- Schools
- Disability
- Corrections Facilities
- Physical and Neurological Health
- Gifted and Talented Students
- Early Childhood
- University of Canterbury



CSO Ki te Hapori In the Community – On the Road 2025

CSO as a local employer

- 9 employees in CSO admin/support
- By comparison, NZSO has 36 in their management/support team and APO has 33 in their management/support team
- CSO provides approximately 80% of the activity of NZSO and APO but on 25% of their human resourcing

We punch well above our weight!



CSO Ki te Hapori In the Community – Accelerando Junior Strings 2025

CSO Income Breakdown

Government sources	36% (28 + 9)
Performance Box Office	15%
Hires	14%
Donations	10%
Corporate Sponsorship	8%
Trusts and Grants (incl. Rātā)	7%
Fundraising	2%
Miscellaneous	2%



CSO & Rova Present: John Williams Returns
Saturday 6 August 2025





“We must face the escalating polycrisis instead of pretending it isn’t happening. Nothing can be changed unless it is faced.”

Professor Mike Berners-Lee, Chair, National Emergency Briefing





<https://events.humanitix.com/the-reality-of-everything-symposium>

MARCH 31, 2025 | 4 MIN READ

Big Banks Quietly Prepare for Catastrophic Warming

Morgan Stanley, JPMorgan and an international banking group have quietly concluded that climate change will likely exceed the Paris Agreement's 2 degree C goal and are examining how to maintain profits

BY CORBIN HIAR & E&E NEWS

<https://www.scientificamerican.com/article/big-banks-quietly-prepare-for-catastrophic-climate-change/>



38 trillion dollars in damages each year: World economy already committed to income reduction of 19 % due to climate change

