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Official information request 8140013227 (Please quote this in any correspondence)

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Tēnā koe Hamish

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Re: Public Rubbish Bin locations & removals

Thank you for your email dated 22 February 2024, in which you requested information about Auckland Council's litter bin removal project. The specific details of your request and our response are below.

Please provide the location of the bins as identified in Auckland Councils review of Rubbish Bins - https://ourauckland.aucklandcouncil.govt.nz/news/2024/02/removing-under-used-rubbish-bins-saves-aucklanders-millions/).

Specifically, as part of the above project, Auckland Council considered the location and usage of the relevant bins in public spaces. I'm seeking the location of the relevant bins that were assessed, and a list of which bins were removed as part of the optimization process.

For example, a GIS file or similar of the ~10,000 bin locations that were assessed, with the ~3,000 bins that were marked for removal noted in the data please.

Please refer to the attached 'Bin Removal Data' containing the total list of bin locations (as x, y coordinates) and those bins proposed for removal as of October 2023, following assessment by Parks and Community Facilities staff and informal feedback from local boards.

Please note, for the four Local Boards, Papakura, Manurewa, Franklin, and Rodney, who decided to contribute Locally Driven Initiative funding to retain their bins, their bin locations are in the 'To Be Retained' column.

The removal of the bins is still in progress and is anticipated to be completed in approximately early May, the locations of all bins that have been removed will then be able to be confirmed.

Decisions relating to the information that is being released to you were made by **Taryn Crewe**, **General Manager - Parks and Community Facilities**.

You have the right to complain to the Ombudsman if you believe we have not responded appropriately to your request. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

If you have any further queries, please contact me on 09 301 0101 quoting official information request number 8140013227.

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