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## OFFICIAL INFORMATION REQUEST FOR COST OF WATER - RAW, TREATED AND DISPOSAL

I refer to your official information request dated 23 August 2021 for any information on either the cost of raw water in different regions, treatment cost or disposal cost.

The costs associated with managing our water and wastewater network can be found within the Nelson City Councils Long Term Plan 2021-31 (LTP). Please refer to pages 251, 252, 260 and 261 of this LTP for more information. A link to this plan can be found on Council's website at:

http://www.nelson.govt.nz/council/plans-strategies-policies/long-term-plans/long-term-plan-2021-2031/

In terms of information in relation to other regions, other councils will also have their own LTP's on their websites which will contain their water supply, wastewater, and disposal costs. There is also information on the Department of Internal Affairs website with regard to the Three Waters Reform programme as information has been collected from all councils on three waters operations. You can access this through Council's website available at <a href="https://shape.nelson.govt.nz/three-waters-reform">https://shape.nelson.govt.nz/three-waters-reform</a> as this includes links to the Department of Internal Affairs.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this response. Information about how to make a complaint is available at <a href="https://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz">www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</a> or Freephone 0800 802 602.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact David Light at <a href="mailto:David.Light@ncc.govt.nz">David.Light@ncc.govt.nz</a> or on 03 546 0359.

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