



OIA Ref: #20-078

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Dear [REDACTED]

**Response to official information request for rates income**

I refer to your request for official information received 29 July 2020 relating to rates income for Porirua City Council.

We have processed your request under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act (LGOIMA) 1987.

The information you requested is enclosed. The questions you specified have been included as numbered headings in bold below, with our response following.

**1. The total sum of all rates that were invoiced by Porirua City Council for the period 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020**

The total rates invoiced was \$92,339,174.04. Please note, this amount includes GST and Greater Wellington Regional Council (GWRC) rates.

**2. The total sum of the invoices sent to Porirua rate payers in April 2020 for Instalment 4**

The total sum was \$23,137,700.90. Please note, this amount includes GST, and GWRC rates.

**3. Does Porirua City Council operate on a Cash or Invoice basis for GST and Taxation purposes?**

Porirua City Council operates on an invoice basis for GST purposes. Porirua City Council is not subject to income tax.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Stephen Woolley, Financial Advisor via email: [stephen.woolley@porirucity.govt.nz](mailto:stephen.woolley@porirucity.govt.nz) or phone: 04 237 1416.

Ngā mihi

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