

6 September 2024



Dear

LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL INFORMATION AND MEETINGS ACT Request: 2024-37

Thank you for your email of 23 August 2024 to the Carterton District Council (CDC) requesting the following information:

"...Please can you confirm if any personnel from Carterton District Council were in attendance?"

If so, please confirm the full cost to Carterton District Council of sending those personnel to the conference. This is to include payments to LGNZ to attend, travel and any other overnight accommodation, travel or subsistence expenses claimed?"

Your request has been considered under the Local Government Official Information and Meeting Act 1987 (the Act).

The LGNZ SuperLocal 2024 conference brings together local government professionals from across Aotearoa New Zealand to share knowledge and best practices. CDC personnel attended the LGNZ SuperLocal 2024 conference which took place in Wellington.

The travel costs that CDC paid are itemised in the table below.

| LGNZ SuperLocal 2024 Conference | Cost |
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| LGNZ registration | \$5,344.95 |
| Accommodation (<i>car parking included</i>) | \$2,399.00 |
| Travel (<i>CDC company car</i>) | - |
| Subsistence expenses claimed | - |
| Total cost | \$7,743.95 |

Please note, the Council proactively publishes LGOIMA responses on our website. As such, we may publish this response on our website after five working days. Your name and contact details will be removed.

Thank you again for your email. You have the right to ask an Ombudsman to review this decision. You can do this by writing to info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or Office of the Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143.

Yours sincerely



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