Consultation name: Freedom Camping public survey

Type: Pre-consultation

Dates opened/ closed: 10-30 April 2025

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Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitaki	i Districts)
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6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District? Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.											
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O'Neills	O'Neills										
Te Moana	Gorge										
Waitohi Bu	ush										
Wincheste	er Bridge										
V N/A - have	e not freedom campe	d in the Timaru Dist	rict								
Other											
7. What do you	most enjoy about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	District?							
Access to the v	wonderful features we	have here - especially	ly Caroline Bay								
3. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?											
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10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	004
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
	There has been rubbish left by some campers here, along with lack of awareness on where/how to park safely	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
	During the peak of the summer season, this is more obvious	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	that the
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can a do.	nd cannot
	Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	If there are straight rules and guidelines, our District would be in line with other councils throughout the country. We would have a consistent ap way.	proach this
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Areas that are animal/ pet friendly. Limit days available for campers, to allow others to enjoy our space too. (Especially throughout the summer months)	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru Distric you would like to see considered here?	t), that
	As above	

If there were to be a bylaw

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

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Caroline Bay	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc		
Milford Lagoon	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
O'Neills	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc		
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
Winchester Bridge	0		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		
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					oers should be allow	ed to stay in		
1-2 nights								
3-5 nights								
6-7 nights								
No limit								
Other								
Please tell us why	Please tell us why you think this.							

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Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.

This is a good amount of time to check out the area camped in. Also, if the space is a busy well utilized area, it will give other campers options to visit

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? No Other Yes Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site. It is never pleasant to camp in an area which is overcrowded 23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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	There are some residents in the district that do not like freedom campers. I think we need to do better in promoting the benefits of freedom	camping.
1.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether the getting better or worse over time.	ney are
2.	. Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
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4.	. Please tell us why.	
	I think it would be good to have a by-law to clearly show where freedom camping is not permitted. This could help residents that don't like funderstand that they are allowed to camp where they are.	reedom camping
15.	. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	A map of areas where freedom camping is allowed and not allowed.	
16.	. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru Dis you would like to see considered here?	trict), that
	A lot of districts have clearly defined freedom camping areas and non-freedom camping areas.	
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Milford Lagoon		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc			
O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ			
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ			
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ			
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	0			
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ			
We need to encour	age as much respons ses like camping grou	ible freedom camping a	s we can. It brings revenu	ue to the district. People	e will argue that freedom and move to another dis	camping is taking			
What do you thin a location?	nk is a reasonable	e maximum numbe	r of nights in a row	that freedom cam	pers should be allow	ed to stay in			
1-2 nights									
3-5 nights									
6-7 nights									
O No limit									
It depends on	It depends on the site. The Bay for example could be 2-3 nights. Other more remote areas I support longer stays.								
	Please tell us why you think this. Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.								

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High use freedom camping sites need to have turnover in my opinion. In less busy/more remote areas it is less important.

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? No Other Yes Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site. If there is enough room to accommodate the freedom campers, why cap numbers.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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Caroline Bay							
Milford Lagor	on						
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✓ Te Moana Go	rge						
Waitohi Bush							
Winchester B	ridge						
N/A - have no	ot freedom camped	I in the Timaru Dist	rict				
Other							
7. What do you me	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	ı District?			
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9. Have you experi	enced or are yo	ou aware of any	-646 - 6-11				
	(1) Negative		of the following	problems cause	d by freedom ca	mpers at any of th	ese sites?
	impact on physical area/ environment	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the area	(3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the area	problems cause Both 1 and 2	d by freedom ca Both 1 and 3	mpers at any of th Both 2 and 3	ese sites?
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Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana	physical area/	impact on health and safety of people visiting the	(3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the				
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	Yes
	No No
	Unsure
14	Please tell us why.
	see above
15	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	More freedom camping areas. The use of kiwi camp to bring in revenue from facilities at freedom camp sites. Run them like doc campsites with a minimal fe
16	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

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Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	0
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	0
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	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		0	0
Caroline Bay		0	\circ
Milford Lagoon		0	\circ
O'Neills		0	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	•	\circ	0
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	•	\circ	\circ
Other		0	0
Please tell us why you t		number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for a	any specific site.
Most areas are small. havin	g larger groups staying can put to	much pressure on the facilities.	
Is there anything else t	hat you want to say or want	us to know?	

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	0	\circ	\circ	0	0	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
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	Yes	No	Other
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Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
D'Neills	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
e Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\circ
Vaitohi Bush		\circ	\bigcirc
Vinchester Bridge	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Other			\bigcirc

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Respondent 6 Anonymous	11:09 Time to complete
Your details 1. Name * Lamorna Cooper	
2. Organisation (if applicable)	
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.	
4. Privacy Statement * All feedback is public information and will be included on Council's website and/or in Centres. This will include your name and, if applicable, the organisation you represent The contact information (phone number and/or email address and/or postal address only for feedback administration purposes; it will not be made publicly available. How feedback - including any private and contact information - may not be redacted. Please contact us via submission@timdc.govt.nz if you have any questions about this All information is held by Council in accordance with the Privacy Act 2020. You have Nothing in this Privacy Statement overrides, or will prevent Council meeting its oblig Meetings Act 1987, or any other relevant legislation. I acknowledge this Privacy Statement will apply to my response	nt. b) that you provide will be accessible to and used by Council staff wever, the content of any attachments that you provide with your s, before providing your feedback. the right to access and correct personal information.
5. Where do you live?	
Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitaki	i Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and Nort	h Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

So Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District? Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.										
Arundel Bridge										
Caroline Ba	Caroline Bay									
Milford Lag	Milford Lagoon									
O'Neills										
Te Moana (Sorge									
Waitohi Bu	sh									
Winchester	Bridge									
N/A - have	not freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict							
Other										
7. What do you i	nost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?						
Variety of option	ns for our visitors.									
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	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
	South Beach - rubbish being left out,	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
	fires being lit in summer	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
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14.	Please tell us why.	
	Some guidance and compliance monitoring is needed	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	More rubbish bins at parks, better access for visitors to use shower/toilet facilities.	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru Distric you would like to see considered here?	t), that
	Seperate areas for campers within easy reach of scenic spots.	

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O'Neills	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Other site	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
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a location?	ık is a reasonabl	e maximum number	r of nights in a row	that freedom cam	pers should be allow	red to stay in
1-2 nights 3-5 nights						
6-7 nights						
No limit						
Other						
Please tell us why Please also outline h		different sites should ha	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		

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Allows one day to recover from a long drive and one day to pack up ready for the next leg as well as 2 days in the middle to spend seeing the sites and enjoying the town and surrounds (and spending money in the district).

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time:

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay		\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\bigcirc
O'Neills		\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge		0	\circ
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge		0	\circ
Other		\circ	\bigcirc

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

should be limited by the size of the reserve/facility itself. This also allows for others to use that space.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

NZers still need to have the ability to stop at the side of the road and take a nap if they are tired due to travel or illness. They also need to be able to park up in suburban areas on the road if their vehicles are road-legal (they may be visiting whanau or friends). This all needs to be more clearly defined.

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16. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), the you would like to see considered here?	hat

If there were to be a bylaw

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

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Milford Lagoon	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
O'Neills	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of. Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers. Not in our area, but when holidaying in other areas that allow freedom camping there is a lot of congestion, littering, people with dogs toileting everywhere and bringing them onto places that are not dog friendly. 11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time. 12. Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information. N/A - haven't seen any problems All of the problems More than half of the problems Less than half of the problems None of the problems 13. Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot Yes No Unsure 14. Please tell us why. 15. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District? strict rules and education on these rules to make it clear that if there is anti-social behavior or any breaches of the rules, it will not be tolerated and there will be consequences/fines. 16. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

If there were to be a bylaw

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

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O'Neills		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc					
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc					
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc					
Winchester Bridge	0	\circ		0	\circ	0					
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ					
might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type. Want Caroline Bay to be clean and green and not over populated with people camping there. They always bring dogs too. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location?											
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1-2 nights 3-5 nights											
6-7 nights											
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Other											
Please tell us why you think this.											
Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.											

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time: No Other Yes Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site. 23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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Caroline Bay	Caroline Bay								
Milford Lago	Milford Lagoon								
O'Neills	O'Neills								
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of. Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers. The majority of freedom campers are responsible people who will not create any issues. There are always a few exceptions who may cause litter or nuisance 11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time. Don't believe Freedom Campers cause any particular issues for the Timaru District. 12. Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information. N/A - haven't seen any problems All of the problems More than half of the problems Less than half of the problems None of the problems 13. Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot Yes Unsure 14. Please tell us why. It is a means of being able to regulate this activity and control the few people who do not comply with reasonable Freedom Camping expectations. 15. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District? Need to be cautious that with the introduction of pay per night sights at Caroline Bay don't compete with our local camp ground commercial operators activities. One or two sites might be OK but Council should not create any further of these within Timaru township. 16. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here? Where the Council has worked together with the NZ Motor Caravan Association to craft a suitable By-Law.

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

		All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
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	Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
	O'Neills	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\circ
	Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
	Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
	Winchester Bridge	\circ	0		\circ	\circ	0
	Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
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There has been recent moves to regulate those who use Freedom Camping sites to be in CSC vehicles. The cheap campers who do not have any on board toileting facilities need to be prevented form Freedom Camping sites. Some of these vehicles display counterfeit CSC stickers on their vehicles. 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights No limit Other							
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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		0	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay		0	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon		0	\bigcirc
O'Neills		0	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\bigcirc
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge		0	\circ
Other		\circ	\bigcirc

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

Sites need to have a maximum capacity, but in many ways this is self regulating, as if and when a site is full, people will go elsewhere. I can't imagine (outside of Caroline Bay) that any of our local sites would ever be overfull.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Please engage with/collaborate with the NZMCA to craft a By-Law that works for all. They have the expertise in this area having worked with many Councils to "get it right".

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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.

The Caroline Bay freedom camping carpark by the skate park, is not big enough for large vehicles, causing larger vehicles to park across the parking areas, this reduces the amount of parks available, if the Carpark closer to the beach was used this problem would be solved. Limiting the amount of nights one can stay in Caroline bay would encourage long term campers to move to areas that will accommodate long term campers.

11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.

Summer can be worse in the Caroline Bay area, and this is increased when carparking is needed for other events. In the summer I would like to see the freedom camping area moved to the grass area of caroline bay, it can be limited by installing temporary fencing, this would allow for the sealed carpark to be used for carparking. I also feel that the \$20 per night fee is too expensive and will put people off coming to the town. NZMCA charges \$5pp/pn for members to park at their parks. Most freedom campers would agree that \$5pp/pn is acceptable

	to park at their parks. Most freedom campers would agree that \$5pp/pn is acceptable
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	A freedom camping bylaw will allow Council to limit the length of time people can stay at a particular site, it will give their officers more power to move people on and give out infringements. Especially instant infringements if the vehicle is not certified self contained.
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Limiting the time allowed to freedom camp at any one site. Lowering the cost pp/pn at Caroline Bay. At the moment it looks like a money making exercise.
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

Encourage NZMCA to set up a park close to Timaru CBD, this will allow members who don't have a vehicle (such as tow behind a motorhome) to be able to walk to the CBD area. Council has a lot of land that is currently not being used, so setting up a parking area would be of benefit to the community and encourage campers to come to the district. The alternative is having a dedicated Motorhome day parking area in Caroline Bay, this accommodates large

motorhomes and caravans, allowing people to stop and enjoy the area. Encouraging event organisers using Caroline Bay to include a CSC motorhome/Caravan parking area for their events, these events could then be advertised with NZMCA, thus encouraging more people to the district.

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other		
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Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc		
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		
O'Neills	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ		
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
Winchester Bridge	\circ	0	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		
might think part of C	aroline Bay should a	llow one type of freedo	om camping, and anothe	er part of Caroline Bay	in greater detail if need should allow a different			
Allow tenting anywh	nere there is a toilet o	onsite, accept Caroline B	ay. All other areas should	only be CSC vehicles.				
What do you thin a location?	k is a reasonable	e maximum numbe	r of nights in a row	that freedom camp	oers should be allow	ed to stay in		
1-2 nights								
3-5 nights								
6-7 nights								
O No limit								
Other	Other							
Please tell us why you think this. Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.								

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if you have several areas around the district that allows for freedom camping then people can move around if they want to stay in the area longer. NB: 1-3 Nights, most travelers like to stay 2 or 3 nights. Anymore than 3 and they need to move to a camping ground or Park over property.

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		0	\circ
Caroline Bay		0	\circ
Milford Lagoon		0	\circ
O'Neills		0	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		0	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	0
Other	\circ	\circ	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

Every camping/parking area should have a limit, this prevents over crowding.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

The infringements for not complying with the bylaw or national regulations when freedom camping need to be high enough to act as a deterrent, the Council also needs to specify what they are going to use the money generated by the infringement for. EG. Upgrading toilet facilities at freedom camping sites for example.

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Respondent

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	Your details
1.	Name *
	Lynley Simmons
2.	Organisation (if applicable)
3.	Contact detail/s *
	Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.
4.	Privacy Statement *
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5.	Where do you live?
	Usually in the Timaru District

Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitaki Districts)

Usually somewhere else in New Zealand

N/A - commenting as an organisation

Usually outside New Zealand

Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and North Canterbury)

6. Where have you Select all that apply				ncourages freedom	camping at, and Ca	roline Bay (previous de	esignated
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of. Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers. People freedom camp in the Timaru Library carpark - particularly over summer. The staff and parking wardens try to move them on, but that is sometimes difficult. They leave rubbish and urinate in gardens and on the asphalt. 11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time. This summer was not nearly so bad at the Timaru Library carpark as a sign was erected saying "No Camping" 12. Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information. N/A - haven't seen any problems All of the problems More than half of the problems Less than half of the problems None of the problems 13. Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do. Yes No Unsure 14. Please tell us why. As a freedom camper it is great to be able to stay in the various spaces around NZ. 15. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District? 16. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

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O'Neills	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
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20. Please tell us wh		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
Unlimited would a	llow people to basical	ly live in one spot.				

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ		\circ
Caroline Bay	\circ	•	\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ		\circ
O'Neills	\circ	•	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	0	•	0
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ
Winchester Bridge	0	•	0
Other	\circ	•	\circ
22. Please tell us why you this includes if you answere		number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for a	ny specific site.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Most freedom campers obey the rules. It is only a handful that spoil it.

I don't believe a bylaw will solve the problems that the handful create.

Those of us who have certified self-contained vehicles respect the rules. The problems generally come from the overseas tourists who use the small campers and tents that are not properly self-contained, which is a wider problem for the government to solve - not local councils.

We appreciate being able to camp on Caroline Bay and realise it is a privilege not a right. Please don't take this away as an option.

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Your details 1. Name *	
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2. Organisation (if applicable)	
NZMCA	
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.	
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Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterb	oury, Christchurch and North Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

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N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Disti	rict				
Other							
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8. What do you co	onsider are the b	enefits of freed	om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
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	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
	We have seen locals or people visiting on their cars dump rubbish	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
	NA	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
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	○ Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	We have not experienced any problems with anyone freedom camping even those who are living in there cars.	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Controlled spaces to stay two nights. Toilets and rubbish facilities are always appreciated by freedom campers and locals	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that
	Toilet and rubbish facilities and spaces that are patrolled and telling people to move on instead of giving fines	

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It gives travellers plei	nty of time to look a	around the area and the	are more likely to spend	d money		

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

		Yes	No	Other
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Respondent 13 Anonymous	05:46 Time to complete
Your details	
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Grant McFaull	
2. Organisation (if applicable)	
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N/A - commenting as an organisation

Select all that appl	Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District? Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.									
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O'Neills	O'Neills									
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	none to us
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	no
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	perhaps only to ban vehicles that do not comply with self containment regulations
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

Freedom Camping public survey

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	0	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
19. What do you the a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other		e maximum numbe	r of nights in a row	that freedom camp	ers should be allow	ed to stay in
20. Please tell us when Please also outline		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
tourists often like	to stay a few days					

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? No Other Yes Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site. there would be a self regulated limit anywayif there is no room - there is no room 23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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5. Where do you live?	
Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Wait	taki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and No	orth Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	

N/A - commenting as an organisation

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	Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.						
✓ Arundel Bridg	ge						
Caroline Bay							
✓ Milford Lago	on						
O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	orge						
✓ Waitohi Bush	1						
✓ Winchester B	Bridge						
N/A - have n	ot freedom campe	d in the Timaru Disti	rict				
Other							
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What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?							
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. Have you exper	ienced or are yo					mpers at any of th	ese sites?
. Have you exper	ienced or are yo (1) Negative impact on physical area/ environment						ese sites? All
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Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon	(1) Negative impact on physical area/	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the	problems cause	d by freedom ca	mpers at any of th	
Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana	(1) Negative impact on physical area/	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the	problems cause	d by freedom ca	mpers at any of th	
Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge	(1) Negative impact on physical area/	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the	problems cause	d by freedom ca	mpers at any of th	

Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	004
Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
none	
Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
N/A - haven't seen any problems	
All of the problems	
More than half of the problems	
Less than half of the problems	
None of the problems	
Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	that the
See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can a do.	nd cannot
Yes	
○ No	
Unsure	
Please tell us why.	
to control bad behaver	
What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
more enforcing of rules	
Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru Distric you would like to see considered here?	t), that
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Freedom Camping public survey

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\bigcirc	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
where do tenting people go to do there toileting 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other						
20. Please tell us wh		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? No Other Yes Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site. to help with keeping sites safe and in good order

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or en	nail address.	
Centres. This will include your name and, if a The contact information (phone number and only for feedback administration purposes; if feedback - including any private and contact Please contact us via		

N/A - commenting as an organisation

6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?							
Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.							
Arundel Brid	Arundel Bridge						
Caroline Bay	Caroline Bay						
Milford Lago	Milford Lagoon						
O'Neills	O'Neills						
Te Moana Go	Te Moana Gorge						
Waitohi Bush	Waitohi Bush						
Winchester B							
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
✓ Not used any	y places on offer as	too small parking a	area				
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	ı District?			
I love the town							
8. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?							
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10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	009
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
	I use the NZMCA app so I leave comments there which I understand you can read	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
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12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can a do.	nd cannot
	○ Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	Make sure the new self containment is firmly enforced with any fake displays fined promptly	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Longer stays, decent sized parks as motorhomes are much wider than a car	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
his includes if you					in greater detail if need should allow a different	
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lease tell us who his includes if you sight think part of the location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights	answered Other or v Caroline Bay should	allow one type of freed	om camping, and anoth	er part of Caroline Bay	should allow a different	type.
lease tell us when his includes if you an includes if you are included in the least of the least	answered Other or v Caroline Bay should	allow one type of freed	om camping, and anoth	er part of Caroline Bay	should allow a different	type.
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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? No Other Yes Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

There is no point in driving to a more remote location and only for two nights

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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Centres. This will include your name and, if applicable, the orga The contact information (phone number and/or email address a only for feedback administration purposes; it will not be made p feedback - including any private and contact information - may Please contact us via submission@timdc.govt.nz if you have and All information is held by Council in accordance with the Privace	and/or postal address) that you provide will be accessible to and used by Council staff publicly available. However, the content of any attachments that you provide with your y not be redacted. y questions about this, before providing your feedback. y Act 2020. You have the right to access and correct personal information. uncil meeting its obligations under, the Local Government Official Information and
5. Where do you live?	
Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, N	Mackenzie and Waitaki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, C	Christchurch and North Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	

N/A - commenting as an organisation

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Milfo	ord Lagoon						
O'Ne	ills						
Te Mo	oana Gorge						
✓ Waito	ohi Bush						
Winc	hester Bridge						
N/A	- have not freedom can	nped in the Timaru Dist	rict				
Othe	er						
7 What do	vou most eniov ab	out freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	ı District?			
	nvolved and ability to st	·	ing in the rindre	District.			
3. What do	you consider are th	ne benefits of freed	om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
The cost of	of commercial camps in	some cases is prohibitive	e so freedom campir	ng saves money we t	hen spend in local of	ther businesses, cafe's,	supermarkets,
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Arundel B Caroline Milford L O'Neills Te Moana Gorge	(1) Negative impact on physical area/environmen Bridge Bay agoon	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people t visiting the	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the	problems cause	d by freedom ca	mpers at any of th	ese sites?