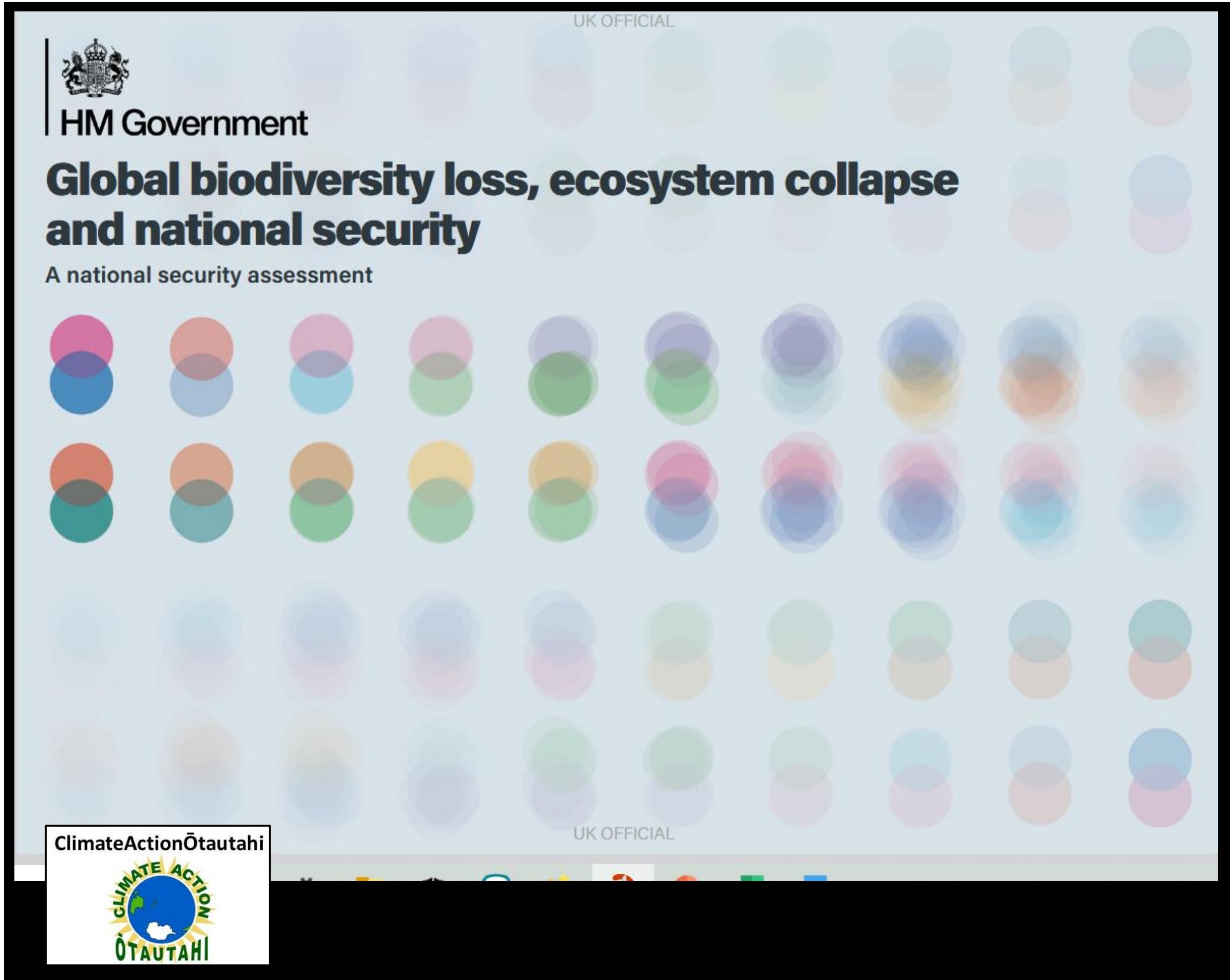
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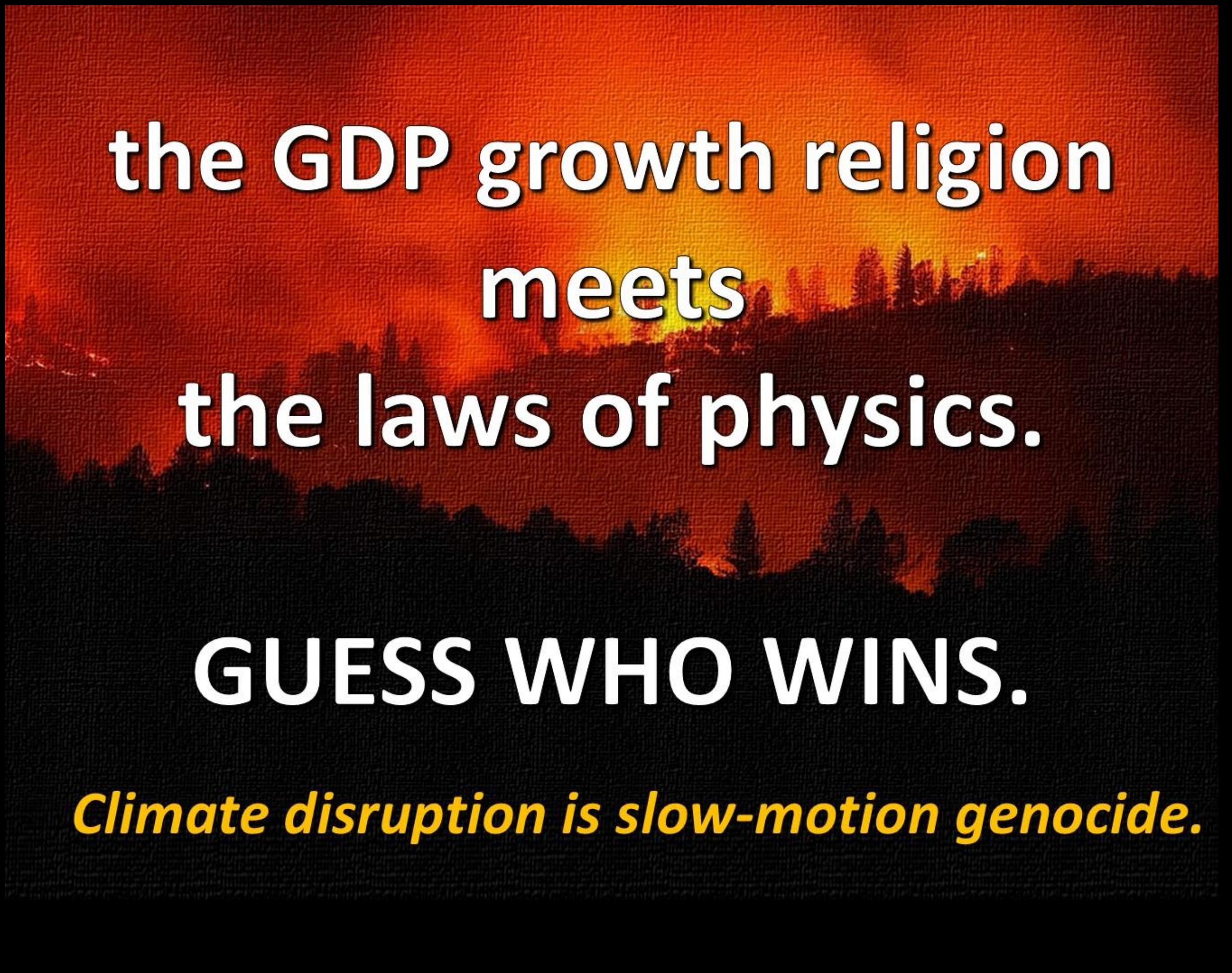
Source: Potsdam Institute for Climate Impact Research (PIK)

