

16 June 23		
By email to:		

Dear

## **OFFICIAL INFORMATION ACT REQUEST 2023/23**

On Thursday 15 June 2023 you made a request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the OIA) for the following information:

I am looking for results of the 2020 general election that are broken down to the smallest possible area. As far as I know, only electorate-level counts are published. If you have data for individual polling places, or even better, for the meshblocks that Stats NZ uses, that would be great.

The information you have requested is publicly available. Election results including votes recorded at each voting place can be found at <u>electionresults.govt.nz</u>.

Votes recorded at each voting place for the 2020 General Election can be found here <u>Votes Recorded</u> at each <u>Voting Place (electionresults.govt.nz)</u>.

In the interests of transparency, we release responses to Official Information Act requests every 3 months. We will publish this response with your personal details redacted.

You have the right under section 28(3) of the Act to make a complaint to the Ombudsman if you are not satisfied with the response to your request. Information about how to do this is available at <a href="https://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz">www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</a> or by phoning 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely

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