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Local Government Official Information Request

Thank you for your request for information from Council. All requests to the Council for information are required to be considered in accordance with the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA). More information about how the Council handles LGOIMA requests can be found in the Council's LGOIMA Request Policy which is available on the Council's website [LGOIMA Request Policy: Rangitikei District Council](#).

Your request for information was received on 10 November 2025 and requested information about number of ratepayers within the Rangitikei District and the definition of a rating unit that Rangitikei District Council use. Your questions and our response can be found below:

Question 1:

The total number of ratepayers within the Rangitikei District Council and the date that this is relevant for.

Response:

As at 12 November 2025, the total number of rateable properties within the Rangitikei District is 8,340.

Question 2:

Additionally a quick note on how your council defines a "rating unit," just so I'm consistent across all councils. If the information is already publicly available, a link would be awesome.

Response:

Councils definition of a "rating unit" can be found on page 137 of it's Long Term Plan 2024-34, which is available on Council's website (www.rangitikei.govt.nz), and via the following link: [Wheres-it-@-Rangitikei-Long-Term-Plan-2024-34-Adopted-27-June-2024.pdf](#)

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 www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that it is our policy to proactively release our responses to official information requests, where appropriate. Our response to your request will be published shortly at <https://www.rangitikei.govt.nz/council/about/contact-us/official-information> with your personal information removed.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to email lgoima@rangitikei.govt.nz.

Yours sincerely,

LGOIMA Officer
Rangitikei District Council

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