

Ashburton District Farmers' Market

Secretary – Judith Crozier

4 June 2022

To the Ashburton District Council

Mayor – Mr Neil Brown

We note the Draft Trading in Public Places Bylaw proposed changes and are pleased to note there does not appear to be any changes to the West Street Carpark being available for weekend markets.

We trust the Ashburton Farmers market will still be able to continue as we have for the past 15 years. Some stall holders are continuing through the winter and are encouraged by the continuing support of the general public.

We find the carpark an excellent place for our market, cannot think of a better place.

- Excellent site close to State Highway 1 with potential customers travelling past,
- Beautiful setting for a Farmer's Market under the trees, good shading on a hot day.
- Only site we have had, consistency is important.
- Able to drive up to the site and sell from vehicles, important for some stalls
- Car parks close by for customers.
- Toilets close by for customers.
- Eftpos machine close by for customers.
- The Farmers market and Craft Market work well alongside each other.
- We feel we have the best site in town for our markets!

We note the new areas being considered for mobile shops and stalls and are pleased to see more sites being made available, especially in out lying areas, so long as safety is first consideration, we do not have any issues with these proposals.

Yours sincerely

Judith Crozier – Secretary Ashburton District Farmers' Market.



We are reviewing our Mobile Shops, Stalls and Hawkers Bylaw. Your view is important to us, and we encourage you to make a submission. Written submissions can be made to the Council up **until 5pm, Thursday 23 June 2022.**

Have your
Say!

***We want to hear
from YOU!***

**Tell us what you think of
our proposed changes at**
ashburtondc.govt.nz/haveyoursay

**Please note all submissions are public documents and will be made available on Council's website.*

Submissions presented in the form of a petition or accompanied by multiple signatures will be treated as a single submission.

Your details

First name: Judith Last name: Crozier
Organisation (if appropriate): Ashburton District Farmers Market

Do you wish to speak in support of your submission at the hearing?

(If no boxes are ticked, it will be considered that you do not wish to be heard)

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Yes: The hearing is expected to be held in the Council Chamber on **Wednesday 6 July 2022**. Please note that hearings are live-streamed to our online channels.

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No: I do not wish to speak in support of my submission and ask that the following written submission be fully considered.

I intend to present:

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In Person

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Virtually

Signature:

J. Crozier

Date:

6. 6. 2022

Draft Trading in Public Places Bylaw is available from ashburtondc.govt.nz/haveyoursay

You can submit on any or all of the questions below. You don't have to complete every question.

1 Do you agree that this bylaw should be renamed to "Trading in Public Places Bylaw"?

☒ Yes ☐ No

2 Do you agree with any of the proposed changes to permitted or discretionary sites? Which sites do you agree or disagree with?

☐ Yes ☐ No

We would like the North End of the West Street Carpark to remain available for the Ashburton District Farmers Market.
(Note: there is no suggestion it will change).

3 Do you have any other comments?

Agree with the suggested areas being made available - so long as they maintain a tidy appearance, enhance the local area, are a safe place for stall holders and customers. (traffic hazards).

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