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Response to your official information request

Thank you for your official information request received on 10 September 2024 for information regarding Toitū Te Whenua Land Information New Zealand's (LINZ) participation in the Wall Walk course.

1. The total number of staff sent to courses run by wall walks in each of the last three years.
2. Please break down number of staff sent by year.
3. Please indicate what course/workshop/ training each staff member was involved in is called.
4. The total amount spent on sending staff to Wall Walks courses over the last three years.
5. Please break the total amount spent on sending staff to Wall Walks courses down by year.

For requests 1 -5 please see **Attachment 1**.

6. The value of any other funding provided to wall walks, broken down by date, funding purpose, office location and amount.

There has been no further funding provided by LINZ to the Wall Walk.

7. Please provide emails, reports, messages or any other correspondence for the reasoning of staff being sent on these courses and specify whether participation in these courses was compulsory or not.
8. Please provide a copy of documentation including but not limited to emails, reports, messages or any other correspondence that explains the content included in the course or description of activities undertaken through wall walks, or any associated courses/training.

For requests 7 and 8, please see **Attachment 2a-2i**

Please note we are not sharing course materials, content, or description of activities provided by the Wall Walk under Section 9(2)(b)(ii) of the OIA – unreasonably prejudice the commercial position of a person.

9. Please provide emails, reports, messages or any other correspondence for any measurable outcomes from your agency attending Wall Walk courses.

LINZ conducted a feedback survey after the courses took place, and the below is high-level analysis of this feedback:

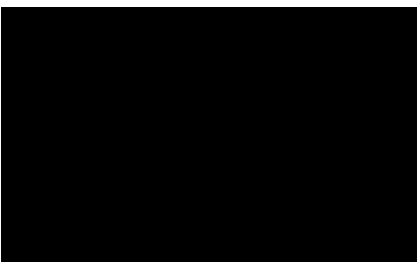
- 97% of attendees identified that the course would assist in their role at LINZ.
- 81% of attendees identified the course increased their understanding of New Zealand history and Te Tiriti o Waitangi.
- 68% of attendees were highly likely to recommend this course to colleagues.

Please note we have redacted all names under Section 9(2)(a) of the OIA - to protect the privacy of natural persons.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note, this response letter outlining our decision on your request, **with your personal details withheld**, and any attached documentation will be published on the Toitū Te Whenua Land Information New Zealand website. This is likely to be published by 31 October 2024.

Nāku noa, nā



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