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Your submission for this review:

How can council justify putting up water rates so significantly? Water is a basic human right and need and should not just be available for the wealthy or send people into poverty just by paying their water bills. The recent rate increases have already hit hard for so many people and now this as well. You can only take from people for so long before they have nothing left to give. An increase of this size would cripple some households and individuals with people already struggling though this pandemic. I am adamantly opposed to such an massive increase and see no justifiable reason for it. Ratepayers are not ATM machines, we are people just trying to get by without the added stress of constant price [REDACTED] from an incompetent CCC. In no way is a rate increase of over 30% fair, sustainable for rate payers or jistifiedable in any way.