

27 May 2025

Email: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

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 30 April 2025 and related to information about mobility parking spaces in the Rangitikei District. Your questions and our responses are below:

1. The total number of designated mobility (disability) parking spaces managed by your council on public land.

Response:

We do not hold specific data on the number of mobility parking spaces. We have 19 disability spaces listed in our road marking records. There could be additional disability spaces in the district.

2. Private Land Data: Information on any disability parking spaces located on private land (e.g., shopping centers, hospitals) that your council has records of or oversight responsibilities for.

Response:

Council has assumed that the intent of your question was focused on mobility parks in private car parks that council manages. Council does not manage any mobility spaces on private property. Officers note that data on accessibility/mobility spaces may be found within building consent or resource consent data. However, this information cannot be made available without substantial collation or research. If you would like this information, we can provide an estimate of the cost to retrieve the information, however, would suggest you refine the request to be more specific.

3. A list or summary of their locations, such as addresses, street names, or approximate locations.

Response:

Please find the information request on the pdf attached to the email response (Q3 Summary of locations).

4. Whether these spaces are generally aligned with current New Zealand Mobility Parking Standards (in terms of dimensions, signage, access aisles, etc).

(a) If detailed compliance assessments or reports are available, I would be grateful if you could share them.

Response:

Council does not hold any compliance assessments or reports.

(b) If such assessments have not been undertaken recently, a brief description of the council's approach to mobility parking (e.g., design guidelines or standard practices) would be helpful

Response:

The Rangitikei District Plan sets out the required number of mobility parks required per activity.

Note that these would be private parking.

When resource consents require car parking, the consent will usually require parking to be in accordance with NZS2890.1:2004 (off street carparking) & NZS2890.6:2004 (off street carparking for people with disabilities). The Rangitikei District Plan is available online - [District Plan - Rangitikei District Plan](#) (see standard TR-S11).

The Building Act also sets out requirements for mobility parks and required formation standards (NZS 4121:2001).

5. Any policies, plans, or guidance documents your council uses when creating or maintaining mobility parking spaces.

Response:

Currently Council's engineering standards do not cover mobility parking.

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 appropriate. Our response to your request will be published shortly at <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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Q3: Summary of locations

Marking ID	Road	Town	Start	End	Offset	Side
			(in metres from the beginning of the road)			
3295	CRITERION STREET	Bulls	54	60	14.6	Right
3296	CRITERION STREET	Bulls	54	60	10.9	Right
3297	CRITERION STREET	Bulls	170	170	45.3	Left
3176	BRUCE STREET	Huntermville	115	121	8.7	Left
1221	BROADWAY	Marton	80	85	4.5	Right
3289	BROADWAY	Marton	242	248	4.9	Left
3290	BROADWAY	Marton	53	57	2.7	Left
3291	BROADWAY	Marton	104	107	2.9	Left
3292	CUBA STREET	Marton	84	90	2.3	Right
1968	FOLLETT STREET	Marton	47	55	3.5	Left
2044	HEREFORD STREET	Marton	198	204	4.1	Left
1669	RUSSELL STREET	Marton	93	97	3.5	Right
1675	RUSSELL STREET	Marton	424	429	5.2	Left
3293	WELLINGTON ROAD	Marton	449	454	4.1	Left
3299	HAUTAPU ST TPE (SH1)	Taihape	110	114	8.8	Right
2447	HUIA STREET	Taihape	331	334	5.6	Right
3300	HUIA STREET	Taihape	14	20	8.8	Right
3301	HUIA STREET	Taihape	30	34	3.6	Right
3298	OUTBACK ROAD	Taihape	167	172	9	Right