

Council Costs Burial & Cremations									
Region	2024 Burials	2025 Burials	% increase	2024 Ash burial	2025 Ash burial	% increase	2024 Cremation	2025 Cremation	% increase
Christchurch	\$ 3,356	\$ 3,356	0%	\$ 849	\$ 849	0%			
Dunedin	\$ 5,597	\$ 5,877	5%	\$ 829	\$ 870	5%	\$ 1,126	\$ 1,182	5%
Far North District Council	\$ 2,212	\$ 2,270	3%	\$ 762	\$ 782	3%			
Hamilton City Council	\$ 4,841	\$ 5,315	10%	\$ 1,307	\$ 1,510	13%	\$ 630	\$ 695	10%
Hastings	\$ 4,220	\$ 4,640	10%	\$ 1,440	\$ 1,995	28%	\$ 935	\$ 1,250	34%
Invercargill	\$ 2,915	\$ 3,355	15%	\$ 820	\$ 945	13%	\$ 1,130	\$ 1,300	15%
Makara - Wellington	\$ 1,770	\$ 1,823	3%	\$ 497	\$ 512	3%			
Manukau Memorial Gardens	\$ 6,400	\$ 6,570	3%	\$ 2,950	\$ 3,080	4%	\$ 785	\$ 750	-4%
Marlborough	\$ 5,572	\$ 6,611	19%	\$ 1,971	\$ 2,338	16%			
Napier	\$ 3,924	\$ 3,825	-3%	\$ 895	\$ 932	4%			
Nelson	\$ 4,523	\$ 4,622	2%	\$ 1,253	\$ 1,281	2%	\$ 867	\$ 1,057	22%
New Plymouth	\$ 7,207	\$ 7,207	0%	\$ 1,900	\$ 1,959	3%	\$ 936	\$ 965	3%
North Shore Memorial Park	\$ 6,400	\$ 6,570	3%	\$ 1,915	\$ 2,630	27%	\$ 785	\$ 750	-4%
Palmerston North	\$ 3,549	\$ 3,656	3%	\$ 992	\$ 1,022	3%	\$ 730	\$ 780	7%
Rotorua	\$ 3,050	\$ 3,184	4%	\$ 505	\$ 527	4%	\$ 603	\$ 630	4%
South Waikato	\$ 2,510	\$ 2,715	8%	\$ 700	\$ 720	3%			
Taupo	\$ 1,170	\$ 1,455	24%	\$ 202	\$ 365	45%			
Tauranga	\$ 5,450	\$ 5,614	3%	\$ 1,473	\$ 1,642	10%	\$ 950	\$ 979	3%
Waikato District Council	\$ 4,790	\$ 4,790	0%	\$ 734	\$ 734	0%			
Waikumete	\$ 6,400	\$ 6,570	3%	\$ 2,950	\$ 3,080	4%	\$ 785	\$ 750	-4%
Wairoa District Council	\$ 2,960	\$ 3,100	5%	\$ 630	\$ 645	2%			
Waitaki	\$ 2,588	\$ 2,948	14%	\$ 970	\$ 970	0%			
Whangarei	\$ 4,061	\$ 4,191	3%	\$ 871	\$ 899	3%			
Average		\$ 4,359			\$ 1,317		\$ 848	\$ 920	

Note where no cremation cost is shown, this means there is no Council run service in this area.