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Hi Prisca

Here is some information:

- The Government has allocated \$140 million to support public transport services. It will help to keep public transport services operating that would otherwise be unaffordable because of both significantly higher input costs (diesel, wages, electric bus cost premiums, additional public holidays and other statutory leave provisions like extra sick leave) and lower revenue because of reduced fare take from reduced patronage post-Covid (noting that half price fares are already covered by the Crown). This \$140 million is time bound for the 2023/24 financial year and there is no more money after that.
- This funding in line with our Funding Assistance Rates (51:49). A total of \$71.4 million is being provided to Waka Kotahi to cover the National Land Transport Fund's share and \$68.6 million proportionately allocated across Public Transport Authorities. Auckland Transport will receive the largest share of with nearly \$40 million and Wellington just over \$15 million.

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