10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.

The problems come from freedom camping in non certified vehicles. The new certification system will in some ways fix this issue but only if there is enforcement.

11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.

Covid had an affect on the "traveller" vans but I see a resurgence of small SUV and small vans that are displaying the green registration card and a green sticker on the rear. How these have been certified is not clear.

	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.

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A bylaw is only practical if there is enforcement.

15. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?

Make freedom camping available as widely as possible ensuring if it in a parking area the site is big enough. I have had occasions where a van has parked so close within the line markings neither of us could open our doors. An enforcement/ambassador would be of great benefit.

16. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

Whangarei council had a freedom camping ambassador and we had interaction with him for some time and discussed his role with him and believe it was of benefit to all the community.

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	
O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	
Winchester Bridge	0	\circ	\circ	0	\circ	
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
My preference is treated on its me 19. What do you the a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit	as little restriction as porits.	ossible. Where there are	suitable toilet, rubbish fa	icilities, water etc availal	should allow a different ble then no restrictions. Ea pers should be allow	ach site needs to be
Other						
20. Please tell us w		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
Depending on th	ne facility available most	t self contained vehicles	will probably need to mo	ove after 3/4 nights.		

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		0	\circ
Caroline Bay		0	\circ
Milford Lagoon		0	\circ
O'Neills		0	0
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		0	0
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ
Other	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
22. Please tell us why you thin	k this.		
This includes if you answered Of	ther or wish to state a	specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for an	ny specific site.
Over crowding leads to an unsa peaceful occupation.	afe environment for ev	reryone. Space is needed in case of fire. I am aware also of co	ncerns of local residents and there right for
23. Is there anything else that	you want to say o	or want us to know?	

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N/A - commenting as an organisation

6. Where have yo	ou freedom camp	ed in the Timar	u District?				
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Winchester	Bridge						
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Other							
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	rease tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
2. F	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
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(N/A - haven't seen any problems
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	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Firmaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
(Yes
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O'Neills	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	0	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	0	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? No Other Yes Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site. Keeps the area manageable for groundskeepers. 23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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	Yes	
	No No	
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14.	Please tell us why.	
	never seen any problems	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	none	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that
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Milford Lagoon		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	
O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Te Moana Gorge		0	\circ	\circ	\circ	0	
Waitohi Bush		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Other site		\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
-			om camping, and anoth	er part of Caroline Bay	should allow a different	type.	
should be available for responsible campers of all type 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other 20. Please tell us why you think this. Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.							
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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? Yes No Other Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills

Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

nope

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

nope

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Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.											
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Caroline Bay	Caroline Bay										
Milford Lagor	Milford Lagoon										
O'Neills											
✓ Te Moana Go	rge										
Waitohi Bush											
Winchester B	ridge										
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7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?							
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	Yes	
	No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	I've stayed in places like kaikoura where they have forced campers into small managed areas which causes friction amongst campers being on tother, an a negative view of the town, bad feedback about the town on social media.	op of each
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	The problem is that one or two spoil it for the majority. the new law requesting people to have fixed toilets isn't working, they may have a fixed they're still not using them, the best solution for any council is to provide a suitable large enough area with some sort of toileting facilities whet long drop or something else.	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru Distriction you would like to see considered here?	ct), that
	I camped to a freedom camping site which also allowed tents and you didn't have to be self-contained because there was toilets. it was somew	here in North

I camped to a freedom camping site which also allowed tents and you didn't have to be self-contained because there was toilets, it was somewhere in North Canterbury but I can't remember where. They had a lovely welcoming sign with a donation honesty box with a guide donation of five dollars per night. Explaining that this fee went towards keeping the toilets clean and the grass mown. There were four camper vans and a young couple in a tent and we were

talking in the evening and saying what a lovely place it was and it was worth putting the \$5 in the honesty box to keep places like this going. I realise that not everybody would be prepared to pay for these facilities, but I like to the way this done.

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? No Other Yes Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site. No one likes overcrowded sites 23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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NZMCA member		
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Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.											
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Caroline Bay	✓ Caroline Bay										
Milford Lago	Milford Lagoon										
O'Neills											
✓ Te Moana Go	orge										
Waitohi Bush											
Winchester B	ridge										
N/A - have no	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Distr	rict								
Other											
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	No problems noted
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	No problem noted
	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	○ Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	So many restrictions
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Clearly show freedom camping areas, good signage
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	Westcoast have toilet facilities and water at designated freedom camping areas

Freedom Camping public survey

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other		
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O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ		
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc		
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ		
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Te Moana shou	ld have up to 5 days							

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23.

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		0	\circ
Caroline Bay		0	\circ
Milford Lagoon		0	0
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		0	\circ
Waitohi Bush		0	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	\circ
Other		0	\circ
Please tell us why you think This includes if you answered Oth		iic number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for a	ny specific site.
Too many causes environmental	issues		
Is there anything else that y	ou want to say or war	nt us to know?	
Clear signage of where to take ru	ubbish needed		

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Nil problems seen
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No
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N/A - haven't seen any problems
All of the problems
More than half of the problems
Less than half of the problems
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See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
Yes
○ No
Unsure
Please tell us why.
Need to clearly and enforce state the rules
What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
NA
Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
NZMCA sites and POPS

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Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\circ	0	0	0
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Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	

N/A - commenting as an organisation

Select all that apply	man and a		u District?	_			
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✓ Waitohi Bush							
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N/A - have no	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Distr	rict				
Other							
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	Nil. NZMCA members have to be self contained and stay within the rules of the Association	
1.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.	
	N/A	
2.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
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	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
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	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
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	○ Yes	
	■ No	
	Unsure	
1.	Please tell us why.	
	Not necessary for fully self contained vehicles	
5.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
6.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?	t
	In peak season, Grey district have toilets cleaned four times a day in freedom camping areas & rubbish bins emptied twice a day. They encourage tourist their area	t to

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O'Neills	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	0	\circ	\circ		
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Encourage domestic and international tourists to the area 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other 20. Please tell us why you think this. Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.								
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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? No Other Yes Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other Safety, to stop overcrowding

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Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

6. Where have yo	ou freedom camp	ed in the Timar	u District?				
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Milford Lag	oon						
O'Neills							
Te Moana G	orge						
Waitohi Bus	h						
Winchester	Bridge						
N/A - have	not freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
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	N/A - haven't seen any problems All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
3.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	○ Yes
	O No
	Unsure
4.	Please tell us why.
5.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
6.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	In general you guys are doing a great job Thanks

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
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O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
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lt's a great amoun	t of time to park up in	one and explore the dis	strict, do shopping, laund	lry , sight seeing etc		

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		0	\circ
Caroline Bay		0	\circ
Milford Lagoon		0	0
O'Neills		\circ	0
Te Moana Gorge		0	0
Waitohi Bush		0	0
Winchester Bridge		0	0
Other	\bigcirc	\circ	0
Please tell us why you th This includes if you answered		ific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for a	ny specific site.
To try and avoid overcrowding	ng, which can lead to negative i	impacts on the site	
Is there anything else the	at you want to say or wa	nt us to know?	

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Winchester B	ridge						
N/A - have no	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
✓ I have campe	ed in a number of p	olaces sorry I can't re	emember the name	S			
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	ı District?			
I love the area							
8. What do you co	onsider are the b	penefits of freed	om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
When I was there things locally 9. Have you exper						r costs down so we can	
	(1) Negative impact on physical area/ environment	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the area	(3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the area	Both 1 and 2	Both 1 and 3	Both 2 and 3	All
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc				
Caroline Bay	\circ			\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	0
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ	0	0	0	0
	\bigcirc	0	0	0	0	0	0
O'Neills	0	0	0	0	0 0	0 0	0 0
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P	Please tell us why.
	The current rules saying you have to have a fixed toilet is not welcoming for me and my family, we camp in a roof top tent and can't have a fix toilet the contained be to much to switch to a caravan. But we are responsible and carry a portable toilet with us. As an area where we would spend money we would not be able to stay there if u say we must be certified self contained, please help look after your local travels from NZ
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	Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ
	Waitohi Bush		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
	Winchester Bridge		0	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Other site		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	But where toilets are	not available you m	nust take a portable toile	et. You don't need to be o	vertified self contained.	should allow a different	
	What do you thin a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit	k is a reasonable	e maximum numbe	r of nights in a row	that freedom camp	pers should be allow	ed to stay in
20.	Please tell us why Please also outline he		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? 116 Yes No Other Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

	No thoughts because caravans and their owners take up so much room
23.	Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	Why only put up problems. There's lots of positive. You have taken rubbish bins away from many areas. I usually walk round the road also picking up rubbish thrown out of car windows. Not always the freedom campers
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
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	N/A - haven't seen any problems
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	○ Yes
	No No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	You are trying to force people into the overpriced camp grounds. Watch out or people won't stay in the area and move on. You don't have any designated motorhome parking in Timaru and now I find it not motorhome friendly. Do want us to spend money in the town or just force people into the campgrounds.
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Put public toilets on the highway. There is virtually none. You need income in from people in motorhome or green stickers vehicles.
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	You can freedom camp in many carparks in other towns overnight from 5pm to 8am Security for the area as campers are there. Check out the West coast they actually welcome people. These people can also season work for businesses if you have 1 designated area like other towns

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			f at the lakes etc where p	-	welcome, not biffed out	

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	Yes	No	Other
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Caroline Bay	\circ		\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ		\circ
O'Neills	\circ	•	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	•	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ
Winchester Bridge	\circ		0
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This includes if you answered	Other or wish to state a specific	number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for an	y specific site.

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23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

You have more things to worry about like rates, budgets. Sweat the big stuff not the small stuff. How much money have you spent on this survey, staff costs

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10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	127
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that a problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	ny
	Never found any problems from other campers. Only the local idiots who do not obey any law.	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they a getting better or worse over time.	are
	Have not experienced any problems from campers as the appreciate being able to enjoy the environment.	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and do. Yes	
	No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	The only time that a bylaw would be of use is when the locals become unruly. By putting all campers in one place at same time is when problems become evident.	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Make more spaces available. Over crowding is the main problem that all of NZ has. Thats why I do not participate in stopping at designated locations. Open spaces throughout the country. Also more toilets, education from local councils instead of ridiculous fine. When council employees start talking about why you are there, better to you are enjoying your visit to our district. And please help us keep it clean and tidy. As I have said previously enjoy our district as well as keeping it	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District) you would like to see considered here?	, that
	As number 15. Enjoy.	

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
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Caroline Bay	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
O'Neills	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
le Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
W aitohi Bush	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ	
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	
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camping.

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? 126

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay		0	\circ
Milford Lagoon		0	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	•	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		0	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	\circ
Other		\circ	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

The word I use is freedom (SPACE) So find more locations for you freedom campers.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

All I ask is that you recommend (Self Contained) please NOT Certified as this will become a cost to the council. From my experience education to all freedom campers goes along way to solving a problem that was caused by NO education at the boarder in 2012 when the World Cup was held.

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5. Where do you live?		
Usually in the Timaru District		
Usually somewhere else in South	h Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenz	ie and Waitaki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canto	erbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christch	urch and North Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New	Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand		
N/A - commenting as an organi		

6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?							
Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.							
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Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	on						
O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	orge						
Waitohi Bush							
Winchester B	ridge						
✓ N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
Other							
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	ı District?			
As mentioned we	haven't freedom ca	mped there, but wo	uld like to.				
8. What do you co	8. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?						
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	s are that we spend	money virtually eve	rywhere we stay.				ese sites?
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10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	We have not experienced problems freedom camping anywhere.
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	N/A
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at https://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot
	do.
	Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	It tells us what we can and can't do. We nake every effort to follow rules when we are effectively guest in someone elses territory.
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Having enough spaces and not parked to close together.
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	The only other thing that would help us is a rubbish bin, we are quite limited on how much we can store.

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
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Caroline Bay	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoor		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ
O'Neills	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
N/A 19. What do you a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights	 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 					
Other 20. Please tell us	why you think this. ne here if you think that	different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
It would be nice	e to have 3 to 5, but I do	n't think that is reasonab	le.			

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other	
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
O'Neills	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Winchester Bridge	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	
Other	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	
Please tell us why you think this.				
his includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.				

22.

Sorry I am unable to answer this.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

I think it is awesome that Councils provide freedom camping locations. It is great to visit and explore new towns, knowing when we arrive there is somewhere to park.

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Usually in the Timaru District		
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitaki Dis	stricts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-C	anterbury, Christchurch and North Ca	anterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand		
Usually outside New Zealand		

N/A - commenting as an organisation

				. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?				
	Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.							
	Arundel Bridge							
	Caroline Bay							
	Milford Lago	on						
	O'Neills							
	✓ Te Moana Go	orge						
	Waitohi Bush							
	Winchester B	ridge						
	N/A - have no	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Disti	rict				
	Other							
7 \^	Vhat do vou m	ost aniov about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?			
					District:			
	The local areas, paricularly if facilities are available e.g.clean toilets.							
8. W	What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?							
	Brings visitors into	the area who spen	nd money locally. Op	ens up our area for o	others.			
						d by freedom ca	mpers at any of th	ese sites?
						d by freedom ca Both 1 and 3	mpers at any of th Both 2 and 3	ese sites?
9. H		ienced or are yo (1) Negative impact on physical area/	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the	problems cause			
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Christmas time at Carol	line Bay due to the numbers. Needs stricter control and organised parking.	
Have you reported a	any of these problems to Council before?	
We want to understand I	how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new informa	ation.
N/A - haven't seen	any problems	
All of the problems	s	
More than half of t	the problems	
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Yes		
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Please tell us why.		
There needs to be a leg	gal requirement that can be controlled and monitored.	
What are one or two	o changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru Distr	ict?
Improved facilities and	a bigger area at Caroline Bay that is seperate from a casual parking area.	
Is there anything fre you would like to se	redom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the T be considered here?	imaru District), that
Improved facilities eg, t	coilets/showers.	

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

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	Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
	Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
	O'Neills	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	\circ	0	\circ
	Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
20.	might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type. 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights No limit Other 20. Please tell us why you think this.						
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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? 136

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay		\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\bigcirc
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		0	\bigcirc
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ
Other	0	\circ	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

Again, depending on size and facilities.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

The carpark by skating ring should not have campers, freedom or otherwise. A seperate area inside Caroline Bay should be provided with improved facilities.

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Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

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Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	on						
O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	orge						
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Other							
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	ı District?			
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	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
	While camping in Caroline Bay a few years ago I noticed a peep hole in the wall in ladies toilets.	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
12	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
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	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can a do.	nd cannot
	Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Cameras in freedom areas and patrolling areas more often. In our travels around the country we have seen people dumping boot loads of rubbit the rubbish bins indicating these people seem to be locals and not campers.	sh bags in
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that
	If there were to be a bylaw	
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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
might think part of	Caroline Bay should a	allow one type of freed	om camping, and anoth	er part of Caroline Bay	s in greater detail if need should allow a different I only SC vehicles should I	type.
19. What do you the a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit 3 20. Please tell us where	ink is a reasonable	e maximum numbe		that freedom camp	pers should be allow	
Most SC tanks wil	I only last 3 days					

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	•	0	\circ
Caroline Bay	•	0	\circ
Milford Lagoon		0	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		0	0
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	•	\circ	0
Other	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Please tell us why you think t	his.		
This includes if you answered Othe	r or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/	freedom campers/tents for any specific site.	
Is there anything else that yo	ou want to say or want us to know?		

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Justyn thorpe	
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✓ Arundel Bride	ge						
Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	on						
O'Neills							
✓ Te Moana Go	orge						
Waitohi Bush	1						
✓ Winchester B	Bridge						
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Distr	rict				
Other							
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?			
It's FREE		·					
3. What do you co	ancidor ara tha b	anafita of freed		l francism comp	ore for the Timer	u District?	
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					le to exist and not be		
Everybody will sp	end some money so	omewhere at sometir	me, it is also a basic h	numan right to be ab	le to exist and not be		ese sites?
Everybody will sp	end some money so	omewhere at sometir	me, it is also a basic h	numan right to be ab	le to exist and not be	e or feel harassed	ese sites? All
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Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge	rienced or are you	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the	problems cause	ole to exist and not be	e or feel harassed mpers at any of th	

. Ple	ease tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.
	ase break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any oblems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	ease tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are ting better or worse over time.
	ve you reported any of these problems to Council before? want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
С	All of the problems
С	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
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See do.	the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot
С	Yes
) No
	Unsure
Ple	ease tell us why.
D	on't fix what isn't broken!!
W	nat are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
N	flore freedom camping areas
	there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that u would like to see considered here?
B	etter/more public toilets

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	0
Other site		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
		e movement of nz citize		that freedom camp	pers should be allow	ed to stay in
Other						
Please tell us why Please also outline h		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
Often some sites th	e stay requirements	can be longer,especially	for nz citizens			

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	©	0
Caroline Bay	\circ		\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ		0
O'Neills	\circ		\circ
Te Moana Gorge	0		\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ
Winchester Bridge	0		0
Other	\circ		\circ
22. Please tell us why you to This includes if you answere		c number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for an	y specific site.
23. Is there anything else t	hat you want to say or want	t us to know?	

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N/A - commenting as an organisation	

6. Where have you	ı freedom camp	ed in the Timar	u District?				
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✓ Arundel Bridg	ge						
✓ Caroline Bay							
✓ Milford Lagor	on						
✓ O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	rge						
Waitohi Bush							
Winchester B	-	Lie de Tierre Diet					
N/A - nave no	ot freedom camped	l in the Timaru Dist	rict				
Other							
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?			
Nice Grass Areas	provided by Council	relatively Safe					
0 14/5-4-1	neidor are the h				C (1) T'		
8. What do you co	insider are the L	enems of freed	om camping and	I freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
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_	in the District by wa	ay of Fuel Food Groo	ceries or Treats				ese sites?
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We spend money 9. Have you exper	in the District by wa	ou aware of any (2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the	problems cause	d by freedom ca	mpers at any of th	
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. Hav	e you reported any of these problems to Council before?
We v	vant to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
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\bigcirc	All of the problems
\bigcirc	More than half of the problems
\bigcirc	Less than half of the problems
\bigcirc	None of the problems
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See t	he Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot
	Yes
\bigcirc	No
\bigcirc	Unsure
. Plea	se tell us why.
. Wh	at are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
Ce	tified Self Contained Vehicles Only
	ere anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that would like to see considered here?

If there were to be a bylaw

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
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O'Neills	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\circ		0	\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
might think part of 0	answered Other or w Caroline Bay should a et Facilities then CSC	allow one type of freed	om camping, and anoth	er part of Caroline Bay	s in greater detail if need should allow a different and those without the C	type.
19. What do you thing a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit	nk is a reasonabl	e maximum numbe	r of nights in a row	that freedom camp	oers should be allow	ed to stay in
Other						

20. Please tell us why you think this.

Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.

