

OIR: 2526/20

30 July 2025

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Tēnā koe [Redacted],

**Request for Information under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (the Act) (the LGOIMA)**

Thank you for your email of 16 July 2025 requesting the following information:

***I would also request the number of KCDC councillors/staff who are attending the LGNZ conference in Christchurch, and the associated costs incurred***

There were nine elected members who attended the LGNZ conference. The associated costs incurred to date are detailed below:

Item	Cost (GST inc.)
Conference Registration	\$13,110.00
Flights	\$3,298.11
Accommodation	\$4,360.00
Shuttle/Transfers	\$699.48

Note that one elected member's registration cost was covered by the Community Board's Executive Committee.

There were also four staff members who attended the LGNZ conference, the associated costs incurred to date are detailed on the next page:

*Please note that any information provided in response to your request may be published on the Council website, with your personal details removed.*

Item	Cost (GST inc.)
Conference Registration	\$6,360.25
Flights	\$2,272.37
Accommodation	\$3,474.22
Shuttle/Transfers	\$370.00

Ngā mihi,



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