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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 **14 June 2024** requesting the following information:

***All information which the Kapiti Coast District Council (KCDC), or any person acting for the KCDC, has created or maintained or had regard to, since 1 January 2023, for the purpose of considering and/or addressing emissions produced by combustion - excluding emissions produced by any vehicle.***

Council considers many sources of emissions for Council's annual GHG corporate emissions inventory report, including combustion. For the 22/23FY period, Council had two sources of emissions from combustion (excluding vehicles) verified under the Toitū carbonreduce programme:

- stationary combustion (natural gas), primarily used for heating Council's pools, and
- wood pellets used at the Paraparaumu Wastewater Treatment Plant to dry biosolids.

You can find more information on these emissions in the latest GHG inventory audit report from the following link:

<https://www.kapiticoast.govt.nz/media/z05dvxtq/toitu-carbon-reduce-ghg-emissions-inventory-report-2022-23.pdf>

In June 2023, Council approved options to reduce emissions, including from natural gas use at the Ōtaki and Waikanae pools by replacing the existing gas boilers with electric heat pumps. To work towards reducing overall corporate emission with 15.5% by 2032.

*Please note that any information provided in response to your request may be published on the Council website, with your personal details removed.*

You can find more information on this advice in agenda item 10.4 - Council's corporate emissions reduction targets from the link below:

[https://kapiticoast.infocouncil.biz/RedirectToDoc.aspx?URL=Open/2023/06/CO\\_20230629\\_AGN\\_2519\\_AT.PDF](https://kapiticoast.infocouncil.biz/RedirectToDoc.aspx?URL=Open/2023/06/CO_20230629_AGN_2519_AT.PDF)

Ngā mihi,



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