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Dear Mary Anne

**CRLG00273/23 – LGOIMA REQUEST: TE ARA WAI PUBLIC EXCLUDED PAPER**

Thank you for your email request of 26 September 2023 for the public excluded Te Ara Wai paper from the Council meeting held on 26 September 2023.

Attached [here](#) is a link to the Te Ara Wai paper you have requested. Also included in the link is the Te Ara Wai Strategic Project Review Update paper from the Te Ara Wai Governance Committee meeting of 28 August 2023, the Economic impact of Te Ara Wai report (September 2023) and emails from 29 June 2023 between Sally Sheedy and the Regional Culture and Heritage Fund.

Please note we have withheld some of the information contained in the above documents pursuant to the following sections of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987:

- sections 17(a) and 7(2)(a) to protect the privacy of natural persons, including that of deceased natural persons and this is not outweighed by other considerations which render it desirable, in the public interest, to make that information available;
- sections 17(a) and 7(2)(h) to enable the Council to carry out, without prejudice or disadvantage, commercial activities and this is not outweighed by other considerations which render it desirable, in the public interest, to make that information available; and
- sections 17(a) and 7(2)(i) as the withholding of the information is necessary to enable any local authority holding the information to carry on, without prejudice or disadvantage, negotiations (including commercial and industrial negotiations) and this is not outweighed by other considerations which render it desirable, in the public interest, to make that information available.

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You have the right to request the Ombudsman to investigate and review this response. The address for the Office of the Ombudsman is PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143 or you can email [info@ombudsman.parliament.nz](mailto:info@ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

Yours sincerely



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