

05 September 2023

s9(2)(a)

Thank you for your request of 15 August 2023 to Hamilton City Council, for the following information under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA):

*Can you please help me with list of address of area?  
Huntington  
flagstaff  
rototuna  
rototuna-north*

On 17 August 2023, your request was transferred to Kāinga Ora – Homes and Communities under section 12 of the LGOIMA. Your request is being considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

I can advise you that as at 31 July 2023, Kāinga Ora had 3,428 state housing properties across the Hamilton City Territorial Local Authority, some of which are in the suburbs you refer to in your request.

However, Kāinga Ora has an obligation to protect the privacy of our customers and as a result, we do not publish or freely provide the addresses of our properties. I have therefore decided to withhold the addresses of our properties in the suburbs you have requested under section 9(2)(a) of the Act, ‘...to protect the privacy of natural persons.’

In making my decision, I have considered the public interest considerations in section 9(1) of the Act, however I do not consider the withholding of the information from this response is outweighed by public interest considerations in making that information available.

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 <https://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz> or by freephone on 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely



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