The Areas do not need to attract Riff Raff, and need to look Attractive and Friendly to All, Perhaps a couple could be made a longer time so Families are able to stay during Holidays as they are able in Selwyn District

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? Yes No Other Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site. If it's full it's full most of us can use common sense n move on if full. 23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	orge						
Waitohi Bush	1						
Winchester B	Bridge						
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
Other							
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	ı District?			
N/A							
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8. What do you co	onsider are the b	penefits of freed	om camping and	a treedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
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10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	134
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	Overfilling council rubbish bins, excrement left behind, over staying	
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	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
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	Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
	Please tell us why.	
	Not sure what a bylaw entails. There are enough NZMTA camps in the region, why does the council need to supply free camping to free loaders minimal amounts? They aren't the type of tourists we want or need. the council has a good range of camp grounds where they can park up for \$ and everything is taken care off.	
	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Remove freedom camping entirely, saves the council money	
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that
	Nope	

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O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		\circ	
Te Moana Gorge	0	\circ	\circ	0		0	
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ		\bigcirc	
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		\circ	
Other site	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ		\bigcirc	
19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit							
20. Please tell us wh		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	naximum stays.			
As explained earlie	er						

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? 156 Yes No Other Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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Arundel Bridge											
Caroline Bay											
Milford Lago	on										
O'Neills	O'Neills										
✓ Te Moana Go	✓ Te Moana Gorge										
✓ Waitohi Bush	1										
✓ Winchester B	Bridge										
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict								
Other											
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?							
The ability to do s	so and have choices										
8. What do you co	onsider are the b	penefits of freed	om camping and	l frankam samp	ore for the Timar	u Dietriet?					
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	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
	None except people leaving rubbish	
1.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
2.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
3.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	that the
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can a do.	nd cannot
	○ Yes	
	No No	
	Unsure	
4.	Please tell us why.	
5.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	More semi rural options	
6.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that
	Like sites with clean water or bins	

If there were to be a bylaw

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	0		\circ	\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	0	\circ		\circ	0	0
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
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3-5 nights 6-7 nights						
No limit						
Other						
Please tell us why		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other				
Arundel Bridge		0	\circ				
Caroline Bay		0	0				
Milford Lagoon	\circ		0				
O'Neills	\circ		\circ				
Te Moana Gorge	0		0				
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ				
Winchester Bridge	(a)	0	0				
Other	\bigcirc		\circ				
22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.							
23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?							
Car versions that state self contained usually rarely are and are generally the worst at cleanliness							

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2. Organisation (if applicable)		
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5. Where do you live?		
Usually in the Timaru District		
Usually somewhere else in Sout	h Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie	and Waitaki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Cant	erbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchur	rch and North Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New	Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand		

N/A - commenting as an organisation

6. Where have you Select all that apply				ncourages freedom	camping at, and Ca	roline Bay (previous de	esignated				
Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.											
Arundel Bridge											
Caroline Bay	✓ Caroline Bay										
Milford Lago	Milford Lagoon										
O'Neills	O'Neills										
Te Moana Gorge											
Waitohi Bush											
Winchester B	ridge										
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict								
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8. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?											
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of. Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers. have only once come accross a problem at the Port (by the roller rink) where we usually stop over & that was 2 rental campervans allowing their grey water to run out on the ground. BY the way, the dump station there is a bit awkward to use. 11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time. have not encountered any other issues 12. Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information. N/A - haven't seen any problems All of the problems More than half of the problems Less than half of the problems None of the problems 13. Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot Yes No Unsure 14. Please tell us why. unfortunately no bylaw is going to stop some of the bad habits/behaviour. It is the people NOT the vehicles that are the problem. 15. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District? please allow non certified vehicles to park up in places where there are toilets. We are fully selfcontained but not certified (a money making racket) & because we have a port a potti are unable to be certified anyway. 16. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here? yes. Allowing non certified vehicles to park up where there are toilets.

If there were to be a bylaw

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		All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
	Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
	Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	
	Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
	O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ
	Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
	Other site	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
This includes if you answered Other or want to give us feedback about sites not listed above. Break down sites in greater detail if needed, e.g. you might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type. I put "other" because you never gave uncertified vehicles as on option 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights No limit depends on location 20. Please tell us why you think this.							
				ave different rules for m		ig reserve then maybe m	oro nights can be
	allowed	ne needom camp is	. п п а сагратк ед те го	нет тик сагратк, тией а с	ouple of flights. If if a b	ng reserve trien maybe mo	ore nights can be

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ	\circ
O'Neills	\circ	0	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	0	0	\circ
Winchester Bridge	0	0	\circ
Other	\circ	\circ	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

In any place that has marked car parks, I believe there should be, at the very least, a car park space between every vehicle for safety reasons especially fire. In unmarked places then there should be approx 3 metres between vehicles for the very same reason. This would then limit the number of parks available.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Just that if a vehicle is certified self contained then they do not need the use of a public toilet so it would be great if they were directed to a place that has no facilities, leaving space for those that are not, or unable to be, CSC

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5. Where do you live?	
Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitak	i Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and Nort	th Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

Selec	t all that apply	. The list below cor		Council currently e			roline Bay (previous de u have freedom camp	
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	Caroline Bay							
	Milford Lagoo	on						
	O'Neills							
	Te Moana Go	rge						
	Waitohi Bush							
	Winchester Br	ridge						
~	N/A - have no	ot freedom campeo	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
	Other							
7. Wha	nt do you mo	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?			
lt's	nice and quiet							
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8. Wha	it do you co	nsider are the b	penefits of freed	om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
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U.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	109
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
	There are always inconsiderate people no matter where you visit	
1.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
	When overseas tourists visit with their small cars and vans that don't have toilets or bathrooms	
2.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can are	
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	Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
	Please tell us why.	
	Rules keep people safe	
	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Only allow certified self contained vehicles	
ō.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?), that
	As above and have check that people are certified self contained	

If there were to be a bylaw

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	0	\circ		\circ	\circ	0
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
19. What do you thin a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit	nk is a reasonabl	e maximum numbe	r of nights in a row	that freedom camp	pers should be allow	ed to stay in
Other 20. Please tell us why Please also outline h		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	naximum stays.		
Gives you time to e	explore the area and u	utilize the services in the	area, thus putting mone	y back to the local com	munity	

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	0
Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon		\circ	0
O'Neills		\circ	0
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		\circ	0
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ
Other		\circ	0
	ed Other or wish to state a spec	ific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for a	ny specific site.
Stop overcrowding and ke	ep people safe		
23. Is there anything else t	that you want to say or wa	ant us to know?	

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5. Where do you live?	
Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waital	ki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and Nor	rth Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	

N/A - commenting as an organisation

6. Where have yo	u freedom camp	ed in the Timan	u District?				
Select all that app	y. The list below co	ntains the sites that	t Council currently e			roline Bay (previous de u have freedom camp	
Arundel Brid	ge						
Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	oon						
✓ O'Neills							
Te Moana G	orge						
Waitohi Busi	1						
Winchester	Bridge						
N/A - have r	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	trict				
Other							
7. What do you m	nost enjoy about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	ı District?			
In tye places I ha	ve camped I always f	elt safe and I under	stand the rules impos	sed on me and I am I	happy to comply		
8 What do you o	onsider are the b	penefits of freed	om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
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	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	
	I have not experienced any problems	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.	
	I have not noticed any problems	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that to Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	the
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	No No	
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14.	Please tell us why.	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	A longer stay possible maybe 5 days in a month period	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?	nt

If there were to be a bylaw

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7. What do you most enjoy about freedom camping in the Timaru District?													
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10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	ט
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	
	No problems at all	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.	
	No problems ever existed	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that t Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	he
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and can do.	not
	○ Yes	
	No No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	Freedom campers I have seen are all well behaved respectful tidy clean quiet	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Allow them to camp free of charge and encourage them to spend money in your town	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), tha you would like to see considered here?	t
	Freedom camping for events as long as they are officially self contained	

If there were to be a bylaw

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other				
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Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ				
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ				
Te Moana Gorge	0	\circ		0	\circ	0				
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc				
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ				
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ				
might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type. They all should be certified self contained then these no problems with toilets water showering cooking etc 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights										
3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other 20. Please tell us wh	ny you think this.									
Please also outline										
	Because likes of your new year Caroline Bay carnival goes on for approx 10/15 days which would be good to stay that long but not too long that some people might stay permanently.									

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	•	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	\circ		\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\circ		\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ		\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\circ		\circ
Other	\circ		\bigcirc

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

Plenty of room for everyone

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

If you insist on charging \$20 per night for self contained motorhome/caravan for your Christmas new year Caroline Bay carnival we will not be returning. We have enjoyed this time in Timaru for many years supporting this great carnival and your retail area, restaurants, bars supermarkets, service stations. We noted this year that your local community did not support the festival like other years and quite honestly if the campers hadn't been there your carnival would have been very unsupported.

Please think about your retail community they need all the outside support they can get.

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5. Where do you live?	
Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Wa	aitaki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and	North Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	

N/A - commenting as an organisation

Other

The current freedom camping situation

6.	Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?
	Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated
	freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.

V	Arundel Bridge
~	Caroline Bay
	Milford Lagoon
	O'Neills
	Te Moana Gorge
	Waitohi Bush
V	Winchester Bridge
	N/A - have not freedom camped in the Timaru District

7. What do you most enjoy about freedom camping in the Timaru District?

As a fully self contained Motorhomer with over 20 years experience of looking after and respecting our wonderful country. I leave only my tyre marks. No rubbish, no noise, no wild party's, no clotheslines with clothes hanging from them and toilet paper and human waste.

8. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?

You only need to talk to retailers, hotels & clubs, service stations and dairies in small towns likes of Waimate, Reefton, Murchison and see the huge amount of business freedom campers bring to these small towns.

9. Have you experienced or are you aware of any of the following problems caused by freedom campers at any of these sites?

	(1) Negative impact on physical area/ environment	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the area	(3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the area	Both 1 and 2	Both 1 and 3	Both 2 and 3	All
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ
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Winchester Bridge	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	
Other site	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ

10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.

Having freedom camped at Caroline Bay and supported Timaru's Caroline carnival for a number of years. We also go purchasing at the shops in town. Restaurants, clubs and bars, coffee shops etc etc

11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.

Everything has been fine for most years. Except this year, when the local council decided to start charging to stay at Caroline bay over the carnival period. Which ment much less money being spent in town and at the carnival. Looking around at the. Very small amount of motor vehicles parked at carnival this year if I wasn't for the support of the freedom campers, the carnival would have been a financial disaster. Local people were not supporting it.

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12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	Yes
	No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	Leave the certified self contained visitors alone and let them support your town before they all leave and not return.
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Allow certified self contained vans and Motorhomes to stay in your town without being hassled. Get rid of all tents pitched in these areas which seem to be local people that don't understand how to keep the place clean and tidy
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

If there were to be a bylaw

As I stated earlier check with small towns likes of Waimate, Reefton, Methven, Murchison and see what they have to say

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Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Winchester Bridge	•	0	0	
Other	0	0	0	
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23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Please be very careful on the amount you, the council want to charge freedom campers. Make sure it's not to much. Check what all other places charge

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Lana Hay	
2. Organisation (if applicable)	
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N/A - commenting as an organisation

The current freedom camping situation

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✓ O'Neills							
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Waitohi Bush							
Winchester B	ridge						
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
Other							
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More monitoring of people camping	More monitoring of people camping	
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		All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
	Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc			\bigcirc		
	Caroline Bay				\bigcirc		
	Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc			\bigcirc		\bigcirc
	O'Neills	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
	Te Moana Gorge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc			\bigcirc	\bigcirc
	Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc			\bigcirc		
	Winchester Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
	Other site	\bigcirc	\bigcirc				\bigcirc
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	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
Other	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
Please tell us why you to This includes if you answered		umber of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for	any specific site.
Is there anything else th	nat you want to say or want u	s to know?	

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Respondent 40	Anonymous	19:11 Time to complete
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Björn Sohl		
2. Organisation (if applicable)		
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5. Where do you live?		
Usually in the Timaru District		
Usually somewhere else in South	Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzi	e and Waitaki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canter	bury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchu	rch and North Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Z	ealand	
Usually outside New Zealand		
N/A - commenting as an organisa	ition	

The current freedom camping situation

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✓ Caroline Bay	y						
Milford Lag	oon						
✓ O'Neills							
Te Moana G	orge						
✓ Waitohi Bus	h						
Winchester	Bridge						
N/A - have	not freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
Other							
7. What do you r	nost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timarı	ı District?			
Beaches and city		Trecuom cumpi	ing in the finiare	District.			
3. What do you o	onsider are the b	enefits of freed	om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
We bring a good attractions etc	d amount of money in	nto the district espec	cially when allowed n	nore than three nigh	ts a spot. Think fuel/o	diesel, groceries for fam	nily of 6,
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.

Don't have any problems with freedom campers, what we see as full time traveller all around the country is most problem are caused by local youngsters leaving rubbish around. Most freedom campers/overseas tourists love the outdoors and are more environmentally aware than the local kiwis with their McDonald/KFC rubbish etc.

11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.

	As said we think it is better to allowe more spots to stay or even open up the whole district so everybody will spread out more instead of putting all in one little carpark and create problems that way.
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	○ Yes
	No No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Open up more spot or even whole district. More public toilets and rubbish facilities
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that

you would like to see considered here?

Look at south Waikato district with their free toilets / showers rubbish/recycling collection and beautiful camp. No problems there because there are so many spots to go.

Same as the Waimea Katie I district? You can stay any where as long as you don't block a drive way. Every domain is well looked after and free to use.

If there were to be a bylaw

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
19. What do you thin a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other	nk is a reasonable	e maximum numbe	r of nights in a row	that freedom camp	oers should be allow	ed to stay in
20. Please tell us wh		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	naximum stays.		
More time to explo	ore the area so more r	money send in the comn	nunity			

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? No Other Yes Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

As said open up more so we can spread out better

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Caroline bay is not freedom camping if you have to pay \$20 a night!! That's camping

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Respondent 41 Anonymous	16:55 Time to complete
Your details 1. Name *	
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2. Organisation (if applicable)	
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.	
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Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitak	i Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and Nort	th Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

The current freedom camping situation

6. Where have you	u freedom camp	ed in the Timar	u District?				
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Arundel Brid	ge						
Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	oon						
✓ O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	orge						
Waitohi Bush	1						
Winchester E	Bridge						
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	trict				
Other							
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	ı District?			
The area has a lot	t to offer It is close to	o other tourist areas					
0. What days are		G: 66 I					
8. What do you co	onsider are the r	penetits of freed	lom camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
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	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	we have uncounted people doing their washing cleaning themselves parking incorrectly overcrowding etc that is why we do not stop there. I do not believe freedom camping is approached here
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	over the summer. Most of those we have encounter are not New Zealanders. May do not know the rules
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot
	do.
	Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	this we help stop many problems as long as it is fair.
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Stop freedom camping in high population areas. ie The Bay
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	A lot of area are well patrolled. Rubbish bins in areas

If there were to be a bylaw

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Caroline	e Bay	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ
Milford	Lagoon	\circ		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moa Gorge	na	\circ		0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi	Bush	\circ		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Winche Bridge	ster	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other s	te	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
might thi	des if you answered Other on the part of Caroline Bay shou the people dump rubbish use	ld allow one type of freed	om camping, and anoth	er part of Caroline Bay	should allow a different	
19. What do a location 1-2	o you think is a reasonal on? nights nights limit	ble maximum numbe				red to stay in
	ell us why you think thi o outline here if you think th		ave different rules for m	naximum stays.		
Prevent	s campers setting up semi pe	rmeant camp sites, Avoids	comgestion			

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Brid	ge	\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ
Milford Lago	oon	\circ	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	0
Waitohi Bush	ı	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	0
Other		\circ	\circ
	s why you think this. f you answered Other or wish to state a specific nu	umber of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for	any specific site.
areas can be	come overcrowded. Causes bad feeling in cramped s	situations	
23. Is there any	thing else that you want to say or want us	s to know?	

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Your details	
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Alan	
2. Organisation (if applicable)	
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 Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address. 	
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Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

The current freedom camping situation

6. Where have you	ı freedom camp	ed in the Timar	u District?				
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✓ Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	on						
O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	rge						
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Winchester B	ridge						
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. Have	you reported any of these problems to Council before?
We w	ant to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
\bigcirc	All of the problems
\bigcirc	More than half of the problems
\bigcirc	Less than half of the problems
\bigcirc	None of the problems
	ecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the ru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
See th	ne Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot
	Yes
\bigcirc	No
\bigcirc	Unsure
. Pleas	se tell us why.
. Wha	t are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
Mo	re policeing of the existing rules
	ere anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that would like to see considered here?

If there were to be a bylaw

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
O'Neills	\bigcirc	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	0	\circ		\circ	0	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time:

		Yes	No	Other
	Arundel Bridge		\circ	\circ
	Caroline Bay	0		\circ
	Milford Lagoon		0	\circ
	O'Neills		\circ	\circ
	Te Moana Gorge		0	0
	Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ
	Winchester Bridge		0	\circ
	Other		\circ	\bigcirc
	lease tell us why you think this	wish to state a specific number of vehicles/fre	eedom campers/tents for any specific site.	
	Over crowding			
23. Is	s there anything else that you v	want to say or want us to know?		

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Respondent 43 Anonymous	06:11 Time to complete
Your details	
1. Name *	
Kate Waldock	
2. Organisation (if applicable)	
NZMCA member	
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.	
4. Privacy Statement * All feedback is public information and will be included on Council's website and/or Centres. This will include your name and, if applicable, the organisation you represe The contact information (phone number and/or email address and/or postal address only for feedback administration purposes; it will not be made publicly available. He feedback - including any private and contact information - may not be redacted. Please contact us via submission@timdc.govt.nz if you have any questions about th All information is held by Council in accordance with the Privacy Act 2020. You have Nothing in this Privacy Statement overrides, or will prevent Council meeting its oblig Meetings Act 1987, or any other relevant legislation. I acknowledge this Privacy Statement will apply to my response	ent. ss) that you provide will be accessible to and used by Council staff overver, the content of any attachments that you provide with your is, before providing your feedback. the right to access and correct personal information.
5. Where do you live?	
Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waital	ki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and Nor	rth Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	

N/A - commenting as an organisation

The current freedom camping situation

6. Where have yo	u freedom camp	ed in the Timar	u District?				
Select all that appl	y. The list below co	ntains the sites that	t Council currently e			roline Bay (previous de u have freedom camp	
Arundel Brid	ge						
Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	oon						
O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	orge						
Waitohi Bush	1						
Winchester E	Bridge						
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	trict				
Other							
7. What do you m	ost eniov about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	ı District?			
Beautiful area							
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8. What do you co				d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
	onsider are the b			d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
Brings visitors to	the area to spend m	oney in local exono	my			u District? mpers at any of th	ese sites?
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	No problems
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	No issues noted
	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	○ Yes
	No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	No problems
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Compliance officer could be useful
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	Regular refuse collection and compliance officers

If there were to be a bylaw

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Caroline Bay	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
O'Neills	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	0	\circ		0	\circ	0
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	0	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
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a location?	iii k is a reasonabi		or nights in a row	and needom earny	sers should be dilow	ed to stay iii
3-5 nights						
6-7 nights						
O No limit						
Other						
20. Please tell us w	hy you think this.					
Please also outline	here if you think that	different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
I prefer all self con	ntained					

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other		
Arundel Bridge		0	0		
Caroline Bay		0	0		
Milford Lagoon		\circ	0		
O'Neills		\circ	0		
Te Moana Gorge		0	\circ		
Waitohi Bush		\circ	0		
Winchester Bridge	•	0	0		
Other		\circ	\circ		
Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.					
Too many will make it unplea	sant for all				
Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?					

