



Dear

Re: Official Information Act Request:

Thank you for your email on 31 March, partially transferred to EECA on 2 April, in which you requested information under the Official Information Act 1982. In the portion of your request transferred to EECA, you requested:

2. How many new EV chargers have been installed as a result of the charges?

The road user charges for Electric Vehicles you reference, were introduced 1 April 2024. Since then, 214 Electric vehicle chargers have been installed, according to EECA's Public EV charger dashboard<sup>1</sup>.

However, as EECA does not hold information regarding reason of installation, it is not possible to determine how many chargers have been installed specifically <u>as a result</u> of road user charges.

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 <a href="https://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz">www.ombudsman.parliament.nz</a> or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that it is our policy to proactively release our responses to official information requests where possible. Our response to your request will be published shortly at <a href="https://www.eeca.govt.nz/about/news-and-corporate/official-information/">https://www.eeca.govt.nz/about/news-and-corporate/official-information/</a> with your personal information removed.

Yours sincerely

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> https://www.eeca.govt.nz/insights/data-tools/public-ev-charger-dashboard/