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10 July 2023

Tēnā koe 

I refer to your email dated 14 June 2023, requesting the following under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act):

*“...all submissions made by **organisations** to the public consultation on the Hīkina te Kohupara consultation which was taking feedback in 2021”.*

Following your request, our website was reviewed and submissions on from the public consultation had not yet been published. We have since published all submissions, including those made by organisations. You can find them here: <https://www.transport.govt.nz/area-of-interest/environment-and-climate-change/climate-change/> under the heading ‘Summary of Submissions Hīkina te Kohupara’. Part 1 – Part 8 includes submissions from unique individuals and organizations.

Therefore, I am refusing your request under the following section of the Act:

18(d) the information requested is or will soon be publicly available

You have the right to seek an investigation and review of this response by the Ombudsman, in accordance with section 28(3) of the Act. The relevant details can be found on the Ombudsman’s website [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz)

The Ministry publishes our Official Information Act responses and the information contained in our reply to you may be published on the Ministry website. Before publishing we will remove any personal or identifiable information.

Nāku noa, nā



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