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**From:** Michelle van Straalen  
**Sent:** Thursday, 23 July 2020 15:02  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Cc:** official information  
**Subject:** LGOIMA 20135 - Capital Projects  
**Attachments:** D-69791 20060904 Agenda Open - Finance & Audit Cttee 4 Sept 2006.pdf

Kia ora

Further to your information request of 11 June of which we provided a response to Question 1 on 2 July 2020, I am now able to provide Hamilton City Council's response to Question 2.

### You requested:

*Please provide a list of capital projects and their \$value not approved in the LTP since 2005, whether they were approved by full council, a committee, or staff and the reason for their acceptance. Also advise when these projects were discussed with the whole community and the statistical results of the community consultation.*

### Our Response:

Your question has been interpreted to mean you would like Council to identify those capital projects that have progressed which have not been first initiated from a Long Term Plan process.

We have considered the request as it relates from 2014/15 which covers part of the 2012-22 Long Term Plan, the 2015-25 Long Term Plan and the 2018-28 Long Term Plan (to date).

In providing this information we have excluded programmes of work such as renewal programmes. By way of example additional assets are invariably added to renewal programmes of work based on continuous condition assessment. Any additions to these programmes are generally not significant.

We have confined our answer to key projects which have a material value.

The following information is provided in response to your request:

Year	Project	Approval Process	Consultation
2019/20	Separation of Swimmers at the Hamilton Gardens	2019/20 Annual Plan	Annual Plan
2019/20	Seismic Strengthening Work	2019/20 Annual Plan	Annual Plan
2017/18	Water Supply - Eastern Bulkmain repairs	Finance Committee 29 May 2017	No consultation
2017/18	Stormwater - Valley Tce Remedial works	Council 21 September 2017	No consultation
2016/17	Eastern Bulk Water Main	Finance Committee 20 August 2017	No consultation Concept information
2015/16	Victoria on The River	Council Approval 15 Dec 2015	Transformation
2014/15	Bryce Street River Slip Remediation	Council 29 May 2014	No consultation

Your request was for this information since 2005. It would take a significant amount of effort to collate this information and would impact unreasonably on Council's day to day activities. We are therefore refusing your request for all information dating back to 2005 under Section 17(f) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 as the information requested cannot be made available without substantial collation or research.

If you would like this information to be provided by Council, you are welcome to lodge a new request with a reduced scope or Council could quote a charge for making the information available.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you wish to discuss your options moving forward.

If you have any concerns with the decision(s) referred to in this response, you have the right to request an investigation and review by the Ombudsman under section 27(3) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987.

For your information, the Ombudsman's contact details are:

**Email:** [info@ombudsman.parliament.nz](mailto:info@ombudsman.parliament.nz)

**Post:** PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143

**Telephone:** 0800 802 602

Kind regards,

**Michelle van Straalen**

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Please advise how you wish to proceed for any information prior to 2014

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**Subject:** LGOIMA 20135 - Capital Projects

Kia ora

I refer to your information request dated 11 June 2020 in respect of Capital Projects.

The LGOIMA requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days after the day we received your request. On 2 July 2020 we provided our response to Question 1 of your request. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to meet that time limit in respect to Question 2 and we are therefore writing to notify you of an extension of the time to make our decision, to 23 July 2020.

This extension is necessary because your request necessitates a search through a large quantity of information and meeting the original time limit would unreasonably interfere with our operations.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

If you wish to discuss any aspect of your request with us, including this decision, please feel free to contact me on the details below.

Kind regards,

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**Sent:** Thursday, 2 July 2020 3:35 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

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**Subject:** LGOIMA 20135 - Capital Projects

Kia ora

Further to your information request of 11 June 2020 in respect of Capital Projects, I am now able to provide part of Hamilton City Council's response.

Council have compiled and prepared a response to Question 1 (**below**).

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**Question:** Please provide a list of LTP approved capital projects and the \$value since FY2005 that have been deferred and the reason for their deferral.

**Response:** All information relating to the above request (excluding financial year 2005/6) is included in previous Council or Committee agendas and/or minutes, which can be found on the Hamilton City Council website ([https://www.hamilton.govt.nz/our-council/Council\\_meetings\\_and\\_public\\_information/meetings-and-minutes/Pages/default.aspx](https://www.hamilton.govt.nz/our-council/Council_meetings_and_public_information/meetings-and-minutes/Pages/default.aspx)).

Financial Year	Council / Committee	Date	Item
2018/19	Finance Committee	10 September 2019	12
2017/18	Finance Committee	28 August 2018	7
2016/17	Finance Committee	15 August 2017	6
2015/16	Finance Committee	18 August 2016	6
2014/15	Finance Committee	20 August 2015	9
2013/14	Finance Committee	14 August 2014	8

2012/13	Finance and Monitoring Committee	13 August 2013	8
2011/12	Council	16 August 2012	10
2010/11	Finance and Audit Committee	6 September 2011	4
2009/10	Finance and Audit Committee	13 September 2010	9
2008/9	Finance and Audit Committee	7 September 2009	3
2007/8	Finance and Audit Committee	8 September 2008	9
2006/7	Finance and Audit Committee	12 September 2007	9

The agenda for the Finance and Audit Committee on Monday, 4 September 2006 is attached. Item 9 provides a list of financial carryovers for the year ended 30 June 2006 (2005/6).

Council are continuing to compile a response to Question 2 of your request. We will be in contact once the information is prepared. We will endeavour to respond as soon as practicable and in any event no later than 9 July 2020, being 20 working days after the day we received your request.

Kind regards,

**Michelle van Straalen**

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**Subject:** LGOIMA 30135 - Capital Projects

Kia ora

I write to acknowledge your information request of 11 June 2020 in respect of capital projects.

Please be advised that your request has been passed on to the relevant team within Council and you will be informed of the outcome.

The Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 requires that we advise you of our decision on whether the Council will provide the requested information or not “as soon as reasonably practicable”, no later than 20 working days after the day we received your request. We will respond to you no later than 9 July 2020.

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**Subject:** HCC Website - Official Information Request ref: HCC-QF-200611-7YMHB-RI

## HCC Website - Official Information Request

**Reference:** HCC-QF-200611-7YMHB-RI

**Attachment:** not attached

**Name:** [REDACTED]

**Email address:** [REDACTED]

**Phone number:** [REDACTED]

### Detailed Description of Request

1. Please provide a list of LTP approved capital projects and the \$value since FY2005 that have been deferred and the reason for their deferral.
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**Organisation:** not supplied