

6 July 2023

Tēnā koe

Thank you for your email of 8 June 2023, where you requested additional information under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act), following the Ministry's response to you of 8 June 2023.

You have asked:

The information provided is incomplete. Please provide details for all councils individually since they are separate legal entities. Please provide the amount of funding given individually itemwise, Purpose of each funding individually.

On 21 June 2023, the Ministry responded and explained to you that any organisations that you had listed which did not feature in our 8 June 2023 tabled response did not receive any funding over the period of interest.

On 22 June 2023, you responded:

I think the message has not got down correctly. What I mean is that the information already provided by you should be provided for Individual councils as you have clubbed all details. Please provide the details in your table individually. Please expedite as its already too late. We can talk if needed.

Please see the **Appendix** which provides the contract name and funding breakdown for your listed organisations that have had a contract within or part of the 2022/23 financial year (as-at 26 May 2023). Any organisations not listed have not had any contract(s) with the Ministry during the 2022/23 financial year.

The principles and purposes of the Official Information Act 1982 under which you made your request are:

- to create greater openness and transparency about the plans, work and activities of the Government,
- to increase the ability of the public to participate in the making and administration of our laws and policies and

to lead to greater accountability in the conduct of public affairs.

This Ministry fully supports those principles and purposes. The Ministry therefore intends to make the information contained in this letter and any attached documents available to the wider public. The Ministry will do this by publishing this letter on the Ministry's website. Your personal details will be deleted, and the Ministry will not publish any information that would identify you as the person who requested the information.

If you wish to discuss this response with us, please feel free to contact OIA Requests@msd.govt.nz.

If you are not satisfied with this response, you have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or 0800 802 602.

Ngā mihi nui

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Appendix: Amount of funding for some organisations in the list that you have provided that have had a contract within or part of the 2022/23 financial year (as-at 26 May 2023).¹

Provider Legal Name	Contract Name	Total
Manawatu Multicultural Council Incorporated	Community Connection Service	\$663,211.00
Muilticultural Association Hawkes Bay Incorporated	 Community Connection Service Building Provider Capability and Resilience Fund CPF - Provider Capability Protection Framework Food Support COVID 19 	\$677,933.50
Tairawhiti Multicultural Council Incorporated	 Community Connection Service Community Support Package Grant CPF - Provider Capability Protection Framework Food Support COVID 19 	\$190,097.00
Te Aoraki Multicultural Council Incorporated	 Community Connection Service Community Gardening Project Protection Framework Food Support COVID 19 Ready to Rent Workshop Timaru 	\$898,161.00
Waitaki Multi Cultural Council Incorporated	CFR Extension Funding	\$5,000.00
Grand Total		\$2,434,402.50

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 $^{^{1}}$ Any organisations that you had listed which did not feature in our 8 June 2023 tabled response did not receive any funding over the period of interest.