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Respondent 44 Anonym	ous 16:11 Time to complete
Your details	
1. Name *	
Donna Broome	
2. Organisation (if applicable)	
Cbay Aquatics/Timaru District Council	
Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email addr	ess.
Centres. This will include your name and, if applicabl The contact information (phone number and/or ema only for feedback administration purposes; it will not feedback - including any private and contact informations Please contact us via submission@timdc.govt.nz if you fill information is held by Council in accordance with	il address and/or postal address) that you provide will be accessible to and used by Council staff to be made publicly available. However, the content of any attachments that you provide with your ation - may not be redacted. On have any questions about this, before providing your feedback. The Privacy Act 2020. You have the right to access and correct personal information. The revent Council meeting its obligations under, the Local Government Official Information and
5. Where do you live?	
Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Vaimate, Mackenzie and Waitaki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Ca	nterbury, Christchurch and North Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	

N/A - commenting as an organisation

The current freedom camping situation

6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District? Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.												
Arundel Brid	Arundel Bridge											
Caroline Bay	Caroline Bay											
Milford Lago	Milford Lagoon											
O'Neills	O'Neills											
✓ Te Moana Go	✓ Te Moana Gorge											
Waitohi Bush	Waitohi Bush											
Winchester B	ridge											
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict									
Other												
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?								
It's an incredibly I	peautiful arealots t	o explore.										
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. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District? Bringing in business, money and people. The tourist dollars. The word of mouth that they share in their community is good for Timaru.												
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Bringing in busine	ienced or are you	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the	th that they share in	their community is g	ood for Timaru. mpers at any of th						
9. Have you exper	ienced or are you	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the	th that they share in	their community is g	ood for Timaru. mpers at any of th						
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9. Have you exper Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge	ienced or are you	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the	th that they share in	their community is g	ood for Timaru. mpers at any of th						

10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	Z 14
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident tha problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	t any
	N/A	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether the getting better or worse over time.	/ are
	N/A	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	that the
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can do.	and cannot
	Yes	
	No No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	The more you try to alienate a group of people, the more likely it is to stir up division, tension and escalate into violence. Make them feel welconvalued, not ostracized.	me and
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Offering more areas and facilities that encourage responsible and respectful use of our district. Other districts do this, and it works well.	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru Distriction you would like to see considered here?	ct), that
	Central Otago, Buller and Southland (others too), all have designated sites for freedom camping for set days. There are toilet facilities, outdoor land recycling facilities, picnic tables. Some also have showers for a small fee. They are used responsibly. I know, because I have been to	

If there were to be a bylaw

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	0		\circ	\circ	\circ	0
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
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Please tell us why you think this.						
Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.						
It allows enough tir	ne to enjoy the area,	but not for so long that	others cannot use it. 3 ni	ghts is good.		

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay		\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\bigcirc
O'Neills		\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge		0	\bigcirc
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge		0	\bigcirc
Other	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

To not over-crowd the areas and cause disturbance issues or pressure on toilet facilities.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

There is a lot to be lost by a district in tourist dollars if the freedom camping movement is not embraced and supported. It is a growing trend not only for people travelling, but also those who are retired on the road. It is a large, tight-knit community where word of mouth spreads fast about unfriendly areas which are then avoided. Most are very responsible and respectful. Focus on those ones, not the few trouble makers that you get with any group of people.

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Your details

1.	Name *
	Peter Broome
2.	Organisation (if applicable)
	No
3.	Contact detail/s *
	Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.
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5. Where do you live?

	Usually in the Timaru District
\bigcirc	Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitaki Districts)
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\bigcirc	Usually outside New Zealand
\bigcirc	N/A - commenting as an organisation

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Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	on						
O'Neills							
✓ Te Moana Go	orge						
Waitohi Bush	1						
Winchester B	ridge						
N/A - have no	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Disti	rict				
Other							
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?			
		in such a nice place					
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What do you co	onsider are the t	oeneniis on treed	om cambino and	i freedom cambi	ers for the filmar	u District!	
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Brings people and	d spending to the di	strict				mpers at any of th	ese sites?
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Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge	ienced or are you	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the	problems cause	d by freedom ca	mpers at any of th	

	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	I think freedom campers are more conscious nowadays
	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	○ Yes
	No
	Unsure
4.	Please tell us why.
5.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	More public toilets
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	Mid cant, Buller, central Otago have nice areas with decent space ,toilet.

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
19. What do you thin a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other		e maximum numbe	r of nights in a row	that freedom camp	pers should be allow	ed to stay in
20. Please tell us why Please also outline h		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
Small areas ,less ni	ghts					

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ		\circ
Caroline Bay		0	\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ		\circ
O'Neills	\circ	0	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	0	0
Waitohi Bush	0	0	\circ
Winchester Bridge	0	0	0
Other	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
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Respondent 46 Anonymous	09:14 Time to complete
Your details	
1. Name *	
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2. Organisation (if applicable)	
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.	
4. Privacy Statement * All feedback is public information and will be included on Council's website and/or Centres. This will include your name and, if applicable, the organisation you represent the contact information (phone number and/or email address and/or postal address) only for feedback administration purposes; it will not be made publicly available. If feedback - including any private and contact information - may not be redacted. Please contact us via submission@timdc.govt.nz if you have any questions about all information is held by Council in accordance with the Privacy Act 2020. You have Nothing in this Privacy Statement overrides, or will prevent Council meeting its ob Meetings Act 1987, or any other relevant legislation. I acknowledge this Privacy Statement will apply to my response	ress) that you provide will be accessible to and used by Council staff However, the content of any attachments that you provide with your this, before providing your feedback. we the right to access and correct personal information.
5. Where do you live?	
Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Wait	taki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and N	lorth Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

6. Wh	iere have you	rreedom camp	ed in the Timar	u District?					
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<u> </u>	Winchester Br		lia da Tiara Dia						
	N/A - nave no	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict					
	Other								
7. Wh	at do you mo	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	District?				
Ti	maru beautiful								
8. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?									
O. WIII	Its a beautiful region & tourists bring in money in lots of ways with sightseeing, gas, food, misc								
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	Havent experienced any negative impact	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
	Nope.	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	that the
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can a do.	and cannot
	○ Yes	
	No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	Hvnt had any problems and surely any trouble you can cover within current law	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Be welcomin, not everyone is a tourist. Most of us are responsible campin enjoyin the country we love	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that

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		All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
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1	Milford Lagoon		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
(O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ
,	Waitohi Bush		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
	Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
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	ease tell us why		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
	You need to allow fo	r people to move o	n. A lot of nz have a day	campin, wich in most cas	ses is fine		

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time:

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	(a)	0
Caroline Bay	\circ		\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ		\circ
O'Neills	\circ		\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ
Winchester Bridge	0		0
Other	\circ	(a)	\circ
Please tell us why you th	ink this.		
This includes if you answered	Other or wish to state a spec	cific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any s	specific site.
You could limit times rather t	han numbers. Numbers are e	xtremely difficult to prove as to who was there 1st etc	
Is there anything else tha	at you want to say or wa	ant us to know?	
You dont need bylaw, just us	e the law you have		

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Respondent 47 Anonymous	18:21 Time to complete
Your details 1. Name *	
Trevor McIntyre	
2. Organisation (if applicable)	
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.	
4. Privacy Statement * All feedback is public information and will be included on Council's website and/or in Centres. This will include your name and, if applicable, the organisation you represer The contact information (phone number and/or email address and/or postal address only for feedback administration purposes; it will not be made publicly available. Hor feedback - including any private and contact information - may not be redacted. Please contact us via submission@timdc.govt.nz if you have any questions about this All information is held by Council in accordance with the Privacy Act 2020. You have Nothing in this Privacy Statement overrides, or will prevent Council meeting its oblig Meetings Act 1987, or any other relevant legislation. I acknowledge this Privacy Statement will apply to my response	nt. s) that you provide will be accessible to and used by Council staff wever, the content of any attachments that you provide with your s, before providing your feedback. the right to access and correct personal information.
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Usually in the Timaru District	
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Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and Nort	th Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

6. Where ha	ave you freedom cam	nped in the Timan	u District?				
Select all th	hat apply. The list below o amping sites were conver	ontains the sites that	t Council currently e				
Arun	del Bridge						
✓ Caro	line Bay						
Milfo	ord Lagoon						
O'Ne	eills						
✓ Te M	oana Gorge						
Waite	ohi Bush						
Wind	hester Bridge						
N/A	- have not freedom camp	ed in the Timaru Dist	trict				
Othe	er						
7. What do	you most enjoy abou	ut freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	District?			
I enjoy th	ne Timaru city and surroun	dings. There are many	good camping areas	s that are safe and ea	asily accessible		
8. What do	you consider are the	benefits of freed	om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
I always s	spend my disposable incor	ne in areas I stay. Dies	sel, restaurants, dairie	s, grocery stores, caf	es, pubs,		
						mpers at any of th	ese sites?
	u experienced or are y (1) Negative impact on physical area/	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the			mpers at any of th Both 2 and 3	ese sites?
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9. Have you Arundel Caroline Milford L O'Neills Te Moan. Gorge	(1) Negative impact on physical area/environment Bridge Bay agoon Bush	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the	of the following (3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the	problems cause	d by freedom ca		

	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	I have never experienced any of the concerns listed above at any of the sites I have stayed at
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
2.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot
	do.
	Yes
	No No
	Unsure
	Please tell us why.
	We don't need more regulation initiated by the poor behaviours of a very small number of people.
	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Keep regulation low, be very welcoming of campers, provide good services (esp public toilets). Use Buller Council as an example
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	As mentioned above Buller Council. Big signs upas you enter the area are very welcoming. It creates a feeling of mutual respect

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		All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
	Arundel Bridge		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
	Caroline Bay	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
	Milford Lagoon		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ
	O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	0
	Waitohi Bush		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
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20.			different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
	It is enjoyable to re	lax and enjoy the are	a especially Caroline Bay	,			

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	0
Caroline Bay		\circ	0
Milford Lagoon		\circ	0
O'Neills	©	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	(a)	0	0
Waitohi Bush		0	\circ
Winchester Bridge	(a)	0	0
Other	\circ	0	\circ
Please tell us why you think the This includes if you answered Other	nis. or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/	freedom campers/tents for any specific site.	
Over crowding can be off putting f	or other members of the public using the area		
Is there anything else that yo	u want to say or want us to know?		

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John Stevenson		
2. Organisation (if applicable)		
N/A		
3. Contact detail/s *		
Provide at least one of: phone number	or email address.	
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Usually somewhere else in South	Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie ar	nd Waitaki Districts)
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Usually somewhere else in New Z	Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand		
N/A - commenting as an organism	ation	

6. Where have yo	ou freedom camp	ed in the Timar	u District?				
Select all that app	ly. The list below cor	ntains the sites that	t Council currently e			roline Bay (previous de u have freedom camp	
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Caroline Ba	y						
Milford Lag	oon						
✓ O'Neills							
Te Moana G	orge						
✓ Waitohi Bus	h						
Winchester	Bridge						
N/A - have	not freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	trict				
Other							
7. What do you r	nost enjoy about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	ı District?			
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11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
12. Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
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Less than half of the problems
None of the problems
13. Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and canno
do.
Yes
O No.
○ No
Unsure
14. Please tell us why.
Makes it easier to ensure the areas are used by responsible campers
15. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
Ensuring all campers are self contained
16. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

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	Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
	Te Moana Gorge	0	\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ
	Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
	Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
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O'Neills		\circ	\bigcirc		
Te Moana Gorge	0	0	\circ		
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ		
Winchester Bridge	0	0	0		
Other	\circ	\circ	0		
Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.					
Some sites get so overcrowded it cal	n become a fire hazard with insufficient clearanc	e between campers			

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23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Thank you giving us the chance to voice our opinions, please remember that the majority of freedom campers respect the rights to do so.

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Respondent 49 Anonymous	30:45 Time to complete
Your details	
1. Name *	
Paul Hntet	
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N/A - commenting as an organisation	

6. Where have yo	u freedom camp	ed in the Timar	u District?					
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Arundel Brid	ge							
Caroline Bay	Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	Milford Lagoon							
O'Neills								
Te Moana Go	orge							
Waitohi Bush	1							
Winchester E	Bridge							
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict					
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7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	District?				
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More	
	than half of the problems
Less	than half of the problems
■ None	of the problems
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See the Q+ do.	A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and canr
Yes	
O No	
Unsu	re
4. Please te	ll us why.
To better	control the self containment standards.
5. What are	one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	that vehicles must have not only a fixed toilet but one that is accessible when the bed is made up snd occupied, and which has a minimum of ront of it and beside it so that it can be practically used.
	nything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that d like to see considered here?
Enforcem	ent of the need for an accessible toilet as required by Kaikoura district council

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	0	\circ		\circ	0	0
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
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3-5 nights						
6-7 nights						
O No limit						
Other						
Please tell us wh	y you think this.					
Please also outline h	nere if you think that	different sites should h	ave different rules for m	naximum stays.		

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		0	\circ
Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon		0	\circ
O'Neills		0	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		0	\circ
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	\circ
Other		0	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

To reduce the impact on the environment and the quiet enjoyment of others.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Sadly the new Freedom Canping Act, and CSC rules, have done little or nothing to reduce the number of vehicles that don't have a fixed toilet that is accessible and useable in a practical manner at all times, Including when the bed is made up and occupied. A Tekapo local who lives above and overlooks the the Tekapo dump station, mentioned to me that they rarely if ever see the small slider vans using the dump station, despite the fact that there can be thirty plus at the Sawdon camp site every night. Two per van plus the other CSC vehicles is a lot of people for one toilet, so where are they going ???

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2. Organisation (if applicable)	
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4. Privacy Statement * All feedback is public information and will be included on Council's website and/c Centres. This will include your name and, if applicable, the organisation you repreduce the contact information (phone number and/or email address and/or postal address) only for feedback administration purposes; it will not be made publicly available. I feedback - including any private and contact information - may not be redacted. Please contact us via submission@timdc.govt.nz if you have any questions about All information is held by Council in accordance with the Privacy Act 2020. You had Nothing in this Privacy Statement overrides, or will prevent Council meeting its obtaining Act 1987, or any other relevant legislation. I acknowledge this Privacy Statement will apply to my response	ress) that you provide will be accessible to and used by Council staff However, the content of any attachments that you provide with your this, before providing your feedback. Ive the right to access and correct personal information.
5. Where do you live?	
Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Wait	taki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and N	lorth Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

6. Where have you	u freedom camp	ed in the Timar	u District?					
						roline Bay (previous de u have freedom camp		
Arundel Bride	Arundel Bridge							
Caroline Bay	Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	Milford Lagoon							
O'Neills								
Te Moana Go	orge							
Waitohi Bush	1							
Winchester B	Bridge							
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict					
Other								
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	ı District?				
B. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?								
8. What do you co	onsider are the b	enefits of freed	om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?		
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.

Concerns about some freedom campers being unhygienic, impeding access to public areas, staying long term as well causing disruption for penguins, and when they are permanent, discharging waste that may be harming vegetation and waterways. Self-contained is a misnomer when people are emptying their waste beside or into a waterway.

	waste beside or into a waterway.
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	Worse over time. More tourists and homelessness may be contributing to it.
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	I've seen unhygienic and disruptive stuff from freedom campers particularly around Nelson and Southern Lakes regions. It would reflect badly on South Canterbury and if it became like the issues seen the the areas mentioned, when we pay rates and live in the area, we should be comfortable knowing that it may help prevent that happening here.
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Only temporary freedom campers, especially in areas aside from designated ones. Some one to regularly check on the sites. All self contained.
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	Outside Wanaka there is a designated spot with only self contained freedom and a portaloo. It is far enough from a waterway that there is unlikely to be anything leaking/discharged into it and it's away from native bird sites or native bush. Easy to monitor if there are permanent, unhygienic or disruptive people there.

17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Caroline Bay	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ

18. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or want to give us feedback about sites not listed above. Break down sites in greater detail if needed, e.g. you might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type.

There is less likelihood of the freedom camper being unhygienic. However, it is difficult to monitor if a freedom camper is discharging waste from their self contained vehicle into or beside a waterway.

19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location?

1-2 nights

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3-5 nights

6-7 nights

No limit

Other

20. Please tell us why you think this.

Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.

It's impermanent. Where there are self contained campers with vehicles that are going to work each day and they are camped up for most of the time for months on end there is greater chance of issues with the campers. I feel this is the role of camping grounds.

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	\circ
Other	\circ	\circ	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

The more freedom campers, the more likely there are issues with disruption for locals who want to use an area or in the case of Caroline Bay, for penguins to be disrupted.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

I am all ok about respectful and responsible freedom camping and it sounds great on paper. The reality is that other districts have had major issues with them so I think we need to look at they examples ie. designated spots only, self contained only and temporary only.

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Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	

N/A - commenting as an organisation

5. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?							
Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.							
Arundel Brid	Arundel Bridge						
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Milford Lago	on						
O'Neills							
✓ Te Moana Go	orge						
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Winchester E	Bridge						
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
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3. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?							
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	e you reported any of these problems to Council before?
We v	ant to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
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Tim	ecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the aru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot
\bigcirc	Yes
	No No
0	Unsure
Plea	se tell us why.
Me	mbers of nzmca so we have protocols to respect and be aware of
Wha	at are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
mo	re use of and availability to use the grass area on Caroline Bay, this will have money being spent in CBD, proximity is the key here.
	ere anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that would like to see considered here?
Re	efton have a great FC right next to the town shopping centre.

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Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	0	\circ		\circ	\circ	0
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
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Other Please tell us why you think this. Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.						
encourage people to stay in the district						

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other		
Arundel Bridge	\circ		0		
Caroline Bay	\circ		0		
Milford Lagoon	\circ		0		
O'Neills	\circ		0		
Te Moana Gorge	0		0		
Waitohi Bush	\circ		0		
Winchester Bridge	0		0		
Other	\circ	\bigcirc	0		
Please tell us why you think	this.				
This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.					
as long as there is space and rem	ains comfortable why not				
Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?					
consider the economic benefit, in particular Timaru CBD/Caroline Bay					

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Waitohi Bush							
✓ Winchester B	ridge						
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Meeting other travelling folks and learn where to visit							
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			of the following	problems cause	d by freedom ca	mpers at any of th	nese sites?
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Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana	(1) Negative impact on physical area/ environment	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the	(3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the				
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	○ Yes	
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14.	Please tell us why.	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that
	West Coast South Island has many Freedom Camping areas which work well and bring income into the towns which is much needed .	

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Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	0	0		0	\circ	0
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
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6-7 nights No limit Other 20. Please tell us v	why you think this					
		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
2-3 nights allow	s a break from travelling	and time to explore				

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time:

	Yes	No	Other	
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O'Neills	\circ		\circ	
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Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ	
Winchester Bridge	\circ		\circ	
Other	\circ	0	\circ	
22. Please tell us why you	think this.			
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Most travellers only come They just want a sleeping s	in late evening and gone early mo	rning.		
23. Is there anything else t	that you want to say or wan	t us to know?		
We lived in a 5th Wheeler for 10 years on the road.				

We have explored most of NZ. Any Towns that are motorhome friendly certainly got our support

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Respondent 53 Anonymous	09:09 Time to complete
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mike thompson	
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6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?							
Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.							
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O'Neills							
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Other							
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Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.
Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
N/A - haven't seen any problems
All of the problems
More than half of the problems
Less than half of the problems
None of the problems
Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
Yes
○ No
Unsure
Please tell us why.
What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
more places to stay. Toilets provided
Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
toilets provided

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\bigcirc	\circ	0
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Not too long or to	o shorter stay					

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		0	0
Caroline Bay		0	\circ
Milford Lagoon		0	\circ
O'Neills		0	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		0	0
Waitohi Bush		0	\circ
Winchester Bridge	(a)	0	0
Other		0	\circ
Please tell us why you the This includes if you answered		ic number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for a	ny specific site.
Size of the freedom camp a	rea		
Is there anything else th	nat you want to say or wan	nt us to know?	

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Respondent 54 Anonymous	04:42 Time to complete
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N/A - commenting as an organisation

6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?							
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✓ Arundel Bride	✓ Arundel Bridge						
Caroline Bay							
✓ Milford Lago	on						
✓ O'Neills							
✓ Te Moana Go	orge						
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Winchester B	ridge						
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
Other							
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?			
We need these ar	eas for tourism and	to get away. Not ev	eryone can afford \$2	00 for a motel			
8. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?							
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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	0	\circ	0
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
What do you think a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other		e maximum numbe	r of nights in a row	that freedom camp	pers should be allow	ed to stay in
Please also outline he	re if you think that	different sites should ha	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? No Other Yes Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush

22. Please tell us why you think this.

Winchester Bridge

Other

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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5. Where do you live?

