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Request from:	Claudia Cooper NZ Taxpayers Union
Information requested:	Staff employed and Covid-19
Response from:	Te Aroha Cook, Acting Chief Executive

11 January 2021

Claudia Cooper
Taxpayers' Union

Via Email: requests@taxpayers.org.nz

Dear Claudia

Official information request for the number of staff employed at Westland District Council.

I refer to your official information request dated 08 December 2020 for the number of staff employed at Westland District Council.

You have asked for the following information:

1. How many staff were employed at your Council as of 28 February 2020 and as of 30 November 2020 (please provide both the FTE figure and the number employed).

Date	Employee Count	FTE
29/02/2020	53	48.55
30/11/2020	59	53.825

2. What is the total number of staff that have been laid off due to Covid-19?

Nil

There is no charge in supplying this information to you.

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If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Mary-anne Bell, Senior Administration Assistant at LGOIMA@westlanddc.govt.nz, 03 756 9091.

Sincerely,



Te Aroha Cook | Acting Chief Executive

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