

**Title: Responses flowing in for Aquatic
Centre coupons**

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More than 450 response coupons have been mailed in to the Council so far, as part of the final public consultation process on the future of the proposed Aquatic Centre.

Information has been provided in local media for residents and ratepayers to make a decision on whether they feel the Aquatic Centre should proceed, based on an additional \$100 rates charge and with entry fees to the facility set at \$5 for adults and \$3 for children.

Ashley Harper, District Services Manager, said "We want to get as much feedback as possible before a Council decision is made, early in the New Year".

"We are keeping a tally of the total number received through the post each day, but no analysis will be made of the responses until after the closing date, when the ballot boxes at the Service Centres, and in Council reception area, will be opened and recorded".

The coupons were in the Timaru Herald last Saturday (29/11), and were printed again in the Courier and the High Country Herald this week. Completed coupons should be posted to Timaru District Council, or handed in to one of the Service Centres before the closing date on 12 December.

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