N/A - commenting as an organisation

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6. Where have you	u freedom camp	ed in the Timar	u District?				
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Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	on						
O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	orge						
Waitohi Bush	1						
Winchester E	Bridge						
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
Other							
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	ı District?			
That they had be	tter clean up their ru	bbish or else.					
8. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?							
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	I know if trash rubbish or faces or urine are left they're out
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	In winter it could be these people are actually full time living in vehicles sad but as long as they're clean respectful it's fine
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
1	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
:	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Fimaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	○ Yes
	No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	More money, the public will tell any riff raff that happens it won't fly here and call police if trouble like they get aggressive. Public or myself would absolutely as I know many would be very direct with rubbish leavers, in timaru someone is always watching we go their to watch out for exactly that
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Caught littering your out, no second chances, that sign is needed.
	s there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	Motueka people look after each other, takaka not so much, timaru won't stand for nothing, you don't need to pay someone there are tracks all around them being used and timaru people are fit with great sense to know.

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Milford Lag	oon	\circ		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\bigcirc	\circ		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bu	sh	\circ		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
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	us why you think this. utline here if you think that	: different sites should h	nave different rules for m	naximum stays.		
1 to 3 night	s is short					

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other		
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\circ		
Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ		
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ		
O'Neills		\circ	\circ		
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	0		
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ		
Winchester Bridge		\circ	0		
Other		0	0		
Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.					
Destruction of biodiversity, too much noise and trash for one site					
Is there anything else that	you want to say or wa	nt us to know?			
If there are no limits it costs mo	DOM.				

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Your details		
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Christine Welch		
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	N/A - commenting as an organisation

6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?												
Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.												
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8. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?												
It is affordable for families. Encourages people to stay in 5th Canty and maybe spend some tourist \$												
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14.	. Please tell us why.	
15.	. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Policing of how long people stay and numbers	
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Caroline Bay	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc					
Milford Lagoon		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc					
O'Neills	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ					
Te Moana Gorge	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ					
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc					
Winchester Bridge	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	0					
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ					
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Your details

	Tour details
1.	Name *
	Neil Boyce
2.	Organisation (if applicable)
	Nzmca
3.	Contact detail/s *
	Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.
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5. Where do you live?

	Usually in the Timaru District
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\bigcirc	Usually somewhere else in New Zealand
\bigcirc	Usually outside New Zealand
\bigcirc	N/A - commenting as an organisation

6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?												
Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.												
Arundel Bridge												
Caroline Bay	Caroline Bay											
Milford Lago	Milford Lagoon											
✓ O'Neills	✓ O'Neills											
Te Moana Go	Te Moana Gorge											
✓ Waitohi Bush												
✓ Winchester B	ridge											
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict									
Other												
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	ı District?								
Locations												
8. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?												
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	ave you reported any of these problems to Council before?
W	e want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
(None of the problems
	eflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the imaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
Se	ee the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot on.
	Yes
	No No
	Unsure
l. P	lease tell us why.
	Vehicles must be self contained.But tents do not. Where is their waste going?
5. W	hat are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that ou would like to see considered here?

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		All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other			
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	Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc			
	Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc			
	O'Neills	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc			
	Te Moana Gorge	\bigcirc	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc			
	Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc			
	Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ			
	Other site	\bigcirc	\circ		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ			
[[19. V a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a a	This includes if you answered Other or want to give us feedback about sites not listed above. Break down sites in greater detail if needed, e.g. you might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type. 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights No limit Other									
	Please tell us why Please also outline he		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.					

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

		Yes	No	Other
A	rundel Bridge		\circ	\circ
C	Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ
N	Ailford Lagoon		\circ	\circ
C)'Neills		\circ	\circ
	e Moana Gorge		0	\circ
V	Vaitohi Bush		\circ	\circ
	Vinchester ridge	•	0	\circ
C	Other	\circ	\circ	\circ
	ease tell us why you think this s includes if you answered Other or	wish to state a specific number of vehicles/fre	edom campers/tents for any specific site.	
23. Is 1	there anything else that you v	vant to say or want us to know?		

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Your details

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1.	Name *
	Murray Thomas
2.	Organisation (if applicable)
	Department of Conservation
3.	Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.
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0	N/A - commenting as an organisation

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	Caroline Bay							
	Milford Lagoo	on						
	O'Neills							
	Te Moana Go	rge						
	Waitohi Bush							
	Winchester Br	ridge						
~	N/A - have no	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
	Other							
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8. Wh	at do you co	nsider are the b	enefits of freed	om camping and	l freedom campe	ers for the Timar	u District?	
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Th	ere are plenty o	f camping opportu	nities in the District					ese sites?
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10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	20 1
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
	Human waste around the areas	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	that the
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can a do.	nd cannot
	Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	Gives the Council powers to sort issues if they arise and sets a baseline	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Emphasis that the preference is to use the range of existing camping facilities	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ
O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
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20. Please tell us wh		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	naximum stays.		

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	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc		\circ
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc		\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc		\circ
O'Neills	\bigcirc		\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
Other	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ
2. Please tell us why you t		umber of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for	any specific site.
Probably self policing eg pe	ople move on if too many already ca	mping there	
. Is there anything else th	nat you want to say or want u	s to know?	

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Respondent 59 Anonymous	30:26 Time to complete
Your details 1. Name *	
Howard Brockie	
2. Organisation (if applicable)	
Geraldine TOP 10 Holiday Park	
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.	
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Usually outside New Zealand	

N/A - commenting as an organisation

Where have you	u freedom camp	ed in the Timan	u District?				
						roline Bay (previous de u have freedom camp	
Arundel Bridg	ge						
Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	on						
O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	orge						
Waitohi Bush	1						
Winchester B	Bridge						
✓ N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
Other							
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	ı District?			
Have never freed	om camped althoug	h often use DOC site	es				
8. What do you co	onsider are the b	penefits of freed	om camping and	d froodom camp	ars for the Timar	u District?	
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10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	209
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
	Have seen on multiple occasions both human waste and rubbish just being left behind after freedom campers have been in the area the night b	efore
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
	slightly better nowdays as less freedom campers around compared to the pre covid era	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	that the
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can a do.	nd cannot
	Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
1/1	Please tell us why.	
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	If there is a bylaw in place the situation can be controlled and enforced	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Limit the numbers at any one site and the max length of stay	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that
	Freedom camping has its place but areas should not be provided in the centre of the towns	

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridg	ge 🔘	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ
Milford Lago	on 🔘	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
O'Neills	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
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	s why you think this. line here if you think that	different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
If toilets are n	ot provided only fully self (contained should be allo	wed			

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay		\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\bigcirc
O'Neills		\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	•	0	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	\circ
Other	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

Yes so that rubbish and toilet facilities if provided are not over run

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Freedom camping has its place, but it is not up to ratepayers to subsidize other people's holidays so it should be limited. Also, it should not happen in areas where commercial sites are available. These sites pay rates etc. to council who then use these rates to provide facilities in direct competition to the commercial sites

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Respondent 60	Anonymous	29:14 Time to complete
Your details		
1. Name *		
Kirini		
2. Organisation (if applicable)		
N/A		
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number of	or email address.	
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Usually outside New Zealand		
N/A - commenting as an organisa	tion	

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		u to paid overnight	parking in 2024). II	you select Other, pr	ease state where yo	u nave needom camp	eu.
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Caroline Bay							
Milford Lago	on						
O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	orge						
Waitohi Bush	1						
Winchester B	Bridge						
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Disti	rict				
Other							
Other							
What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?			
I believe that accessensible by law.	ess to suitable freed	om camping sites m	ust be provided by C	Council along with the	e appropriate guidar	nce by means of a well	researched and
scrisible by law.							
What do you co	onsider are the b	penefits of freed	om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
Freedom Campin	g encourages longe		strict which means m			u District? engage with tourists. A	As not all tourist:
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Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
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It ensures a regu	ular turnover of the space	es and reduces issues as	long as the sites are che	cked on a daily basis - a	nm & pm.	

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	0	0	
Milford Lagoon		0	\bigcirc
O'Neills		0	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	•	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		0	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	•	0	\circ
Other	o	\circ	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

Most locations country wide have a limit this ensures no over crowding and unruly behavior.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Do the necessary research and form the bylaw that reflects the needs of the community while ensuring Freedom Camping is seen as a positive for the Timaru District.

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Respondent 61 Anonymous	39:47 Time to complete
Your details 1. Name * Matt Newby	
2. Organisation (if applicable)	
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.	
4. Privacy Statement * All feedback is public information and will be included on Council's website and/or in precedence. This will include your name and, if applicable, the organisation you represent. The contact information (phone number and/or email address and/or postal address) only for feedback administration purposes; it will not be made publicly available. Howe feedback - including any private and contact information - may not be redacted. Please contact us via submission@timdc.govt.nz if you have any questions about this, All information is held by Council in accordance with the Privacy Act 2020. You have the Nothing in this Privacy Statement overrides, or will prevent Council meeting its obligate Meetings Act 1987, or any other relevant legislation. I acknowledge this Privacy Statement will apply to my response	that you provide will be accessible to and used by Council staff ever, the content of any attachments that you provide with your before providing your feedback. The right to access and correct personal information.
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	None of the problems	
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Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ

18. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or want to give us feedback about sites not listed above. Break down sites in greater detail if needed, e.g. you might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type.

CSC merely means the vehicle has toilet facilities and water/waste water on board. If a site has toilets, determining if a site can handle non-CSC and tenters is really a capacity issue with likely hood dumped waste water. If you corral non-csc into a few small sites, you have a problem at those sites. If capacity is the issue, increase capacity and invite people into your district.

19.	What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allo	wed to stay in
	a location?	

1-2 nights

3-5 nights

6-7 nights

O No limit

Other

20. Please tell us why you think this.

Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.

A limit is required - but it depends on the location and capacity issues and why people are typically visiting. Most FC sites are 'transit' and a few nights restriction is fine for most people, but if the capacity is not an issue don't be needlessly restrictive

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	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\circ	
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Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ	
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Other	\circ	\circ	

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If limits are needed, the limit should be enforced with marked acceptable sites to FC. If you put a number limit on (say 10 vans in a 20-space carpark), who is to say who the first 10 in were and who should leave if it becomes over-subscribed. With designated sites, non-campers can then clearly see that rules are, or are not, being broken. Enforcement officers have an easy job. FCers are setup to move on if a site is full, just make sure there is enough capacity in a reasonable distance for demand.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

If you want to maximize the opportunity for Freedom campers, FC location are best placed walking distance to hospitality. Kaikoura NZMCA park is a short stroll to what has become a very busy fish and chip shop. Few pubs would object to Freedom campers being a short walk away from their front door. Make the most of this and encourage FCing in the center of small towns.

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Winchester B	ridge								
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Friends can camp	in our lovely district	fully self contained	and not worry abou	t the busyness of car	mpgrounds. More na	tural.			
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23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

No		

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	Winchester Br	idge							
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	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
	If busy authority needs to ensure rubbish bins are emptied frequently.	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	that the
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can a do.	nd cannot
	Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	One bad visitor should not ruin it for everyone. Locals are just as likely to dump rubbish or leave a mess.	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Regular drive by of police or security firms.	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

		All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Α	rundel Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
C	aroline Bay		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
N	lilford Lagoon		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
C)'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	e Moana iorge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ
V	Vaitohi Bush		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
	Vinchester ridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
O	Other site	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	
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Other sites would depend on facilities provided such toilets & rubbish disposal. 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other 20. Please tell us why you think this. Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.							
	llows a few days to						

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	©	\circ	0
Waitohi Bush		0	\circ
Winchester Bridge	©	0	0
Other		\circ	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

To be able to manage & less likely to have issues if designated park spots.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

We specifically come to Caroline Bay over New Year & it has been fabulous to have Freedom Camping...however should not lock public toilets overnight.

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5. Where do you live?		
Usually in the Timaru District		
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury	(Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitaki Di	istricts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-	Canterbury, Christchurch and North C	Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand		
Usually outside New Zealand		
N/A - commenting as an organisation		

6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?									
Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.									
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✓ Caroline Bay									
Milford Lago	on								
✓ O'Neills									
Te Moana Go	rge								
Waitohi Bush									
Winchester B	-								
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict						
Other									
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	District?					
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10	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
11	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are
	getting better or worse over time.
	Haven't had any problems
12	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
13	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	Yes
	No
	Unsure
14	Please tell us why.
	Haven't seen any reason to change the present rules
15	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
16	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

		All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
	Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
	Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
	Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
	O'Neills	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
	Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	0	\circ	\circ
	Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
	Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
	Other site	\circ		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
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20.	The sites need to cater to ad many as possible 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other 20. Please tell us why you think this. Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.						
	Let's aio have a turn						

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time: Yes No Other Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other 22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site. The space will dictate the number of sites available 23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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2. Organisation (if applicable)	
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5. Where do you live?	
Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitaki	Districts)
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N/A - commenting as an organisation

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Caroline Bay	,						
Milford Lago	oon						
O'Neills							
Te Moana G	orge						
Waitohi Bush	h						
✓ Winchester I	Bridge						
N/A - have r	not freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
Other							
. What do you m	nost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?			
		explore the area with	out having to pay a	fortune when you do	on't even use the ame	enities ie: power, showe	ers, toilets
because you hav							
. What do you c	onsider are the b	penetits of treed	om camping and	d fraadom camp	arc tar tha Timar	District?	
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				to spend in the area		u District:	
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10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	313
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confidence problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	ent that any
	I just feel that the ares need to be "policed" more often to keep an eye on the law breakers. As an NZMCA member, it annoys me that the park up in our beautiful spots and break the laws	nere are so many that
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and wheth getting better or worse over time.	er they are
	It appears to be the same	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	ı think that the
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	○ Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	You would need to employ someone to keep an eye on the spots	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Employ "rangers"	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru you would like to see considered here?	District), that
	Exclud restrictions like what time you can enter and what time you have to leave by	

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Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		0	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
19. What do you thi a location?	nk is a reasonable		r of nights in a row	that freedom camp	ers should be allow	ed to stay in
19. What do you thi	nk is a reasonabl	e maximum numbe	r of nights in a row	that freedom camp	ers should be allow	ed to stav in
1-2 nights						
3-5 nights						
6-7 nights						
O No limit						
Other						
20. Please tell us wh		different sites should b	ave different rules for m	avimum stave		
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	spot, you kinda want go. That's not relaxin		y it, have a holiday. There	s nothing worse than h	naving to pack up after 1	nignts stay and find

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time:

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc		\circ
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc		\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ		\circ
O'Neills	\circ		\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	•	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ
Winchester Bridge	\circ		\circ
Other	0		\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

Some spots have limits on how many can stay at one time but in all seriousness, some of the restrictions are ludicrous. If it was too full, most would move on

Some spots say a maximum of say, 2 vans so you look at that and think, may as well not go because there's more than likely 2 vans there already. If you do go and look, sometimes it's empty, other times there's 2 vans there but you could easily have like 6 vans there

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Please just enforce the "self containment" requirement better. We were parked up at a freedom camping spot in Cromwell 2 days ago and there was a small van with a green "self containment" sticker on the back door and the male occupant went down to the lake side on 2 occasions that we winessed and urinated. It just needs to policed better to be honest.

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Julie		
2. Organisation (if applicable)		
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	Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.									
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Milford Lago	on									
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			The beautiful scenery, great people you can meet. The freedom to come and go as you like							
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	No problems experienced after 16 yes camping
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	The long drop toilets need to be serviced more regularly over summer time. But the campers also keep them clean
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
,	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
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	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Fimaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	Yes
	● No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	I see no need for one. My experience is that it all runs relatively smoothly or can be easily sorted
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Having good facilities at the sights so people are more inclined to look after them
	s there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

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Caroline Bay	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	0	0	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge		\circ	0	0	0	\circ
Other site		\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
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Pauline Robertson 2. Organisation (if applicable)		
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Usually outside New Zealand		
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6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?											
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	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	I can't change the Cbay one, sometimes it feels quite packed but it's generally okay. but I have been into Te Moana and felt so uncomfortable. Seems like long time residents and a lot of dirt bikers
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	only been to Te Moana once and don't feel comfortable going back
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	○ Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	I think it would be good, even a charge system but keep extremely low for locals, have a restricted time period somehow and more for visitors?
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	as above
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

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		All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other		
	Arundel Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		
	Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
	Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
	O'Neills	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		
	Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc		
	Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
	Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	0		
	Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		
	might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type. if there is a toilet then any as the self contained stuff is BS anyway other than for the giant campers who usually have a motorhome membership and go there instead 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other								
20.	Please tell us why Please also outline he		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.				

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other			
Arundel Bridge	\circ	0				
Caroline Bay	\circ	\circ				
Milford Lagoon	\circ	0				
O'Neills	\circ	\circ	(a)			
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	0	•			
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ				
Winchester Bridge	0	0	•			
Other	\circ	\circ	(a)			
Please tell us why you think this.						
This includes if you answe	red Other or wish to state a specific	number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for an	ny specific site.			
unsure, i think it's self pol	licing as people would get uncomfort	able if they couldn't exit an area and prevent people	e from blocking the space			

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23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

keep it free or cheap for the locals

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Respondent		
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John Clemens		
2. Organisation (if applicable)		
3. Contact detail/s *		
Provide at least one of: phone number	or email address.	
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Centres. This will include your name an The contact information (phone number only for feedback administration purpor feedback - including any private and con Please contact us via submission@time All information is held by Council in account of the submission.	nd, if applicable, the organisation y er and/or email address and/or po oses; it will not be made publicly a ontact information - may not be re dc.govt.nz if you have any question cordance with the Privacy Act 2020 rides, or will prevent Council meet	ostal address) that you provide will be accessible to and used by Council staff vailable. However, the content of any attachments that you provide with your
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Usually in the Timaru District		
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6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?																
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Encourages peop	le to spend time, mo	oney and discover th	ne district, meet inter	esting people from a	around the country a	nd world										
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	Only pleasant experiences	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
	Only pleasant experiences	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
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	○ Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Be more enabling and excepting for freedom camping, supply support and ensure campers are aware of attractions and services in the district. For district welcomes freedom camping	ublicise the
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that
	Good clean, well maintained facilities, easy access to waste disposal	

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	Arundel Bridge		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
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	Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	
	O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
	Te Moana Gorge		0	\circ	0	\circ	\circ	
	Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
	Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
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	There could be diffe	rent night stay numl	oers for different sites, al	l sites should have a max	timum			

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		0	\circ
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ
Other		0	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

There is a limit facilities are able to safely manage and they all have a limit on space

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

I don't feel we need a bylaw, some guidance yes. There will be a cost of enforcement which I don't believe would balance with the benefits. Yes there is cost to service the sites but there's also opportunity for the district encouraging freedom camping. Build on the cycle trails, walkways, facilities and services.

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Respondent 69 Anonymous	14:10 Time to complete
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Nicola Pridham	
2. Organisation (if applicable)	
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.	
4. Privacy Statement * All feedback is public information and will be included on Council's website and/or Centres. This will include your name and, if applicable, the organisation you repret The contact information (phone number and/or email address and/or postal addronly for feedback administration purposes; it will not be made publicly available. I feedback - including any private and contact information - may not be redacted. Please contact us via submission@timdc.govt.nz if you have any questions about All information is held by Council in accordance with the Privacy Act 2020. You had Nothing in this Privacy Statement overrides, or will prevent Council meeting its of Meetings Act 1987, or any other relevant legislation. I acknowledge this Privacy Statement will apply to my response	ress) that you provide will be accessible to and used by Council staff However, the content of any attachments that you provide with your this, before providing your feedback. Ive the right to access and correct personal information.
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Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

6. Where have yo	Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?						
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O'Neills							
Te Moana G	orge						
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				however I enjoy free	dom camping in othe	er areas.	
What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?							
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Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any	/
problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	
I walk frequently in these areas and do not notice negative impacts.	
11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.	е
I walk frequently early mornings at Caroline Bay and whilst during summer there are more freedom campers, I do not see them causing a problem.	
12. Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
N/A - haven't seen any problems	
All of the problems	
More than half of the problems	
Less than half of the problems	
None of the problems	
3. Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw? See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and codo.	
○ Yes	
No	
Unsure	
4. Please tell us why.	
As per previous response, let us be the one town that welcomes people to freedom camp in an easily accessible main part of the town. Keep in the trof starting to lift Timaru into the modern era, support our community brand as a place people want to visit and promote to their friends etc to visit. Chave the opportunity to bypass us, let's entice them here to make it easy and have Timaru support and be inclusive to all.	-
5. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
More lighting in the Caroline Bay Area (as a walker I'd appreciate this for safety reasons with or without freedom camping, apart from summer it's verdown at the bay). Ensuring signage has freedom campers gone only coming into the park from 6pm-8am.	ery dark
6. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), t you would like to see considered here?	that
Good turn around areas for larger campers, Good signage for things to do and walkways, Good lighting to keep everything safe Clean toilets Tap for drinking water/ability for campers to fill their water tanks	

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Caroline Bay	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	
O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	0	
19. What do you th a location?			ose areas need to be ava		pers should be allow	ed to stay in	
1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Depending on where it is. Timaru = 1-2. Other less popular areas could be more.							
20. Please tell us w Please also outline		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.			

