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## LGOIMA

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<b>Request from:</b>	New Zealand Taxpayers' Union
<b>Information requested:</b>	Mayoral/Council vehicle information
<b>Response by:</b>	Simon Bastion, Chief Executive

17 March 2023

Daniel Merry  
New Zealand Taxpayers's Union

Via Email: [dan@taxpayers.org.nz](mailto:dan@taxpayers.org.nz)

Dear Daniel

**Official information request for Mayoral/Council vehicle information**

I refer to your official information request dated 10 March 2023 for Mayoral/Council vehicle information.

You have asked for the following information:

1. **How many cars does your council own that are used by the Mayor?**  
Zero.
2. **How many cars does your council own that are used by the Chief Executive?**  
One.
3. **How many cars are owned that are to be used by any other members of the council's executive leadership?**  
Zero.
4. **How many times has the council rented cars for any elected members in the year to date?**  
Zero.
5. **What are the costs of purchasing, leasing, maintenance, fuel or any other related costs of each of the aforementioned answers?**

Chief Executive	
Purchase	\$36,539.00
Fuel	\$3,756.00
Service	\$243.00
E-Roads	\$287.00
Registration	\$89.00

There is no charge in supplying this information to you.

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the Privacy Act 2020. Westland District Council's Privacy Statement is available on our website [here](#)

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

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, consisting of several overlapping loops and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

**Simon Bastion** | Chief Executive

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