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Kia ora James

### **Official Information request – Karepa Wall and Treaty of Waitangi Display at Te Papa**

Thank you for your request made under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (the Act), received on 30 January 2024. You requested the following information:

- “... the salary amount of Karepa Wall, Tātai Heke Māori/Chief Māori Officer.
- ... all communications if any between Karepa Wall and Te Papa Museum or its representatives between December 2023 and January 30th concerning the English Te Tiriti display panel or anything at all to do with the Treaty of Waitangi.”

Wellington City Council is **withholding** all information about the salary paid to Karepa Wall, under section 7(2)(a) of the Act. All personnel details, including conditions of employment, are confidential to the employer and employee, and so are withheld to protect the privacy of the individuals concerned.

Wellington City Council has **refused** your request for information about communications between Karepa Wall and Te Papa officers and representatives, under section 17(e) of the Act, as there have been no communications between these parties.

#### **Right of review**

If you are not satisfied with the Council’s response, you may request the Office of the Ombudsman to investigate the Council’s decision. Further information is available on the Ombudsman website, [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz).

Please note, we may proactively release our response to your request with your personal information removed.

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

Kind regards

Susan Sales

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