

28 August 2023

File Ref: OIAPR1274023063-6630

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Tēnā koe [REDACTED]

Request for information 2023-208

I refer to your request for information dated 31 July 2023, which was received by Greater Wellington Regional Council (Greater Wellington) on 31 July 2023. You have requested the following:

"I request any documents related to the Wairarapa Clay Target Club (also known as the Wairarapa Gun Club Incorporated Society) based in Moroa Road, Tauherenikau since January 2017. This includes copies of the Range Management Plan(s), copies of the club's annual monitoring reports, correspondence by email or phone, and any new consent applications or requests for changes to the current ones"

Greater Wellington's response follows:

Greater Wellington has searched the following two relevant consent files in our document management system:

WAR160324 [34291] [34292] To discharge contaminants to land and air from a clay target shooting range.

WAR170327 [34778] [34779] To discharge contaminants to land and air from a clay target shooting range.

We have also searched all emails relating to this request.

We will be withholding information relating to a person's contact information under section 7(2)(a) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 in order to protect the privacy of natural persons, including that of deceased natural persons.

We have considered whether the public interest in the requested information outweighs Greater Wellington's need to withhold certain aspects of the information requested. As a result, we do not

consider that the public interest outweighs our reason for withholding parts of the information under the ground identified above.

All relevant documents have been attached and are listed in an excel spreadsheet **Attachment 1**. We are in the process of formatting all the documents and they will be made available to you via a shareable folder within 10 working days.

If you have any concerns with the decision(s) referred to in this letter, you have the right to request an investigation and review by the Ombudsman under section 27(3) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987.

Please note that it is our policy to proactively release our responses to official information requests where possible. Our response to your request will be published shortly on Greater Wellington's website with your personal information removed.

Nāku iti noa, nā



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