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? Yes No Other Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay

Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

Just stop with too much regulation. If it becomes a problem later then limit the numbers. Give it a go. Encourage people To come here first.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?							
Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.							
Arundel Brid	Arundel Bridge						
Caroline Bay	Caroline Bay						
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O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	orge						
Waitohi Bush							
Winchester E							
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Other							
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3. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?							
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	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
	vandalised toilets at arundel, multiple dogs off leash washing strung across access, rubbish left behind washing dishes in river, adults urinating in at arundal caroline bay:multiple dogs off leash washing strung across access, rubbish left behind overflowing rubbish bins,	n the grass all
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
	definately worse since covid, lots more vans used to camp in which have no functional onboard facilities	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	that the
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	Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	campers need facilities to carry water and have operating toilets, limits to the number of vehicles, better infringement system and policing of it. the camping spots- especially remove from caroline bay- there is a great top ten in timaru. I actually don't think we need any freedom camping contribute little to nothing to our community and the rate payers pay for their stay- we have multiple commercial camping sites within our distrigo to	at all- they
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	no camping at all	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that

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		All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other	
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	Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	
	Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ		\bigcirc	
	O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		\circ	
	Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		0	
	Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ		\bigcirc	
	Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		\circ	
	Other site	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ		\bigcirc	
	might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type. as per q 15 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other							
20.	Please tell us why Please also outline he		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.			
	again its a free stay	at rate payers expen	se					

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		0	\circ
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	0
Other		\circ	\circ
Please tell us why you think th This includes if you answered Other	is. or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/fi	reedom campers/tents for any specific site.	
often over crowded and infringing of	n public activities		
Is there anything else that you	want to say or want us to know?		

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	defecating, urinating, rubbish, dogs, blocking public access- at all areas- especially caroline bay car park is full, washing lines, cooking meals in the carpark
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	way worse each summer over the last 3 years
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
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	Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	no where else in the world is their freedom camping to the extent we have. our already over extended rate payers are subsidising holidays for non contributors. No freedom camping at all for non residents
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	complete ban
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	no

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

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Caroline Bay		0	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon		0	\bigcirc
O'Neills		\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	O	0	\circ
Waitohi Bush		0	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	•	0	\circ
Other	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

block public access, not enough facilities, don't look after the area, intimidating

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

if camping is to be permitted, then lots of fines that are policed for infringements with the capacity for the campers are removed and as wide reaching as possible so it is clear and unchallengable

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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.

I have never seen a major issue with freedom campers over our travels. The only one comment I would say is the campers often want to camp in close proximity to others for safety (when in Nz this shouldn't be an issue) I find sliders annoying if they are in and out of their vehicles but uf they are self contained they shouldn't need to be. Most people are genuine people wanting to take in all the sights.

11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.

	l ar	n not sure about the new fee for parking at the bay. To be honest that put us off from camping there. Nzmcas only charge 5 per adult.
12.	Have	e you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We w	vant to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	\bigcirc	N/A - haven't seen any problems
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	\bigcirc	Yes
		No
	\bigcirc	Unsure

14. Please tell us why.

I feel restricting people in Nz is like going back in time. Let people live and travel freely. If they break rules like leaving rubbish then of course fine them appropriately. However don't make rules for rules sake or revenue sake. Anzac day is the perfect time to remember the soldiers that fought for freedom. Try to remember that when adjusting any rules.

15. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?

Easier parking for longer/bigger vehicles. Maybe advertised on website of easiest places to park (even temporarily). It's really hard when visiting towns to work out if you will get fined or not for parking somewhere. Don't make it hard. Be transparent and proactive. It would be appreciated.

16. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

It says timaru is motorhome friendly town (in nzmca app) however you click on the link and it gives you a blurb about Maori rock art. Let's do better and get that changed to say best parking temporarily is xyz and overnight is xyz.

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

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'Neills		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Moana orge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
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3-5 nights						
6-7 nights						
No limit						
Other						
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	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Other	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

I didn't select on this as it is important campers keep at least 3 metre distance to each other. If there was no room at a park we use common sense and move on. Actually maybe the 3metre rule is a good idea (if not already in place)

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Maybe experience freedom camping yourself and see what you enjoy and what you don't.. nothing like seeing the world from a different perspective. Thankyou for offering a survey. :)

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Respondent

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	Tour details
1.	Name *
	Gordon Collister
2.	Organisation (if applicable)
	Timaru TOP10 Holiday Park
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	Caroline BayOvercrowding. Rubbish. Damage to grassed areas. Discharge of grey water to gutters. Te Moana- Antisocial behavior. Fires. Appropriation of large areas by groups.	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
	Free camper numbers have returned to pre Covid levels and shows no hint of going away.	
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	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
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	For the district to be able to exercise some level of control over the volume and type of free campers.	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Cost recovery (Caroline Bay charges certainly cut back the numbers) Limit numbers at sites.	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that
	I see Waitaki has prohibited camping from many of their scenic spots including the harbour area and the foreshore at Kakanui as examples. This some of the visual impact that can occur with large numbers in what would otherwise be very desirable free camping areas.	might negate

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Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ		
Waitohi Bush		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ		
Other site	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ		
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Overnight transit stops 1 or 2 nights Areas where Timaru District residents have traditionally camped, Te Moana/ Waitohi Bush could be much longer.								

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O'Neills		\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge		0	\bigcirc
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge		0	\bigcirc
Other	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc

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prevent overcrowding and denial of access for day users. Over use of the minimal facilities (gallery toilets where provided)

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

The real problem is scale, and then to some extent cost and cost recovery.

One van parked almost anywhere occasionally is almost no problem to anyone. A couple of vans every night may be an issue in some locations and 30 or 90 vans in one place really starts to ask questions about the use of resources, the disposal of effluent and rubbish, and the sheer visual impact. Concentrating the problem by providing free facilities increases the demand and then the need for more facilities and then more demand almost ad infinitum. We have created a group of travellers both domestic and international for whom free has become the expectation.

The Timaru District needs the ability to effectively control the numbers, locations, and costs to the rate payers, of free camping

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If there were to be a bylaw

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O'Neills	\circ	•	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	0		\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ
Winchester Bridge	0	•	\circ
Other	0	0	0
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23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

A lot of the earlier questions are very negativity worded. It is like you are looking for evidence to fit your solution. My experience is the more capable guardian (good people at these sites) the better the outcomes. If you put a lot of rules around it who will enforced them?!?!

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	Yes
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1.	Please tell us why.
	Clearly defines the expectations of the Council ie where you can park, how long, expected behavior etc
5.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Toilets and rubbish bins provided in all freedom camping areas. Easily accessed dump stations with the correct lean to make drainage for vans easier.
5.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	As regular freedom campers we look for a safe area to park with toilets and a form of rubbish disposal. We prefer areas that are regularly checked by council to ensure that the allocated numbers are not exceeded, the number of nights are not exceeded and campers are leaving at the nominated times and that all vehicles have the correct self containment certification.

If there were to be a bylaw

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Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc			
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	0			
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ			
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Other	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc

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There should be limits but as I'm not familiar with each area I can't comment on the numbers. We have gone to camp in an area where the vans have been squashed in, this is a real concern for safety, especially if there is a fire in a van!

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

The decision to change the carnival period at Caroline Bay from free camping to paying a charge was a backward step. I have spoken to many campers who have decidednot to come to Timaru as a result of that decision. These are campers who stayed there every year and spent large amounts of money in the area.

I do believe campers bring a huge

financial benefit to the area. We are away regularly in our van for long periods of time and always need to buy groceries and fuel, at the very least. Cups of coffee, cafe food, eateries, tourism, shops also benefit.

Timaru needs more dump stations that are easy to access and are on the right slope to drain tanks.

I suggest you contact the NZMCA National Office to assist you with this.

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	Mainly overseas freedom campers park to close to other campers, that's a safety issue.	
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	Definitely holiday season as there are alot more people around.	
2	. Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
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	Maybe everyone can be on the same page when it comes to freedom camping in this area.	
5	. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	The council should be promoting Timaru.	
6	. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru Distriction you would like to see considered here?	ct), that
	More excess parking for motorhomes close to town.	

If there were to be a bylaw

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other	
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Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	
O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ	
Waitohi Bush		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
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All of these sites have toilets. It would be a different if there was no toilets. 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit 3 nights.							
20. Please tell us w Please also outline		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.			
If your traveling f	or a number of days,3 y	/ou feel like you've had a	a decent rest .				

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time:

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay		\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
O'Neills		\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\bigcirc
Waitohi Bush		0	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge		0	\bigcirc
Other	0	0	\bigcirc

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

Nobody wants to be cramped in like sadines.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

I think that \$20 a night at caroline Bay is to expensive so people won't spend money in town. We are supposed to be a motorhome friendly town. Would you consider having motorhomes at centennial Park.

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Respondent 77	Anonymous	21:20 Time to complete
Your details 1. Name *		
Lesley Davis 2. Organisation (if applicable)		
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or e	email address.	
4. Privacy Statement *		
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might	think part of Ca	roline Bay should a	allow one type of freedo	c about sites not listed alon camping, and anothe	er part of Caroline Bay	should allow a different		
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Perh	aps places like b	ehind the roller ska	ting rink should only be	1-2 nights.				

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? No Other Yes Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush Winchester Bridge Other

22. Pleas	se tell	us	why y	you	think	this.
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This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

Other - it would depend on where the site is and how many could park there

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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6. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that
you would like to see considered here?

If there were to be a bylaw

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	0	\circ	0	\circ	0
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
19. What do you thin a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other	nk is a reasonable	e maximum numbe	r of nights in a row	that freedom camp	pers should be allow	ed to stay in
20. Please tell us why Please also outline h		different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
Because they are b	eautiful spots & we sl	nould get to enjoy them	for more than a couple of	of nights		

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	0	\circ
Caroline Bay		0	\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ	0	\circ
O'Neills		0	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	0	0
Waitohi Bush		0	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	\circ
Other	\circ	0	\circ
Please tell us why you thin		cific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any	y specific site.
Because some people think it	will be ok to camp to close to	o each other & that's dangerous if a fire does happen.	
Is there anything else tha	t you want to say or wa	ant us to know?	

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Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Wa	aitaki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and	North Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	

N/A - commenting as an organisation

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O'Neills							
Te Moana Go	rge						
Waitohi Bush							
Winchester B	ridge						
N/A - have no	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict				
Other							
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	of suitable camp sit		ng in the rindre	. District.			
8. What do you co			om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?	
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	No	
	Unsure	
	Please tell us why.	
	What is in place is ok	
	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Small charge at Caroline bay site	
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru Distri you would like to see considered here?	ct), that
	No	

If there were to be a bylaw

Freedom Camping public survey

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
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Milford	agoon	\circ		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moar Gorge	a		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi	Bush		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
Winches Bridge	ter		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Other si	e	\circ		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type. Two sites at Caroline bay 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other						
	ell us why you think this.	t different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		
Standard	elsewhere in the country					

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? Yes No Other

Arundel Bridge	\circ		\circ
Caroline Bay		0	\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ		\circ
O'Neills	\circ		\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		0
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	0
Other	\circ		0

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

Some sites are capable of handling larger numbers of campers
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23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

No		

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Usually in the Timaru District	
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitak	ki Districts)
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and Nor	th Canterbury)
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District? Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.									
	Arundel Bridge								
Caroline Bay									
Milford Lago	Milford Lagoon								
O'Neills	O'Neills								
✓ Te Moana Go	✓ Te Moana Gorge								
Waitohi Bush									
Winchester B	ridge								
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	I in the Timaru Dist	rict						
Other									
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	ı District?					
Services like rubb	ish bins, toilets, and	maintained camp si	ites						
8. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?									
It's an affordable and accessible holiday option for locals for weekends and public holidays									
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It's an affordable Over seas visitors	and accessible holida as freedom campers	ay option for locals s - they don't seen t	to have much benefit	t to the district as mo		are free.			
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.

	Arundel bridge. Tourist confusion over give way rules and bridge street.
	Caroline bay - tourists and penguins. People getting up close and using flash photography. Ignoring signage.
	Milord- rubbish and using bushes as toilets.
	Oneills - clicked by accident and couldn't un-select
	Te-moana - people chopping trees for firewood. We have camped there several times. and seems to be hangout zone for middle eastern men playing loud music and having bonfire.
	Waitohi. Bushes are toilets for cars that claim to be self contained but are not.
	Winchester bridge. Speed, and lack of road safety awareness and give way rules.
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
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	○ Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	New ideas often cost money. Find a way to fund it that is NOT rate payers.

15. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?

I think the entire 'freedom camping' idea needs revisiting at a governmental level. We have tourists driving 4tonne - 5tonne campers on a class one licence, when their only driving experience over seas was in a much smaller vehicle if at all. Then after a long haul flight we release the jet lagged traveller's on to the NZ roads, so they can test their reaction times by driving on the opposite side of the road and compete in the pot hole obstacle course of our state highway, all while travelling at 70km per hour, oblivious to the frustration, tail backs and danger they are causing and all while they have a 'kiwi experience'.

The first thing that needs to change is the enforcing of road rules to ensure the roads in our district are safer. Tourists and freedom campers also deserve a safer experience. Road signs could be multi lingual. Information signs at major camp areas with driving tips "if you are travelling slowly - pull over..." The giveaway rules at one way bridges etc. Camp site signs could cater for various languages to help visitors make their journey safer.

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Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
O'Neills	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	0	\circ		\circ	0	\circ
Other site	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	
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3-5 nights						
3-5 nights 6-7 nights						

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	Yes	No	Other
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Te Moana Go	orge							
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Other								
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Caroline Bay	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	0	0	
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	
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Allows others to u	se the sites.						

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other				
Arundel B	ridge	0	\circ				
Caroline E	ay	0	\circ				
Milford La	goon	0	\circ				
O'Neills		\circ	\circ				
Te Moana Gorge		0	0				
Waitohi B	ush	0	\circ				
Wincheste Bridge	21	0	0				
Other		0	\circ				
22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.							
Overcrow	Overcrowding becomes a potential for rubbish and people to stay slightly outside permitted areas						
23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?							

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Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

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Te Moana Go	rge							
Waitohi Bush								
Winchester B	ridge							
N/A - have no	ot freedom campeo	d in the Timaru Dist	rict					
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Peaceful, not over	crowded - back to r	nature, yet still close	to town					
8. What do you co	nsider are the b	enefits of freed	om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?		
Freedom Campers are independent travellers. They are normally people who appreciate space from others. Please ensure that future generations can freedom camp too.								
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		(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the area						
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10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	404
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
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11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
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	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
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	Yes	
	No	
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14.	Please tell us why.	
	Surely signs explaining time limits, disposal of rubbish etc would guide a freedom camper to do the right thing. Many years ago when I used to Dunedin, a freedom camper/gypsy parked their house bus beside my new lifestyle farm/house all during winter. They cut tree branches to provi Then a second one arrived - it was at that stage I phoned DCC to move them along. DCC used a very, very old Bylaw to move them on.	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	Don't be over zealous with rules and regulations. Local residents should be exempt. Please let locals drive and spend a couple of nights in their a letting the locals do close at hand freedom camping (without self contained stickers on their vehicle and tents - have a local sticker for Timaru re will aid immensely the locals spreading the word of favourable natural tourist attractions in the Timaru Area and encourage more tourists in the	esidents) this
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that
	After living in Australia for 15 years I've seen their rural towns welcome all freedom campers as they spend money in their towns.	

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Arund	el Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	
Caroli	ne Bay	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	
Milfor	d Lagoon	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
O'Nei	lls	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Te Mo Gorge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Waito	hi Bush	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Winch Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
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These	number of nights keep th	e travellers moving along.					

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other		
Arundel Bridge	\circ		0		
Caroline Bay	0	(a)	\circ		
Milford Lagoon	\circ		\circ		
O'Neills	0		\circ		
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		0		
Waitohi Bush	0		0		
Winchester Bridge	\circ		0		
Other	\circ		\circ		
Please tell us why you th	ink this.				
This includes if you answered	Other or wish to state a speci	ific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any	specific site.		
I think the weather will deter	mine if the camp area become	s crowded. If too crowded, campers will travel to another	location.		
Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?					

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Where have you	ı freedom camp	ed in the Timan	u District?								
Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.											
Arundel Bride	ge										
Caroline Bay	Caroline Bay										
Milford Lago	Milford Lagoon										
O'Neills											
Te Moana Go	Te Moana Gorge										
Waitohi Bush											
Winchester B	ridge										
✓ N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict								
Other											
7. What do you m	ost eniov about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	ı District?							
Tourists enjoying		·									
9. What do you so	ancidar ara tha k	opposits of freed	om camping and	l fraadom camp	ore for the Timer	u Dietriet?					
3. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?											
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Knowing they have	re somewhere to sta	y overnight.									
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10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	409
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	any
	N/A	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they getting better or worse over time.	are
	I have not noticed any problems	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	that the
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can a do.	nd cannot
	Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
	To make sure the areas are protected	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	N/A	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District you would like to see considered here?	t), that
	N/A	

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other			
Arundel Br	dge		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc			
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Milford Lag	joon		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc			
O'Neills	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ			
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	0	\circ	\circ			
Waitohi Bu	sh		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc			
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ			
Other site		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc			
might think p	if you answered Other or v part of Caroline Bay should toilet facilities at a site all kir	allow one type of freed	om camping, and anoth		_				
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Most camp	ers would be ready to move	on after this length of ti	me.						

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other					
Arundel Bridge	\circ		\circ					
Caroline Bay	\circ		\circ					
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ					
O'Neills		0	\circ					
Te Moana Gorge		0	0					
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ					
Winchester Bridge	0		0					
Other	\bigcirc	©	0					
	22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.							
Smaller areas should have le	ess vehicles available.							
23. Is there anything else th	3. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?							

