

22 April 2015

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Dear A O'Sullivan

Official Information Request Response

Thank you for your information request, submitted via the fyi.org.nz website on 25 February 2015, and your patience whilst the Council collated the information and prepared its response.

Please find the Council's response to each part of your request as follows:

- a) Please supply the number of employees advanced from below the Living Wage to the Living Wage since its adoption beginning 1 July 2014.

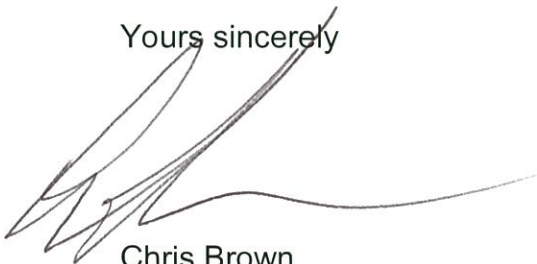
Of our active employees, 252 have advanced from below a living wage rate equivalent in 2013 to the living wage rate equivalent since 1 July 2014 up to and including 30 March 2015.

- b) What is the additional annual cost to the Council (ratepayers) of these increases, viz the annualised difference between the original rate and the new rate.

The additional cost can only be estimated as the majority of these employees work variable hours, the additional cost per annum is estimated to be \$275,482.48

If you have any questions, please contact me.

Yours sincerely



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