

OIR: 2324/936

10 June 2024

Tēnā koe

**Request for Information under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (the Act) (the LGOIMA)**

Thank you for your email of **21 May 2024** requesting the following information:

**1. Total given to “The Rebel Business School” by your organisation and or CCO’S broken down by year.**

Please find in the table below the total amount of funding given to the “The Rebel Business School” broken down by year:

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>AMOUNT</b>	<b>ORGANISATION</b>
2022/23	\$18,000	The Rebel Business School
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$18,000</b>	

For completeness, I note that that Rebel Business School previously operated as the “Pop Up Business School Aotearoa”. I have provided details of funding to this entity broken down by year:

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>AMOUNT</b>	<b>ORGANISATION</b>
2017/18	\$11,000	Pop Up Business School Aotearoa*
2018/19	\$20,000	Pop Up Business School Aotearoa*
2019/20	\$13,905	Pop Up Business School Aotearoa*
2020/21	\$16,700	Pop Up Business School Aotearoa*
2021/22	\$1,000	Pop Up Business School Aotearoa*

**2. The reasoning behind your organisation beginning these deals.**

Support for these courses was provided in alignment with the Kapiti Coast Economic Development Strategy and the focus on growing skills and capability.

This includes a specific action to work with Wellington NZ and other Partners to

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deliver business workshops and increase access to training. Training was provided to local residents looking to establish a business, as well as existing business owners.

**3. Total citizen completed certificated since beginning funding this program.**

Total number of participants: 209

**a) Please add how many courses have been funded and there dates.**

There have been 5 courses delivered, with the following table providing a breakdown of the year the course was delivered and the number of participants that attended the course.

<b>YEAR</b>	<b>NO OF PARTICIPANTS</b>
2018	66
2019	50
2020	45
2021	31
2023	17
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>209</b>

**4. Have issues been raised on the attendance.**

I can confirm that we are not aware of any issues regarding attendance. However, we understand that because it is a multi-day programme that not all participants are able to attend all of the sessions in person. I understand that where this occurs participants are provided access to the material and also have access to the Alumni network after the course in to provide ongoing support.

**a) Such as not attending the whole course but still getting a certificate.**

I confirm that we are not aware of any issues regarding this matter.

Ngā mihi,



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Te Kaihautū Rautaki me te Tupu