N/A			

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Respondent	
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Your details	
1. Name *	
Jeffrey Wilson	
2. Organisation (if applicable)	
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.	
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Other site

6. Where have y	ou freedom camp	oed in the Timan	u District?								
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Caroline Ba	ау										
Milford Lag	Milford Lagoon										
O'Neills											
Te Moana (Gorge										
Waitohi Bu	sh										
Winchester	Bridge										
N/A - have	not freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict								
Other											
7. What do you	most enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timarı	ı District?							
	ithe the Freedom Cam										
r don't dgice in	are the recoon con-	iping concept at aiii									
8. What do you	consider are the b	penefits of freed	om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?					
the District. Wit District. Freedom campi	h that sort of mindset	they are also unlikel the District because	ly to spend more mo	oney supporting local	I businesses, and so a	or don't want to pay to so are really of no benefit and rubbish collection s.	at all to the				
9. Have you exp	erienced or are yo	ou aware of any	of the following	problems cause	d by freedom ca	mpers at any of th	ese sites?				
	(1) Negative impact on physical area/ environment	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the area	(3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the area	Both 1 and 2	Both 1 and 3	Both 2 and 3	All				
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc				
Caroline Bay	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		\circ	\bigcirc				
Milford Lagoor	n ()	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc				
O'Neills	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc				
Te Moana Gorge	0	0	0	0	\circ	0	\circ				
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ				
Winchester Bridge	0	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	0	\circ				

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	ase break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any blems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
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We	want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
do.	the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot Yes No
	Unsure
Ple	ease tell us why.
th \$	freedom camping is to be allowed in the District then the areas where it is permitted need to be regularly monitored to ensure that users are adhering the rules. At Caroline Bay for example freedom campers also use the western carpark, the skate park area, and Marine Parade because they now have to permight to stay in the designated areas. Regular monitoring is a cost to the District, so freedom campers should have to contribute towards this and lso the cost of maintaining the facilities provided throughout the District by paying a nightly fee to stay in designated areas.
Wł	nat are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
a th	nightly fee to stay in designated freedom camping areas in the District, and fines for camping outside of those areas. In reality nothing is "free" in this did age and, just because someone has bought themselves a self contained motorhome or campervan and want to travel around the country as cheaply ney can by freedom camping, doesn't mean that they shouldn't have to pay something towards the provision of areas and facilities they expect to be ables.
	there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that u would like to see considered here?
a	he Waimate and Waitaki District Councils have both been charging fees for camping around the Waitaki Lakes for years now. This practice is now widely ccepted if you want to camp around any if those lakes, and there is no reason why the same should not apply for staying at the designated freedom amping sites in the Timaru District.

17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\circ		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\circ		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\circ		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc

18. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or want to give us feedback about sites not listed above. Break down sites in greater detail if needed, e.g. you might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type.

Certified self-containment should be the minimum standard for freedom camping anywhere in NZ to protect the environment from toilet waste, waste water, and rubbish. Although they create all three types of waste themselves, some people are loath to deal with them properly themselves and will get rid of them anywhere they can. Certified self-containment won't necessarily stop that practice, but it will certainly go a long way towards eliminating it as long as there are deterents for non-compliance

19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location?

	1-2 nights
\bigcirc	3-5 nights
\bigcirc	6-7 nights
\bigcirc	No limit
\circ	Other

20. Please tell us why you think this.

Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.

- 1-2 nights if there is no nightly fee for staying at the site, because people should not expect to stay at a site and use the facilities provided for no cost.
- 3 5 nights at sites where there is a nightly fee imposed. I don't agree with no restrictions on the number of nights in a row that people can stay, otherwise you could end up with people staying at a prime location such as Caroline Bay for upwards of 3 weeks which has happened in the past.

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay		\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\bigcirc
O'Neills		\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		0	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	\circ
Other		0	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

So the facilities provided don't get overloaded, and it would also be a better camping experience to have a bit of room around your motorhome or campervan rather than being all crammed in together.

Sites should be marked out, and filled on a first come first served basis.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

There should be a nightly fee for staying at any freedom camping site in the Timaru District.

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Time to complete

Your details

	Tour details
1.	Name *
	Myra Dick
2.	Organisation (if applicable)
	N/A
	Contact detail/s *
	Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.

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5. Where do you live?

	Usually in the Timaru District
\bigcirc	Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitaki Districts)
\bigcirc	Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and North Canterbury)
\bigcirc	Usually somewhere else in New Zealand
\bigcirc	Usually outside New Zealand
\bigcirc	N/A - commenting as an organisation

6. Where have you	u freedom camp	ed in the Timar	u District?								
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Caroline Bay	✓ Caroline Bay										
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O'Neills	O'Neills										
Te Moana Go	orge										
Waitohi Bush	1										
Winchester B	Bridge										
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict								
Other											
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timarı	ı District?							
				the family during the gather and spend ti		alking distance to shop	s, the park, the				
8. What do you co	onsider are the b	penefits of freed	om camping and	d freedom camp	ers for the Timar	u District?					
dining etc. The ability to free	dom camp, in self o		tracts consumers an	d benefits the local e		budget to spend mor	ney on activities				
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9. Have you exper	ienced or are yo		of the following	problems cause	a by freedom ca	mpers at any or tr	iese sites?				
	(1) Negative impact on physical area/ environment	(2) Negative impact on health and safety of people visiting the area	(3) Negative impact on public access to/ use of the area	Both 1 and 2	Both 1 and 3	Both 2 and 3	All				
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O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc				
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	0	\circ	0	\circ	0	\circ				
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ				
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	0	\circ				
Other site		\bigcirc				\circ	\circ				

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The Council charg	back for Caroline Bay ging people to stay is outrageous, other than a safe and convenient place to park there has been nothing to just park elsewhere, which may cause issues.	added to justify this.
-	ted any of these problems to Council before?	formation
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All of the pro		
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Less than hal	If of the problems	
None of the	problems	
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Yes		
O No		
Unsure		
Please tell us w	hy.	
I do think that all	vehicles should be self contained, where there are no bathroom/showering or rubbish facilities.	
What are one o	or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru	District?
-Self contained ve	ehicles only where there are no bathroom/showers or rubbish disposal.	

16. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

Long vehicle parking around the main shopping area, or fix the lift so disabled people can access stafford street easier.

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Arundel Bridge			all freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		0	\circ
Caroline Bay		0	\circ
Milford Lagoon		0	\circ
O'Neills		0	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		0	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	\circ
Other	\circ	0	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

To prevent over crowding	
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23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Please stop charging for freedom camping at Caroline Bay. I believe this decision impacted negatively on attendance in the 24/25 carnival. It became unaffordable for families.

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Respondent 86 Anonymous	36:19 Time to complete
Your details 1. Name *	
Peter Lyttle	
2. Organisation (if applicable)	
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.	
4. Privacy Statement * All feedback is public information and will be included on Council's website and/or in Centres. This will include your name and, if applicable, the organisation you represent The contact information (phone number and/or email address and/or postal address only for feedback administration purposes; it will not be made publicly available. How feedback - including any private and contact information - may not be redacted. Please contact us via submission@timdc.govt.nz if you have any questions about this All information is held by Council in accordance with the Privacy Act 2020. You have Nothing in this Privacy Statement overrides, or will prevent Council meeting its obligated Meetings Act 1987, or any other relevant legislation.	nt. s) that you provide will be accessible to and used by Council staff wever, the content of any attachments that you provide with your s, before providing your feedback. the right to access and correct personal information.
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Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitaki	i Districts)
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Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

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If they are staying here they are probably spending money here and visiting some of the attractions on offer. But I don't think they have to be spend money here to stay here. As long as there are not too many problems, I am happy to see freedom camping.											
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•	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and canno do.
	○ Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
	Please tell us why.
	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Have more areas available
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	Only certified self contained vehicles where there are no toilets. Non self contained if there are good operating clean toilets. Sites like Te Moana should allo

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other			
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ			
Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ			
Milford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc			
O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ			
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ			
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc			
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Maximum of 3 nigh	Maximum of 3 nights which is long enough to have a good look around but stops people monopolising the parks								

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		0	\bigcirc
Caroline Bay		\circ	\bigcirc
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\bigcirc
O'Neills		\circ	\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	•	\circ	\bigcirc
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	•	\circ	\bigcirc
Other	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

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23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

I think we need to be careful that we do not overly restrict peoples freedom to enjoy a camping holiday. I think that we need to be careful not to be too influenced by commercial camp ground operators who always lobby very hard against any freedom camping. We have a modern fully self contained motorhome which cost a lot of money and the only trace that we leave is a tyre print. We often pick up litter which has been left by day picnickers. If you are going to have rules requiring self containment you need to enforce them. Thanks for the opportunity to provide input.

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Your details		
1. Name *		
Colleen Fairbairn		
2. Organisation (if applicable)		
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5. Where do you live?		
Usually in the Timaru District		
Usually somewhere else in South	n Canterbury (Waimate, Macker	nzie and Waitaki Districts)
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Usually somewhere else in New	Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand		
N/A - commenting as an organis	sation	

Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Ba freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have f Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay							
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✓ Caroline Bay							
Milford Lagoon							
✓ O'Neills							
Te Moana Gorge							
Waitohi Bush							
Winchester Bridge							
N/A - have not freedom camped in the Timaru District							
Other							
7. What do you most enjoy about freedom camping in the Timaru District?							
Used to like Petite Point as close to cycling and places to eat out. The Caroline Bay too expensive know. Have fully self contained	ed MH and don't need facilit	ties					
so not interested in Motor camps. Nor toilets							
. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?							
Exploring the town and eating at local restaurants and cafes.							
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	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of. Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	Only vehicles for people who do not need to be self contained.
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	Yes
	No No
	Unsure
4.	Please tell us why.
	As a local who liked to "freedom camp" in Timaru I feel excluded. I agree a smaller fee for Caroline Bay - \$5 as this wouldn't discourage our visitor who do spend money locally at cafes and restaurants. The car parks are only suitable for car campers tho as Motorhomes are wider and unable to open door fully when parked. Even when all are parked perfectly
5.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Provide spaces that encourage and welcome Motorhome visitors. Dog friendly - on leads only. Have areas We you can park up - not where you can't. Have a better understanding of the potential for responsible motorhomers. NZMCA will be able to say the huge benefits for towns were their parks are in the towns where visitors can walk to shops, restaurants etc.
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	Consider finding an area that you could lease to an NZMCA who effectively manage the site with their paid members?

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Arundel Bridge								
Caroline Bay						\bigcirc		
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Te Moana Gorge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc			\bigcirc			
Waitohi Bush								
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23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Not all "freedom campers" are from outside the area. Many residents also use them.

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2. Organisation (if applicable)			
3. Contact detail/s * Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.			
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Usually in the Timaru District			
Usually somewhere else in South Canterbury (Waimate, Mackenzie and Waitak	i Districts)		
Usually somewhere else in Canterbury (Mid-Canterbury, Christchurch and North Canterbury)			
Usually somewhere else in New Zealand			
Usually outside New Zealand			
N/A - commenting as an organisation			

	Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District? Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.								
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	Caroline Bay								
	Milford Lagoon								
	O'Neills								
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ı	Waitohi Bush								
	Winchester Bridge								
	N/A - have not freedom camped in the Timaru District								
	Other								
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	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	None
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	Over new years and christmas things can get busy. But otherwise its fine
	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
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	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and canado.
	Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
	Please tell us why.
	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	No idea i think we have heaps of doc sites too so its actually fine having the amount of sites we do have
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	No

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other	
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	
Caroline Bay	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\circ	\circ	
O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	
Te Moana Gorge	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Winchester Bridge	0		\circ	0	\circ	0	
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Space and the pressure on infrastructure and how they are already affected with current rules What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other							
Please tell us why Please also outline h		different sites should ha	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.			
If you want a long s	itay pay for it!						

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	(a)	0	\circ
Caroline Bay	(a)	0	\circ
Milford Lagoon		0	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	0
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	•	0	0
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We have experienced freedom campers at the entrance of West End Park off Onslow Street, Timaru late last year. There was a "frequent flyer" that stayed for 4 to 7 days, then would leave but came back and did this for over a month. He played loud music at night, and he bought his friends who would drink then use the trees as his toilet. When he tried to leave his battery was flat and had to get his friends to help him.

We stopped our young girls going near the entrance of the park where he was parked as we felt it wasn't safe anymore.

On phoning the Council, we were advised that there was no by law in place and they couldn't do anything to remove him. They are aware of him. Council then referred us to the Police. When we phoned the Police, unless we had proof that he was doing something illegal then they couldn't do anything either. They asked us questions like, has their registration or warrant expired? We didn't want to get that close to the vehicle for fear of retaliation. What was the registration number? Has he done anything illegal? The police referred us back to the Council and we went round in circles, with no one able to help or remove this guy from a residential area.

The other neighbours also phoned the Council not happy with this person living at the end of our street in a van. They also got the same response that no one could help as there was no by law in place.

There are gates to the entrance of Onslow Street, Timaru and we asked the Mayor to lock them to stop this "frequent flyer" coming back because we didnt have anyone that could help us. The gates have been locked since October last year, still locked which has stopped the overnight stayers.

We did note he moved to the carpark off Maltby Avenue Timaru and was there Christmas day for a few days.

We still have campers and caravans coming down the street wanting to park. They come to the end of our street, realise that the gates are locked, then they turn around and leave again. I think it's increased since fee signs were installed at Caroline Bay in 2024 as people don't want to pay. In the holiday period especially, there has been a huge increase in people looking for a place to park. I believe we would've had a bigger problem over the Christmas break if those gates had not been locked.

This area is a residential area. There is parking for day parking to assess the park, but the intention was not for people to park here overnight. The area does not have rubbish bins. From what we saw, the freedom campers friends were using the trees as their toilets and that's not ok. We have young girls who walk past the car park to use the playground and play tennis in the park. There are lots of children in this street. We oppose this site to be used for freedom campers and we welcome a by-law in Timaru for designated sites only excluding this one.

11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.

Holidays in particular, there is a huge increase of campers/caravans wanting a free place to park. Especially since the Council installed fee signs at Caroline Bay in late 2024.

We've noticed an increase of people freedom camping.

Unsure

12. Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?

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14. Please tell us why.

To stop people parking a caravan or camper wherever they like for h	ow ever lo	na thev like.

To give the Council the authority to move people on if they are not meant to be parked there, with the help of the Police if required.

To have designated areas of where freedom campers can park, with restrictions of no littering, self containment and for a certain limit of time.

To protect rate payers quiet enjoyment of a residential area.

15. What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?

With the cost of living, there are genuine people living in their vehicles. Council recognizing these people and making services available to help them.

16. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

In Hanmer, just before Hanmer there is a NZMCA caravan association car park on one side of the road and a freedom camping spot on the other side with toilets. On the freedom camping side there is a designated limit of car parks, (10 from memory) first in first serve.

It works well. Freedom Camping sites should be able to provide toilets at a minimum.

If there were to be a bylaw

17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
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O'Neills	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	
Winchester Bridge	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ

18. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or want to give us feedback about sites not listed above. Break down sites in greater detail if needed, e.g. you might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type.

Caroline Bay needs to be looked at carefully. Especially in the summer months. Attracting people to the district is what you want. A public survey on this alone is what you need.

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19. What do you think is a a location?	reasonable maximum numb	er of nights in a row that freedom camp	ers should be allowed to stay in
1-2 nights			
3-5 nights			
6-7 nights			
O No limit			
Other			
20. Please tell us why you t		have different rules for maximum stays.	
It stops freedom campers w	vanting to live in one spot. First in fi	rst serve basis.	
21. Should there be limits t	o the number of freedom ca	ampers/vehicles/tents permitted in each	location at any one time?
	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	0	•
Caroline Bay		0	0
Milford Lagoon	\circ	0	•
O'Neills	\circ	0	
Te Moana Gorge	0	0	
Waitohi Bush	\circ	0	
Winchester Bridge	\circ	0	(a)
Other	0	0	(a)
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23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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Select all that apply	Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District? Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.									
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Other site		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time? Yes No Other Arundel Bridge Caroline Bay Milford Lagoon O'Neills Te Moana Gorge Waitohi Bush

22. Please tell us why you think this.

Winchester Bridge

Other

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

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At Te Moana Gorge negative impacts on the physical area has been in the form of trenches dug across campsites which then make it difficult to set up in that area. I have also pointed out the fire ban to other freedom campers.

At Te Moana Gorge, most of the negative impacts on the physical environment (that I've noticed) seem to be caused by day users who take motorbikes up. They chew up the grass areas and turn them into bald mud patches.

11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	I'm not sure.
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	○ Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	I just don't think there are the resources to "police" new bylaws. Too many members of the public just don't care.
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	From my observations, I think freedom camping works really well in our district. Living in Winchester I pass the Winchester Bridge site and it is very well used. It looks generally well looked after - particularly after the re-grassing and planting in that space.
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

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	tell us why you think this so outline here if you think th		ave different rules for m	naximum stays.				
This wo	ould cover long weekends like	Easter, which is a particular	favorite time for our fam	nily to camp.				

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ		0
Caroline Bay		0	0
Milford Lagoon	\circ		0
O'Neills	\circ	©	0
Te Moana Gorge	0		0
Waitohi Bush	0	©	0
Winchester Bridge	0		0
Other	0	©	\circ
Please tell us why you This includes if you answer		ic number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any	specific site.
		of them bursting at the seams, except at Caroline Bay.	
Is there anything else	that you want to say or war	nt us to know?	

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Usually somewhere else in New Zealand	
Usually outside New Zealand	
N/A - commenting as an organisation	

6. Where have yo	. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?								
	Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.								
Arundel Brid	Arundel Bridge								
Caroline Bay	,								
Milford Lago	oon								
O'Neills	O'Neills								
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✓ Waitohi Bus	h								
Winchester	Bridge								
N/A - have	not freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	trict						
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7. What do you n	nost enjoy about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	ı District?					
Locally accessible	e places to overnight	with family							
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8. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?									
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.

My main problem is with freedom campers using the site at Caroline Bay, when there are camping options within Timaru that they could be paying for and supporting local businesses, the way that campers spread throughout the area makes the space less accessible for other users, such as those picnicking or starting the disc golf course nearby. There is an unnecessary concentration of people caused by the volume of freedom campers staying at the bay.

	Caroline Bay overuse had got worse over time
2.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
ļ.	Please tell us why.
	Regulations are required to ensure desired behaviour and activities are occurring in public spaces
ō.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Encouraging of camping in remote sites, imprivement of facilities at Te Moana, reduction/cessation of camping at Caroline Bay
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	I often sleep in my car prior to undertaking a hike or other outdoors excursion or while traveling and needing to sleep for safety reasons before continuing journey when traveling out of the Timaru District. I do not wish to be fined or penalized for such behaviour, and any bylaw should include suitable accommodations for similar low impact overnighting

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ
Milford Lagoon		\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Winchester Bridge		\circ	0	\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
See previous respo		Illow one type of freed	om camping, and anoth	er part of Caroline Bay	should allow a different	type.
19. What do you thi a location?	ink is a reasonable	e maximum numbe	r of nights in a row	that freedom camp	oers should be allow	ed to stay in
1-2 nights						
3-5 nights						
6-7 nights						
O No limit						
Other						
20. Please tell us wh						
Please also outline	here if you think that	different sites should h	ave different rules for m	axımum stays.		

My take of freedom camping is that it should be low impact, travel-based overnighting. Potentially 3-4 night stays would be suitable for Te Moana or Oneills

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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other		
Arundel Bridge		0	\circ		
Caroline Bay	\circ	0			
Milford Lagoon		0	\circ		
O'Neills		\circ	0		
Te Moana Gorge		0	0		
Waitohi Bush		\circ	0		
Winchester Bridge		0	0		
Other	\circ	\circ	0		
Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.					
No for Caroline Bay, the rest,	dependent on capacity of ame	enities and land area			
Is there anything else tha	at you want to say or wa	nt us to know?			

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	Waitohi Bush										
	Winchester Br	idge									
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	Other										
7. WI	hat do vou mo	ost eniov about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	District?						
						ons to take my famil	y for walks and events.				
8. WI	What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?										
	Cheap and useful locations to take my family for walks and events.										
C	Cheap and useful	locations to take m	y family for walks an	d events.							
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.

Freedom camping in parks or cap parks located in residential areas. People using sites as full time locations of accommodations (People living in vans etc.). Drinking/socializing, urination in public areas. Single adults camping/living in parks close to children's play areas. Loud noise affect residents of area who pay rate to live in these location. Rubbish not disposed of. Vehicles not self contained. Stickers are not evidence of self containment and the containment cards are not monitored in these areas.

11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.

