



5 November 2020

Nikki Preston

Via email: Nikki.preston@nzherald.co.nz

Dear Nikki

Response to official information request for Mayor's expenses since 2019

I refer to your request for official information received 12 October 2020 relating to the Mayor's expenses. We have processed your request under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act (LGOIMA) 1987.

The information you requested is enclosed. The questions you specified have been included as numbered headings in bold below, with our response following each heading.

1. The total amount the mayor / chair has spent since being elected in 2019.

\$9,084.43

2. Please provide in a table a breakdown of these expenses line-by-line and details of what they were for. I.e. the table should consist of Item, Cost, Reason and Date. This should include any entertainment costs, office equipment, accommodation, gifts, travel etc.

Please refer to the attached spreadsheet which is split into two tabs; general expenses and fuel costs.

3. Separately could you please provide the cost of the mayoral car, it's value and what it is.

2019 Mitsubishi ASX. VRX 2WD CVT \$32,976.51. Current market value estimate \$25-28K.

If you wish to discuss this information with us, please feel free to contact Alison Wiley.

Ngā mihi

Wendy Walker
Chief Executive
Kaiwhakahaere Matua