

25 March 2021



Kia ora Sir/Madam

I am writing regarding Local Government Official Information and Meeting Act 1987 (LGOIMA) request for following information

*Please kindly provide the total rates collected by Council over the last 20 years (provide this year by year).*

The information is publicly available for the period from 2008-2009 to 2019-2020 via a link to the Dunedin City Council Annual Reports <https://www.dunedin.govt.nz/council/annual-reports> The information can be located in the Council Financial Statistics section of the Annual Report. Please note that the 2008-2009 Annual Report includes the 2006 and 2007 years.

As we have not provided information for the period 2001 to 2005 due to substantial collusion, therefore, pursuant to section 17(f) of LGOIMA, we decline to provide this information.

*Please further provide the dollar value over the same period on water, sewage reticulation, infrastructure, fireworks displays and refurbishing Council housing for low income people.*

Please note that any information available is provided as above.

*Please also provide the population for the city year by year for the past 20 years.*

This information is not held by Council, therefore this has been declined pursuant to section 17(g) of the Local Government Information and Meetings Act 1987.

As this part of your request has been declined, you are advised that you have the right to seek a review of this decision by the Office of the Ombudsman. Information on how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz).

Ngā mihi

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