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Request for Official Information responded to under the Local Government and Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA) – reference: 2122-30

I refer to your information request we received on 1 August 2021 for the following:

Please supply all stored information, digital and audio, meeting agendas and minutes including notes from briefings to Councillors for the following information request:

1. Please supply a response for the question "Do the acts or omissions show or appear to show a lack of probity by Kapiti Coast District Council or one or more of its employees?"

No – it is not considered that there is a lack of probity regarding the resolution.

2. Please detail all reasons Kapiti Coast District Council is allowing your solid waste disposal contractor to use a non-compliant landfill.

Kāpiti Coast District Council does not contract to any waste disposal contractor. The two waste facilities in Kāpiti are leased to a commercial operator who operates these facilities. Under the lease agreement that was signed in 2008 the operator decides where the waste from the facilities is disposed.

3. Please list:

(i) options you have for solid waste disposal, and

Options for waste disposal from Kāpiti are limited as Council no longer operates an open landfill in the district. The Otaihanga landfill closed in 2007. Since then, residual waste from the two waste facilities is disposed of by the operator of these facilities at Bonny Glen landfill in Fielding or Hokio Landfill in Levin.

(ii) estimates of weekly volumes/masses disposed according to the options listed in (i) above.

In the 2019/20 year 19,334 tonnes of waste were transported from the two facilities to Hokio Landfill in Levin and 1591 tonnes to Bonny Glen landfill.

In the 2020/21 year 16,302 tonnes were transported to Hokio landfill and 6027 tonnes to Bonny Glenn landfill.

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