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Dear [REDACTED]

OFFICIAL INFORMATION REQUEST FOR LOW & ZERO EMISSION VEHICLES

I refer to your official information request dated 14 March 2024 for the following questions in relation to Nelson City Council's (NCC) low and zero emission vehicles.

The information you requested is below.

- **What percentage of the fleet do they (low & zero emission vehicles) make up?**

The total number of vehicles we have in our fleet is 41. This includes:

x19 Utes

x3 diesel vans

x7 petrol vehicles

x1 diesel SUV

x2 Hybrid vehicles

x4 PHEV's

x5 EV's

Therefore, 11 of our 41 vehicles are low or zero emission which is 26.83%

- **What strategy are you (NCC) are following in EV charging infrastructure?**

NCC is currently investigating optimisation opportunities in Council fleet and a transition to EVs. As part of this optimisation strategy, Council will consider the EV charging solution that will support Council's transition to a zero/low emission fleet. Charging solutions will be designed and implemented ensuring that can meet NCC's fleet operating requirements in the most cost effective and sustainable way. This will be targeted at key sites and in accordance with the optimisation and transition plan.

- **Are you (NCC) using telematics to inform decisions around which vehicles to swap out for EVs?**

Yes, NCC are currently using GPS tracking data to help investigate where EV/low emission vehicle alternatives can replace current Internal Combustion Engine (ICE) vehicles.

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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 www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or Freephone 0800 802 602.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Taylor Zaroni on (03) 546 0200.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'R. Van Orden', is written on a light yellow rectangular background.

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