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Kia ora,

We refer to your information request below. Hamilton City Council provides the following response.

**Your request:**

1. *Voting records for the meetings by councillors at meetings held in 2023 and 2024 in the transport infrastructure committee meetings. Voting records for councillors in the finance committee meetings for 2023-24*
2. *Voting records for all the councillors who vote for public excluded meetings in all committees in chambers in 2023-24*
3. *Number of public excluded meetings in 2023 and 2024 by all committees and all meetings in chambers*

**Our response:**

1. ***Voting records for the meetings by councillors at meetings held in 2023 and 2024 in the transport infrastructure committee meetings. Voting records for councillors in the finance committee meetings for 2023-24***

- This information is publicly available on our website here:

<https://hamilton.govt.nz/your-council/meetings/calendar/> There is a option on the web page where you can select which council / committee meeting you want to view and then the dates that you want to see the Agenda and Minutes. The voting records are in the minutes for the meeting under each item.

2. ***Voting records for all the councillors who vote for public excluded meetings in all committees in chambers in 2023-24***

We have interpreted this question as “which councillors have voted to move into Public Excluded at each meeting?”. In the link provided above to the calendar in each committee / meeting, in the minutes you will find the voting record for the resolution to move to the public excluded section of the meeting. If we have interpreted this question incorrectly, please let us know by responding to this email with your clarification.

3. ***Number of public excluded meetings in 2023 and 2024 by all committees and all meetings in chambers***

- In the link provided above to the calendar in each committee / meeting, at the end of each agenda and minutes there will be an indication that the meeting as a public

excluded item. There are some rare circumstances where there will be public excluded items in the middle of a meeting and then go back to open meeting. This is also indicated in the agenda and minutes.

Therefore, we are refusing your request in accordance with S17(d) – of LGOIMA – this information is already publicly available.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

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Subject: [Mass email/Possible SPAM] Official Information request - Voting records 2023-24

Dear Hamilton City Council,

Hello,

Could you please supply the following:

1. Voting records for the meetings by councillors at meetings held in 2023 and 2024 in the transport infrastructure committee meetings.

Voting records for councillors in the finance committee meetings for 2023-24 2. Voting records for all the councillors who vote for public excluded meetings in all committees in chambers in 2023-24 3. Number of public excluded meetings in 2023 and 2024 by all committees and all meetings in chambers

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Yours faithfully,

[REDACTED]

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