Westend park (End of onslow st) had become a haven for freedom campers. It started with one who stayed in the park for weeks. Slowly more campers

	(Friends of the camper) arrived and started a community where drinking and bad behavior escalated. We had to communicate the issue to the council who locked the gate to stop the issue. Still to date (6 months later) campers drive up the dead end street to gain access to the area. Camper moved from there to the top of the hill, adjacent to the children's play area. A group of these individual move around Timaru until they are moved along.
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	Protect rate paying residence for noise and bad behavior. Safety of people using parks and recreational areas.
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Limited designated areas in Timaru with set guidelines of use to stop people living there. Location for freedom campers away from residential areas.
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
	There are many options for campers. Joining NZCMA allows use of designated areas (Park over property, NZCMA Grounds, Doc Areas). All have guidelines for use which have a small fee associated. This is already on offer to all campers, though they need to be self-contained. Only allow freedom camping in limited locations allow for monitoring for freedom campers safety and compliance of vehicles.

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

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O'Neills	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	0	\circ	\circ	0	\circ	0
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ		\circ
We need to have a should be an optio	reas, however withou	t a bylaw freedom camp s etc. Safety in our recrea	oing is occurring everywh	ere. Outside of residence	should allow a different ees homes and areas whe rouldn't call most of the s	re freedom camping
19. What do you thin a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other	nk is a reasonabl	e maximum numbe	er of nights in a row	that freedom camp	oers should be allow	ed to stay in
20. Please tell us wh	y you think this.					
Please also outline h	ere if you think that	different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		

1-2 nights, maybe higher based by location and camping turn over. This will allow other access.

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	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		0	\circ
Caroline Bay		0	\circ
Milford Lagoon		0	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	0
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	0
Other		\circ	\circ
Please tell us why you t		umber of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for	any specific site.
	issue if the infrastructure is not in pla	ce to support them (Toilets, Bins Fresh water).	

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Te Moana Go	rge						
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Winchester B	ridge						
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10. Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.

Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.

Far too many vans that have either blue or green stickers, that are obviously not self contained. We belong to the NZMCA and have a late model caravan that cost a lot to become complient, these guys are just scroungers. The never remove their rubbish foul the trees with their toilet.

11. Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.

As volunteer hosts for DOC and NZMCA this situation of vans having bogus stickers is getting worse, These vans are giving all motor home, caravan owners a bad reputaion. As hosts we turn these vans away as they are not complient with the rules for self containment. More should be done by local bodies to police these illegal vans.

	these illegal vans.
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and cannot do.
	Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
14.	Please tell us why.
	If you have a law then the companies that rent these illegal vans can be prosecuted, as can the private owners of non compliant vans
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	More policing by council staff not just prosecution via tickets but education, more investigation into the main companies that rent these vans and more investigation on where these vans are getting there stickers.

you would like to see considered here?

16. Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that

All districts should combine notes on what works well and did not work for their area, combine your resource and have a nation wide freedom camping law that can be taken to local government for implementation. Also I advise councils to contact the NZMCA as this body has done great work on the rules around certification regarding self containment.

19.

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	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
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Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	0	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
will be limited to 3 What do you thin	- 4 days giving room	for others to enjoy. Why	y should rate payers have	to foot the expense of	vehicle is fully self contain toilet cleaning, maintena pers should be allow	nce.
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1-2 nights 3-5 nights						
6-7 nights						
No limit						
Other						
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21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay		\circ	\circ
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	0
Waitohi Bush		0	\circ
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ
Other		\circ	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

strain on resources, letting others enjoy these sites.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

As volunteer camp hosts we pride ourselves on promoting good camping manners. I think councils do a great job with the resources they have at hand. We would like to be more involved in council run camps as these sites are very valuable to all motor home/caravan travellers.

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	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of. Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any
	problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
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2.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?
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	N/A - haven't seen any problems
	All of the problems
	More than half of the problems
	Less than half of the problems
	None of the problems
	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think that the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?
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	○ Yes
	○ No
	Unsure
	Please tell us why.
	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?

If there were to be a bylaw

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

		All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
	Arundel Bridge		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
	Caroline Bay	\bigcirc	\circ		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
	Milford Lagoon		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
	O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	0
	Waitohi Bush		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
	Other site	\circ	\circ		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc
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	_	_	different sites should h	ave different rules for m	aximum stays.		

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

		Yes	No	Other
A	rundel Bridge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Ci	aroline Bay	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
M	lilford Lagoon	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
0	'Neills	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
	e Moana orge	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
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	/inchester ridge	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc
0	ther	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
	22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.			
23. Is t	here anything else that you w	vant to say or want us to know?		

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The current freedom camping situation

6. Where have you freedom camped in the Timaru District?									
	Select all that apply. The list below contains the sites that Council currently encourages freedom camping at, and Caroline Bay (previous designated freedom camping sites were converted to paid overnight parking in 2024). If you select Other, please state where you have freedom camped.								
Arundel Brid	Arundel Bridge								
Caroline Bay	Caroline Bay								
Milford Lago	Milford Lagoon								
O'Neills	O'Neills								
Te Moana Go	orge								
Waitohi Bush	1								
Winchester B	Bridge								
N/A - have n	ot freedom camped	d in the Timaru Dist	rict						
Other									
7. What do you m	ost enjoy about	freedom campi	ing in the Timaru	ı District?					
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	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.
	Not found any problems with freedom campers anywhere where there are adequate rubbish bins and toilets
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.
	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before? We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
(N/A - haven't seen any problems
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(Yes
(No No
(Unsure
ļ. I	Please tell us why.
	Can't see what a bylaw would do
5. \	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Rubbish bins and toilets
	s there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that you would like to see considered here?
1	Yes rubbish bins and toilets and effluent disposal in Ranfurly

If there were to be a bylaw

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other					
Arundel Bridge		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc					
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Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc					
O'Neills		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ					
Te Moana Gorge		\circ	\circ	0	\circ	\circ					
Waitohi Bush		\bigcirc	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc					
Winchester Bridge		\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc					
Other site		\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\bigcirc					
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Why would you not allow freedom camping is more the question 19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number of nights in a row that freedom campers should be allowed to stay in a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other 20. Please tell us why you think this. Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.					ed to stay in						
What would be the	What would be the purpose of any limit										

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other	
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	
Caroline Bay	\circ	\circ		
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	
O'Neills	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc	
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Other	\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc	
Please tell us why you think this.				
This includes if you answered Othe	r or wish to state a specific number of vehicles,	/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.		

22.

Someone assess what is reasonable for each area

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

Rather than making rules to stop/ limit freedom camping look at how to facilitate it so it works for most (will never work for all as some people really dislike freedom campers no matter what)

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2. Organisation (if applicable)

NZMCA member

3. Contact detail/s *

Provide at least one of: phone number or email address.

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The current freedom camping situation

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7. What do you m	nost enjoy about	freedom campi	ng in the Timaru	ı District?								
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3. What do you consider are the benefits of freedom camping and freedom campers for the Timaru District?												
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	The amount of area that is available to freedom campers. The overall area needs to be increased. Lack of dump sites with easy access especially for large mobile homes. Rubbish or recycling bins even if installed they are not emptied regularly and thus cause an unpleasant site and attract rodents
	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are letting better or worse over time.
	Christmas time and during the summer months it would be nice to have an area for freedom campers out on the grass area at the south end of Caroline bay
!. F	lave you reported any of these problems to Council before?
٧	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.
(N/A - haven't seen any problems
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(Yes
(No No
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. F	Please tell us why.
	I believe it would make it very clear as to what the rules are for freedom camping within the Timaru area. Clear as to fees and Caroline Bay fees are too high
٠. ١	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?
	Water supply needs to be a good distance from dump station. More dump stations with good access for larger vans
	s there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), that ou would like to see considered here?

If there were to be a bylaw

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O'Neills	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\bigcirc	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		0	\circ	\circ
Other site	\bigcirc	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ

18. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or want to give us feedback about sites not listed above. Break down sites in greater detail if needed, e.g. you might think part of Caroline Bay should allow one type of freedom camping, and another part of Caroline Bay should allow a different type.

If the Park at Caroline Bay is for Freedom campers they need to be certified freedom campers only. No uncertified campers or tents. A great deal of problems have come about due to campervans especially rental van companies who supply porta potties and offer a discount if not used. Certified freedom campers have had to undergo a certified check and paid a Govt levy to hold a Green warrant to confirm they are certified.

19. What do you think is a reasonable maximum number	r of nights in a row that freedom	campers should be allowed to stay in
a location?		

1-2 nights

3-5 nights

6-7 nights

O No limit

Other

20. Please tell us why you think this.

Please also outline here if you think that different sites should have different rules for maximum stays.

That is usually more than enough time to spend in one place. If people are in mobile homes they often leave the site during the day to explore the area and then return only at night as a base.

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
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Te Moana Gorge		0	\circ
Waitohi Bush		\circ	\circ
Winchester Bridge		0	\circ
Other		\circ	\circ

22. Please tell us why you think this.

This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.

I believe that the number should be derived by the land mass available with enough room for people to get in and out. If there are no toilets and showers on site uncertified caravans and tents should not be allowed.

23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?

I love the idea of being able to stay at freedom camps within the Timaru area especially when you just want a short time away. Certified vans have toilets and showers so all that is required is a dump site and fresh water taps. To have a recycling area that is cleared regularly would be a bonus but a great deal of campers take their rubbish away with them. It is the faecal matter that is left by tenters and vans with out toilet facilities that cause problems. If toilets and showers were provided to the freedom camping sites then perhaps there would an option for change however freedom campers pay a govt levy to obtain a Green Warrant to freedom camp and they are to display them in their windows and their number can be checked through the NZMCA site if people can't produce the warrant card

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Your details

1.	Name *
	gary ryan
2.	Organisation (if applicable)
	winchester motor camp
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The current freedom camping situation

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10.	Please tell us more about any problems you have experienced or are aware of.	04
	Please break any problems down by site, and detail any site or problem not listed above in Q9. Include to what extent you are confident that any problems are caused by freedom campers instead of non-freedom campers.	y
	winchester bridge is always allowed long term people	
11.	Please tell us whether have you noticed if any problems are better or worse at any particular time, and whether they are getting better or worse over time.	e
	rubbish and overstayers	
12.	Have you reported any of these problems to Council before?	
	We want to understand how much of what you are telling us may already be known to Council, and how much is new information.	
	N/A - haven't seen any problems	
	All of the problems	
	More than half of the problems	
	Less than half of the problems	
	None of the problems	
13.	Reflecting on any problems you have stated and what a bylaw might be able to offer to address these, do you think the Timaru District should have a freedom camping bylaw?	at the
	See the Q+A section at http://www.timaru.govt.nz/freedomcampingsurvey for more information about what a freedom camping bylaw can and do.	cannot
	Yes	
	○ No	
	Unsure	
14.	Please tell us why.	
15.	What are one or two changes that you think would most improve freedom camping in the Timaru District?	
	limited time limits	
16.	Is there anything freedom-camping related that you think has worked well in other areas (outside the Timaru District), to you would like to see considered here?	that

If there were to be a bylaw

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17. What sort of freedom camping do you think should be permitted in the following locations?

	All freedom camping	Only certified self-contained and tenting	Certified self- contained only	Tenting only	No freedom camping permitted	Other
Arundel Bridge	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ		\circ
Caroline Bay	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\circ
Milford Lagoon	\circ	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ		\circ
O'Neills	\circ	\circ	\circ	\bigcirc		\bigcirc
Te Moana Gorge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Waitohi Bush	\circ	\bigcirc		\circ	\bigcirc	\bigcirc
Winchester Bridge	\circ	\circ		\circ	\circ	\circ
Other site	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ	\circ
might think part of	Caroline Bay should a	allow one type of freed	om camping, and anoth	er part of Caroline Bay	should allow a different	type.
a location? 1-2 nights 3-5 nights 6-7 nights No limit Other	ny you think this.		r of nights in a row		pers should be allow	ed to stay in

21. Should there be limits to the number of freedom campers/vehicles/tents permitted in each location at any one time?

	Yes	No	Other
Arundel Bridge		\circ	\circ
Caroline Bay		\circ	0
Milford Lagoon		\circ	\circ
O'Neills		\circ	\circ
Te Moana Gorge			0
Waitohi Bush		\bigcirc	\circ
Winchester Bridge			0
Other	\bigcirc	\circ	\circ
22. Please tell us why you think this. This includes if you answered Other or wish to state a specific number of vehicles/freedom campers/tents for any specific site.			
23. Is there anything else that you want to say or want us to know?			



Re: Freedom Camping

From submission <submission@timdc.govt.nz>

Date Sun 13/04/2025 11:44

To Colleen Fairbairn

Good afternoon Colleen,

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Kind regards, Brendan



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From: Colleen Fairbairn

Sent: Saturday, 12 April 2025 17:52

To: submission < submission@timdc.govt.nz>

Subject: Freedom Camping

I am supportive of responsible freedom camping at Caroline Bay and areas within walking distance to food outlets and the cycling and walking trails in our districts. Timaru, Pleasant Point, Geraldine etc. It is amazing the numbers of NZ visitors also that travel and travelling to districts to cycle. Many like to have access to restaurants and cafes. I am one of these people. I live in Pleasant Point and would stay overnight at Petite Point when it was open myself at least once a month. I and many of our NZ Motorhome/Caravan community have invested in our home away from homes and do not want to park in a caravan park. We have the facilities and don't need these nor want that

environment. The charges that have been put on for \$20 night for a carpark is, in my opinion way to much. \$5 would be fair and respectable. I have heard from 23 couples in my motorhome group who no longer stop in Timaru. They correctly say this is no longer a Motorhome friendly town as advertised.

I ask you all the please stop thinking of freedom campers as us all being people who stay and don't contribute when we stop. If you look at research from MBIE on how many tourism dollars come into communities, especially with cycling. If you provide more spaces with a small fee to enable enforcement to check the Self Containment card IN THE WINDOW then this takes away many of any troublesome people. Your biggest is the classification that allows non self containment.

I urge to councillors to please retain the vibrant travelling tourism. If you are going to continue enforcing charges (this is not freedom camping) maybe give a wavier for your own residents who pay their rates yet can't enjoy our own home towns.

NZMCA would be able to give guidance and possibly be able to provide one of their Park Over Properties or Park if you worked with them? Win win

Thank you

Colleen Fairbairn



Re: Freedom Camping Submission

From submission <submission@timdc.govt.nz>

Date Wed 30/04/2025 16:22

Glenmark Motor Camp

Good afternoon April and Ian,

Thank you for your feedback. We will ensure that it is passed onto the Councillors for their consideration once the survey closes.

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Kind regards, Brendan

From: Glenmark Motor Camp

Sent: Wednesday, 30 April 2025 16:09 To: submission < submission@timdc.govt.nz> Subject: Freedom Camping Submission

Kiwi campers were the backbone of our business until 2011 when the Government changed the legislation to allow Free campsites. The NZMCA have bought a lot of land around the Timaru region and set up cheap camping options. The Bay and Port Loop and Patiti Point have offered campers free facilities by the Council who use our rates to pay for this service. Limit these areas that are geographically close to existing businesses, as we cannot compete with Free! The council are in direct competition with holiday parks. Ultimately parks will close and a traditional kiwi holiday will vanish. Kind regards

April and Ian Clifford Glenmark Holiday Park 30 Beaconsfield Road, RD 2, Timaru

Phone: (03) 684 3862

Email: glenmarkmotorcamp@xtra.co.nz



Re:

From Judy Nally

Date Sun 13/04/2025 12:37

To submission <submission@timdc.govt.nz>

Many thanks for this.

On Sun, 13 Apr 2025, 11:45 am submission, <<u>submission@timdc.govt.nz</u>> wrote: Good afternoon Judy,

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From: Judy Nally

Sent: Sunday, 13 April 2025 08:23

To: submission <<u>submission@timdc.govt.nz</u>>

Subject:

I have stayed in Timaru's freedom camping for many years. I thought Timaru was Motorhome friendly but I do nor see any evidence of that now. There is no freedom camping anywhere at present.

Regards Judy



Re: freedom camping

From submission <submission@timdc.govt.nz> Date Mon 28/04/2025 08:44

To Lindsay Trilford

Good morning Lindsay,

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Kind regards, Brendan

From: Lindsay Trilford

Sent: Friday, 25 April 2025 11:24

To: submission < submission@timdc.govt.nz>

Subject: freedom camping

Caroline bay is not the place for freedom camping. Most are not self contained as they buy the self contained stickers online. I questioned a guy once who was urinating on the grass beside the toilet block. he told me f... off as he was permanent there .Black van GEY245.Seems he has 2 different plates that he changes . He is very abusive and i just had to walk away or i was going to get assaulted. Not enough policing of the area.



Re: Freedom Camping Survey

From submission <submission@timdc.govt.nz>

Date Wed 30/04/2025 15:43

Paul Glover

Good afternoon Paul,

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From: Paul Glover

Sent: Wednesday, 30 April 2025 10:29 To: submission < submission@timdc.govt.nz> Subject: Freedom Camping Survey

Hello my name is Paul Glover from TIMARU

I'm a member of the NZMCA and to my knowledge I haven't seen or heard of any problems with freedom camping, especially down at Caroline Bay Area as I walk down there nearly every day,

The only thing I have seen is the rubbish bins have been full to over flowing the odd time but that's after a weekend,

That area attracts a lot of tourists and visitors to look at the penguins, plus it's so close to the rest of the bay and to the city centre..it is really the perfect area ...

We need these tourists and visitors to help our economy as they do spend money on food, fuel etc and with the ever increasing prices of motor camps and motels we need a place to accommodate them,

If there is a time limit implemented maybe with 3 to 5 days max and maybe to an area more dedicated for freedom camping with good signage, so that all know what TIMARU expects of them, as we are a MOTOR HOME FRIENDLY TOWN

If a charge is to be paid can it be on a per person basis and not per vehicle, as I'm on my own it would make it more fairer, and as there are a lot of single people in Motorhomes.

Yours faithfully PAUL GLOVER.



Re: Freedom camping in Timaru

From submission <submission@timdc.govt.nz>

Date Sun 13/04/2025 11:43

To peter williams

Good afternoon Peter,

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From: peter williams

Sent: Saturday, 12 April 2025 13:22

To: submission <submission@timdc.govt.nz>
Subject: Freedom camping in Timaru

Many retired people love to travel around NZ. They are not rich, just retirees looking to spend their time enjoying their life in NZ. These people along with other freedom camping homeland traveller's spend collectively big amounts of money in towns throughout NZ, our spend for 2 people as we travel 5 months a year around is avg of \$64 per day. During our travels we need food, fuel, night stays, vehicle warrants, repairs and maintenance of our vehicles, etc. This adds up by the thousands (believed to be around 10,000 per day and spending around \$250 million per year) of freedom camping homeland travelers traveling at any given time, and

they are looking for somewhere to stay. The longer they stay put the more they spend and councils who ignore these travelers lose the income to businesses in those regions that don't accommodate their needs, which doesn't include being told to go stay in a camp as camps don't want their campers to go outside the camp as they want them to spend their money inside the camp grounds, plus any monies spent in camp grounds comes off the available money to spend elsewhere in the region.

Freedom camping in NZ is a right of all NZers and whilst we understand it can't be totally open around residential areas it's still a requirement that the councils make available areas of pleasurable and scenic value available to csc freedom camping travelers. There are many retired persons using larger motorhomes now as these are easy to move, and spend time in, but are not suitable for carparks, so require larger areas to park in. Most travelers prefer 3 night stays as this allows time to arrive then spend a couple of days visiting and shopping in the areas around the district, 2 days doesn't do this as it's forcing people to move on quickly with no time to relax and enjoy their stay. Due to this, many don't visit districts that have these, and more, restrictions like Auckland, Queenstown, and Wanaka as examples.

In closing councils have a duty to their businesses who pay rates to help make their region a place where people want to visit and spend money, therefore by not suppling quality and quantity freedom camping areas to accommodate the real needs for these travelers they are failing their business rate payers. Each traveler the council turns away from their region is a part loss in a \$250 million plus retail trade spent just by these travelers. Please consider as open a policy as possible for all concerned.

Thank you for your time.

Peter

NZMCA 15 year member..