

21 February 2022



Request for Official Information responded to under the Local Government and Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA) (the Act) – reference: OIR 2122-192

I refer to your information request we received on 10 February 2022 for the following:

At the 3 February LGC Representation Review Hearing for Kapiti you advised that a full response to the LGC Commissioners request for information regarding population growth projections for Kapiti and Kapiti wards and other requests would be provided soon after the hearings.

Based on our interest in projected future growth in the Kapiti district and in the representation review process, I request a copy of all responses to the LGC Commissioners' questions or other representation review matters which have been sent to the LGC on or after 3 February 2022.

Council response regarding your request

Following the Local Government Commission's hearing on 3 February 2022 we emailed them the link to the population and demographics data we spoke to at the hearings. This can be found on Council's website [here](#). A copy of our email to the Local Government Commission dated 3 February 2022 is attached.

On 10 February 2022 we responded to a request from the Local Government Commission who were in the process of matching up the meshblock data and estimated population data provided by StatsNZ that was used to inform the options in the Final Proposal report that went to the Council Meeting of 11 November 2021. A copy of the Council report is available on Council's website [here](#) – the Local Government's request related specifically to Appendix 6, pages 70 to 75, and Appendix 7, pages 76 to 85, of this report. A copy of our email to the Local Government Commission dated 10 February 2022 is attached.

This is the only dialogue we have had with the Local Government Commission following their hearings on 3 February 2022.

Ngā mihi



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Te Kaihautū, ngā Rangapū, Tāngata hoki