

1911. .
NEW ZEALAND.

HARBOUR BOARDS ELECTIONS
(COST OF).

Return to an Order of the House of Representatives dated the 15th August, 1911.

Ordered, "That there be laid before this House a return showing—(1) The cost of elections of the different Harbour Boards under the Harbours Amendment Act, 1910; and (2) the average cost of the elections held by the Harbour Boards during the five years previous to the Act coming into force."—(Mr. Okey.)

RETURN SHOWING — (1) THE COST OF ELECTIONS OF THE DIFFERENT HARBOUR BOARDS UNDER THE HARBOURS AMENDMENT ACT, 1910; AND (2) THE AVERAGE COST OF THE ELECTIONS HELD BY THE HARBOUR BOARDS FOR THE FIVE YEARS PREVIOUS TO THE ACT COMING INTO FORCE.

Name of Board.	Cost of Election under the Act of 1910.	Elections held during the Five Years previous to the Act coming into Force.			Remarks.
		Year.	Cost of Election.	Average Cost.	
Auckland ...	£ 662 s. 6 d. 5	1907	£ 35 s. 18 d. 6	54 19 1	
		1909	73 19 7		
Bluff ...	143 8 11	1907	39 11 2	65 9 3	
		1909	91 7 3		
Foxton ...	13 16 9	1909	4 8 0	4 8 0	
Gisborne ...	137 0 2	1907	81 14 0	98 6 4	
		1909	114 18 8		
Havelock ...	5 2 6	1906	9 3 6	6 3 10	
		1908	3 8 0		
		1910	6 0 0		
Hokitika ...	25 13 3	1907	42 0 6	34 17 11	
		1909	27 15 3		
Lyttelton ...	841 12 4	1907	64 16 5	87 0 0	
		1909	109 3 6		
Mokau ...	1 1 0	1907	1 1 0	1 1 0	
		1909	1 1 0		
Motueka ...	42 1 1	1906	19 5 10	29 12 8	
		1908	23 2 8		
		1910	46 9 7		
Napier ...	200 18 0	1907	39 2 0	21 18 6	
		1909	4 15 0		

COST OF ELECTIONS OF THE DIFFERENT HARBOUR BOARDS, ETC.—*continued*.

Name of Board.	Cost of Election under the Act of 1910.	Elections held during the Five Years previous to the Act coming into Force.			Remarks.
		Year.	Cost of Election.	Average Cost.	
	£ s. d.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
Nelson ...	86 17 9	1907	13 4 9		
		1909	37 17 6	25 11 2	
New Plymouth	233 18 1	1907	43 8 8		
		1909	100 9 6	71 19 1	
Oamaru ...	138 7 11	...	...	15 13 10	No details given by Board.
Otago ...	630 10 3	1906	111 12 4		
		1908	117 17 11		
		1910	135 12 4	121 14 2	
Patea ...	14 13 0	1906	22 4 0		
		1908	23 2 5	23 13 8	
		1910	25 14 6	1 5 0	No elections previous to 1911.
Thames ...	58 11 9	...	...		
Timaru ...	146 11 0	1907	148 18 1		
		1909	144 4 6	146 11 4	
Waimakariri...	31 11 3	...	Not known	...	Elections were formerly conducted by Mandeville-Rangiora Road Board at Road Board's expense.
Wairau ...	20 5 8	1908	12 4 0		
		1910	4 2 6	8 3 3	
Wairoa ..	35 0 0	...	...	10 0 0	No details given by Board.
Waitara ...	74 15 5	...	...	...	No elections held previous to 1911.
Wanganui ...	99 1 6	1907	67 2 0		
		1909	90 5 0	78 13 6	
Wellington ..	1,068 1 11	1906	83 9 0		
		1908	142 15 4		
		1910	157 4 3	127 16 2	
Whangarei ...	14 13 6	1908	107 18 7		
		1910	104 8 3	106 3 5	

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