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Dear Alex

RE: OFFICIAL INFORMATION REQUEST

In response to your request for information contained in your email received on 3 April 2012,

I will provide my response in the order that you requested the information.

1. The Upper Hutt City Council does open Council meetings with a prayer.
2. Attached is a copy of the prayer.
3. I am unable to find information on when the prayer was first established. Therefore, under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987, section 17(e) the information requested cannot be found.
4. The Council has not considered abolishing the prayer.

I believe I have satisfied your request for information, however if you are dissatisfied with my decision, you are entitled to request that the Ombudsmen review it under section 27 of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987.

Yours faithfully



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