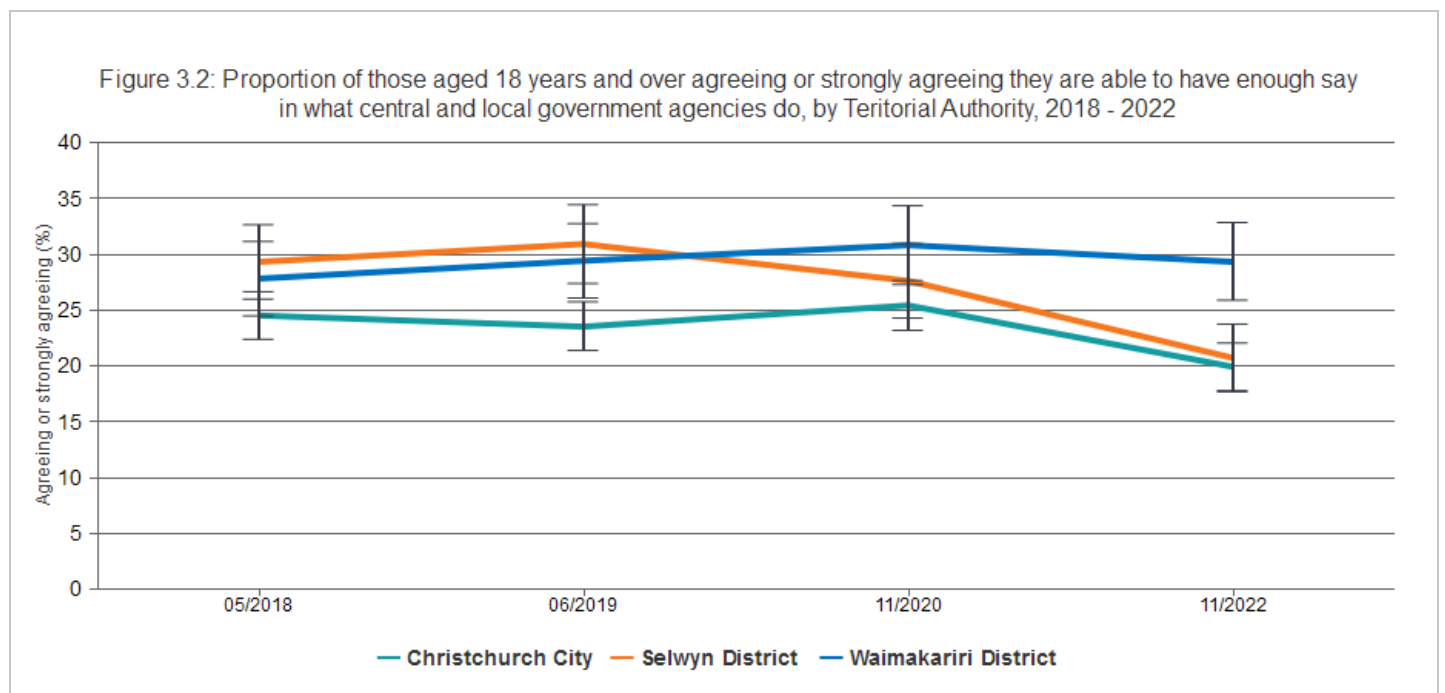


Influencing central and local government: Breakdown by Territorial Authority

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The figure shows that one quarter of Christchurch City respondents agreed or strongly agreed that they had enough say in the actions of central and local government agencies, 2018 to 2020. The proportion of respondents in the Selwyn and Waimakariri districts who agreed or strongly agreed that they had enough say in the actions of central and local government agencies tends to be higher than among Christchurch City respondents, for 2018-2020. However, the proportions agreeing or strongly agreeing in Christchurch City and Selwyn District have decreased statistically significantly in 2022 and are significantly lower than for Waimakariri District (approximately 20%, Christchurch City and Selwyn District; 29% Waimakariri District).

Data Sources for Influencing central and local government

Source: Te Whatu Ora Waitaha Canterbury.

Survey/data set: Canterbury Wellbeing Survey to 2022. Access publicly available data from Te Mana Ora | Community and Public Health website www.cph.co.nz/your-health/wellbeing-survey/

Source data frequency: Annually.

Metadata for the Influencing central and local government indicator is available at <https://www.canterburywellbeing.org.nz/index-data>

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