

23 March 2023

George Russell  
Via FYI website

Kia ora George,

### **Wellington Pride Parade**

Thank you for your request made under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (the Act), received on 21 February 2023. You requested the following information:

- *all communications between Council staff or Councillors and Wellington International Pride Inc in the last 12 months.*
- *all communications, internal or external, regarding the Wellington International Pride Parade in the last 12 months.*

Wellington City Council has granted your request for information.

Wellington City Council staff had discussions with the group regarding a possible parade in 2022 for the coming year. Council staff had a meeting with a representative from Wellington International Pride on 1 February 2023 who confirmed that the parade would not be going ahead. Councillors have advised that there were no communications held with Wellington International Pride Inc.

Below are the documents that fall in scope of your request and my decision to release the document. Any redactions made are for privacy reasons under section 7(2)(a) of the Act.

<b>Item</b>	<b>Document name/description</b>	<b>Decision</b>
1.	(12 September 2022) Approved Road Closures Pride Parade	Release
2.	(20 July 2022) Road closure	Release
3.	(May 2022) 11 March 2023 WIPP	Release
4.	(October 2022) RE: Wellington International Pride Parade Quotes	Release

Please note, we may release our response to your request.

Thank you again for your request, if you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Kind regards

Claudia Holgate  
**Senior Advisor, Official Information**