

Reference Number: 2023/970

13 June 2023

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Email: [REDACTED]

Tēnā koe [REDACTED]

Response - Official Information Request

I refer to your request for information received on 18 May 2023. Your request has been considered under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA) and I provide the following information.

“Road maintenance, dust complaints, and their nature”

Please find attached as requested the information in CVS Excel format.

You are entitled to seek an investigation and review by the Office of the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or free phone 0800 802 602.

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If you have any queries regarding this information, please contact the LGOIMA Officer on LGOIMAOfficer@horowhenua.govt.nz

Ngā mihi



Steve McTaylor-Biggs
Executive Sponsor

Length of Unsealed Road HDC Own/Manage	52km
Total Length of Roads Including Asphalt HDC Manage	586km
Total Spend On Unsealed Road Maintenance To Date 2022/23 - Includes Metalling, grading and maintenance works	\$93,513
Total Spend On All Road Maintenance Unsealed and Sealed to Date 2022/23	\$500,487
Number of Dust Related Complaints Over The Last 5 Years	2
What the nature of the complaint is? I.e., complaints from gravel road users or residents who live near dust sources such as gravel roads and the location of the complaint i.e., road name.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Resident on Wairiri Street Ohau, advised more houses built on the road which is creating more dust from vehicles. Received July 2019 2. Resident on Gladstone Road Levin, complaint about the dust covering washing on the line and section, received November 2019.
The spend on dust suppressants if used? And the area treated in square meters and linear meters of road.	\$0
Any health and safety, and environmental incidents which have occurred because of excess dust	None
If possible, the type of dust suppressant used	N/A