Summary: Even if CO2 emissions were to be drastically cut down starting today, the world economy is already committed to an income reduction of 19% until 2050 due to climate change, a new study finds. These damages are six times larger than the mitigation costs needed to limit global warming to two degrees. Based on empirical data from more than 1,600 regions worldwide over the past 40 years, scientists assessed future impacts of changing climatic conditions on economic growth and their persistence.









the GDP growth religion
meets
the laws of physics.

GUESS WHO WINS.

Climate disruption is slow-motion genocide.

ClimateActionOtautahi



THANK YOU
to those
COUNCILLORS & STAFF
who are pushing for a
LOW-CARBON FUTURE



*The task of government from now on:
to maximise citizens' wellbeing
within realistic planetary boundaries.*

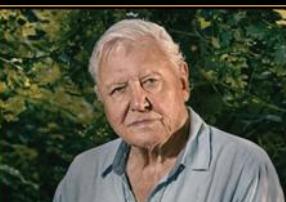
<https://www.stockholmresilience.org/research/planetary-boundaries.html>

GOOD CITIZENS are CLIMATE ADVOCATES

We are the guardians of our children's tomorrow.

- ✓ **Vote for a Liveable Future**
Our votes matter - let's elect leaders who care.
- ✓ **Speak Up**
Hold MPs & councillors accountable for sustainable policies.
- ✓ **Travel Responsibly**
Reduce high-carbon travel; don't take unnecessary flights and cruises.
- ✓ **Rethink Consumption**
Choose quality over quantity. Pick climate-friendly options.
- ✓ **Be Energy-wise**
Honour those who choose a simpler, low-impact lifestyle.



 “How could I look my grandchildren in the eye and say I knew what was happening to the world and did nothing.”

David Attenborough

The climate crisis costs the global economy around US\$16 million per HOUR. The economic damage *already* locked in will shrink the global economy by 19% by 2050. <https://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2024/04/240417131138.htm> If we fail to act, that will accelerate. The human cost will be tragic. <https://www.economist.com/briefing/2021/07/24/three-degrees-of-global-warming-is-quite-plausible-and-truly-disastrous>

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connecting the world...



...wrecking the climate.

Economy return NZ - Europe
= ~7 tonnes* of CO₂ per passenger.

The collateral damage? Your kids' future.

*An average from online calculators including <https://calculator.toitu.co.nz>, <https://www.carbonfootprint.com>, <https://co2.myclimate.org>, <https://www.clevel.co.uk>, and <https://www.atmosfair.de>.



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(Australian figures)

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**We are five million humans.
Our per-capita GHG footprint is high.
If every bunch of five million humans said “we’re too small to matter” the globe would be on track for economic catastrophe.**

**“We’re too small to matter”
is the ultimate selfish cop-out.**

