

## Wendy Collard

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**Subject:** FW: Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA) Request

Kia ora Cas

I am writing in response to your LGOIMA request received 12 December 2022. For ease of reference I have provided a copy of your request below.

Below are the answers to your questions raised.

**Question: How many Infringement notices did the DCC's parking enforcement team issue in each of the past three years?**

**Answer:** Jan 20 – Dec 20 - infringement notices issued = 43,653  
Jan 21 – Dec 21 - infringement notices issued = 34,441  
Jan 22 – Dec 22 - infringement notices issued = 34,355

**Question: What was the total collection (\$) from those notices?**

**Answer:** Jan 20 – Dec 20 - infringement notices issued = \$1,588,107.00  
Jan 21 – Dec 21 - infringement notices issued = \$1,641,714.00  
Jan 22 – Dec 22 - infringement notices issued = \$2,161,614.00

**Question: How many infringement notices did the two most prolific parking wardens issue in each of those years (e.g. officer a, b or c for e.g.)?**

**Answer:** Please see the table below which is by calendar year.

**Question: How many tickets was that for each prolific warden?**

**Answer:** Please see the table below which is by calendar year. (Note: These are not necessarily the same officers)

	Number of infringements issued
2020	7,007 6,813
2021	6,920 6,464
2022	7,826 5,849

**Question: What was their total value?**

**Answer:** Total value of the above issued infringements \$1,945,814.00

**Question: How long have those wardens been in their roles?**

**Answer:** This request is declined pursuant to Section 7 (2) (a) of LGOIMA to protect the privacy of natural persons.

**Question: What are the role and purpose of the parking enforcement team?**

**Answer:** The powers of a parking warden are set out in the Land Transport Act 1998 and include, amongst others, the issuing of infringement notices to enforce parking restrictions. A parking warden may also remove vehicles from roads in certain situations. The wardens focus on safety, ensuring that vehicles are safely parked and do not present a risk to the public, they educate customers in relation to safe parking behaviour. Parking wardens maintain the flow of traffic in commercial and retail areas by enforcing time restrictions to accommodate customer parking spaces.

The Land Transport Act 1998, section 128E Powers of a Parking Warden  
1 (a) may enforce the provisions of any stationary vehicle offence or special lane offence

**Question: What is the officer performance based on?**

**Answer:** Performance expectations are based upon the requirements of the position description, including; safety of the public, a commitment to, timely responses, customer focused services, understanding of appropriate regulations and legislation utilised by wardens in their duty.

**Question: What incentives or bonuses are there for writing infringement notices?**

**Answer:** There are no incentives or bonuses for issuing infringement notices.

As we have declined to provide some information you are advised that you have the right to seek a review of this decision by the Office of the Ombudsman.

Kā mihi

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### ***Request Text***

How many Infringement notices did the DCC's parking enforcement team issue in each of the past three years?

What was the total collection (\$) from those notices?

How many infringement notices did the two most prolific parking wardens issue in each of those years (e.g. officer a, b or c for e.g.)?

How many tickets was that for each prolific warden?

What was their total value?

How long have those wardens been in their roles?

What are the role and purpose of the parking enforcement team?

What is the officer performance based on?

What incentives or bonuses are there for writing infringement notices?