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Request from:	Oliver Bryan – New Zealand Taxpayers' Union
Information requested:	Council's yearly expenditure on flowers and bottled water
Response by:	Simon Bastion, Chief Executive

06 July 2023

Oliver Bryan
NZ Taxpayers' Union

Via Email: oliver@taxpayers.org.nz

Dear Oliver

Official information request for council's yearly expenditure on flowers and bottled water

I refer to your official information request dated 30 June 2023 for council's yearly expenditure on flowers and bottled water.

You have asked for the following information:

1. Total expenditure on bottled water in 2022?

Zero

- a. Please provide the total amount spend on bottled water, including the cost of procurement, delivery and any other associated expense.

N/A

2. Total expenditure on flowers in 2022?

From 01 January 2022 to 31 December 2022 \$2160.00

- a. Please provide the total amount spent on flowers, including any cost related to procurement, arrangements and maintenance.

Breakdown	Cost
Bereavement x 11	\$975.00
6 Anzac Wreaths x 1	\$720.00
Council related	\$465.00
Total	\$2160.00

3. Total expenditure on bottle water from January 2023 up to and including June 2023?

Zero

4. Total expenditure on flowers from January 2023 up to and including June 2023?

Breakdown	Cost
Bereavement x 1	\$110.00
6 Anzac Wreaths x 1	\$720.00
Council related	\$10.00
Total	\$840.00

There is no charge in supplying this information to you.

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If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Mary-anne Bell, Business Analyst at LGOIMA@westlanddc.govt.nz, 03 756 9091.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, consisting of a series of loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Simon Bastion | Chief Executive

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