

14 April 2025



# **Local Government Official Information Request**

Thank you for your request for information from Council. All requests to the Council for information are required to be considered in accordance with the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA). More information about how the Council handles LGOIMA requests can be found in the Council's LGOIMA Request Policy which is available on the Council's website.

Your request for information was received on 14 March 2025 and related to raised pedestrian crossings. Our response is below:

1. When did you build your first raised pedestrian crossing, and why? (As opposed to a standard zebra crossing)

#### Response:

In the Rangitīkei District, four raised pedestrian zebra crossings were installed prior to 2000, to slow vehicles down prior to entering a CBD.

2. How many have you built since?

### Response:

The Rangitīkei District Council has built one pedestrian crossing since, it is raised, but it is not a zebra crossing. Pedestrians must give way to vehicles for this one.

3. In the past 5 years, how many pedestrians have been injured on traditional zebra crossings in your area?

### Response:

There has been one pedestrian injured on a traditional zebra crossing in the past 5 years in the Rangitīkei District.

4. In the past 5 years, how many pedestrians have been injured on raised pedestrian crossings in your area?

# Response:

There have been no pedestrians injured on a raised pedestrian crossing in the past 5 years in the Rangitīkei District.

You have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman of this decision. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or freephone 0800 802 602.

Please note that it is our policy to proactively release our responses to official information requests, where Our response request will be published appropriate. to your shortly https://www.rangitikei.govt.nz/council/about/contact-us/official-information with your personal information removed.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact Alicia Hansen 06 327 0099.

Yours sincerely

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