Q1

Your contact details (optional)

Name

Patsy King

No

Q2

Do you wish to speak in support of your submission at the hearing? The hearing will be held in the Council Chamber on 14 September 2022. Please note that hearings are publicly live-streamed.

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Q3

Respondent skipped this question

How you would like to present your submission at the hearing?

Q4

Do you support the goals in the Ashburton Airport Development Plan (as follows)?* Ashburton airport is enabled to become more financially independent* More people are attracted to Ashburton Airport for activities that support the vibrancy and viability of the facility* Ashburton Airport is sustainably managed to support increased use of the facility over the next 30 years* Ashburton Airport remains an appealing, thriving hub for the local community and visiting aviation enthusiasts for the next thirty years

Yes,

Comments:

All this is OK as long as the whole complex is LANDSCAPED appropriately; ie tasteful landscaping around the buildings along with SCREENING in the form of Pittosporum, Ake Ake or similar around the complete boundary. Hangars are an eye-sore if not screened. I lived and worked at Mt Cook where the hangers could not be screened off. Their saving grace was that they were grey, the same colour as the moraine. Corrugated iron is fine as long as one can't see it.

Q5

In 2021/22, the total budget for Ashburton Airport was \$152,023, of which 60.9% (\$92,558) was funded from rates. Which level of rates funding would you support us working towards?

Q6

Referring to the map below, please select which of the following you agree with:(you can click on the image to make it bigger)

Other (please specify): Most of the activity at the air-field is for private pleasure.

I support a moderate level of rates funding (30%-50%),

The rate payer should pay enough to help maintain the facility so public events can also take place, ie air-force visits, air-shows etc.

Providing more space for recreational hangars,

The location proposed for the new recreational hangars precinct

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Providing a dedicated commercial hangar precinct,

The location proposed for the commercial hangar precinct

Providing a hangar homes precinct,

The location of the hangar homes precinct,

Other (please specify):

Why is speedway parking on the plan?

Q7

Referring to the hangar homes proposal on page 8 of the consultation document (click here to view), what is your preferred density of hangar homes?

Up to 10 hangar homes (low density),

Other (please specify):

People's circumstances change quite quickly when they are involved with aircraft so a waiting list for the 10 would be appropriate.

Q8

Do you have any other comments or feedback about this draft plan?

It's a good plan as long as the expansion is kept under control. Less is more, quality not quantity.