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LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL INFORMATION AND MEETINGS ACT 1987: REQUEST FOR INFORMATION

Thank you for your email requesting information under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA). A decision has now been made on your request pursuant to section 13 of the LGOIMA, and to provide the information below.

In your request, you asked for a breakdown of all costs incurred/associated with Plan Change 4, including any spend on consultants, reports and FTE staff resources dedicated towards Plan Change 4.

The costs incurred for Plan Change 4 to date are:

Type	Cost (+ GST)
Consultant	\$14,237.83
Legal	\$2,439.00
Notification costs (to fulfil RMA Schedule 1 public notification requirements)	\$6,351.41
Total	\$23,028.24

Please note that we do not account internally for staff time unless it is capitalised, and this is an operational project. I am therefore refusing that part of your request pursuant to section 17(g) of the LGOIMA, because we do not hold the information requested.

If you are not satisfied with my response, you are entitled to request a review by the Ombudsman. Further information can be obtained from the following website www.ombudsman.parliament.nz.

Please note that this response may be published on our website. All personal information will be removed.

Nāku noa, nā



Steven Perdia
CHIEF EXECUTIVE