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Sent: Thursday, 17 April 2025 11:35 a.m.
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: LGOIMA South Dunedin Stormwater Modelling draft for consult OPUS Report June 2017

Importance: High

Kia ora [REDACTED]

I write about your LGOIMA request received 21 March 2025 regarding the South Dunedin Stormwater Modelling draft for consult OPUS Report June 2017. Please find below the answers to your questions raised.

1. Is the OPUS 2017 'draft for consult' report on the DCC web? (I can't find it)

No, it is not on the web.

2. Was the OPUS 2017 report ever finalised beyond being a 'draft for consult' report?

No, it was never finalised beyond being a 'draft for consult' report.

3. Is a final version on the DCC web? (I can't find it)

No, as indicated above there is no final version.

4. Was a public consultation done at that time using the OPUS 2017 report?

No public consultation was done at that time using the OPUS 2017 report. Public consultation on the preferred option from the Opus 2017 report took place through the Dunedin City Council 10 year plan 2018-28 and Dunedin City Council 10 year plan 2021-31.

5. If yes, what was the outcome?

Funding for the project was approved in each of these 10-year plans. However, due to concerns over a lack of sufficient natural hazard information and some limitations of the hydraulic model used for options assessment in the Opus 2017 report the project was deferred. Instead, the South Dunedin Future programme was initiated to gather the required natural hazard information and consider adaptation options more broadly. At the same time, improvements have been made to the hydraulic models used for options assessments to address the model limitations and improve confidence in using the hydraulic model for options assessment.

6. If no, why not?

N/A

7. Why were the OPUS 2017 report recommendations not acted upon ie: assessed further and a budgeted stormwater upgrade activity put into the next Long Term Plan at that time?

As indicated above, budgeted stormwater upgrade activity was included in both the Dunedin City Council 10 year plan 2018-28 and Dunedin City Council 10 year plan 2021-31. A significant amount of work has been

undertaken to improve confidence in hydraulic models and preferred options are being considered along with the South Dunedin Futures work. Funding has been included in the draft 9 year plan 2025-2034.

Kā mihi

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Sent: Friday, 21 March 2025 6:46 pm

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Subject: Local Government Official Information request - 1125579

██████ has submitted a LGOIMA request - 1125579.

Below are the details of the request

Request details:

I'm researching some history related to the DCC response to the South Dunedin stormwater flooding issue. I have received a report <South Dunedin Stormwater Modelling - draft for consult - OPUS - June 2017>. The original file name may have been <Stage 3B Report-DRAFT for consultation-B>. The original PDF file was 16 Mb. I have compressed it to 1.8 Mb and uploaded the compressed PDF as a supporting document. I have the following questions related to this report: 1. Is the OPUS 2017 'draft for consult' report on the DCC web? (I can't find it) 2. Was the OPUS 2017 report ever finalised beyond being a 'draft for consult' report? 3. Is a final version on the DCC web? (I can't find it) 4. Was a public consultation done at that time using the OPUS 2017 report? 5. If yes, what was the outcome? 6. If no, why not? 7. Why were the OPUS 2017 report recommendations not acted upon ie: assessed further and a budgeted stormwater upgrade activity put into the next Long Term Plan at that time? Thank you Julian Doorey

File attachment (file name)

-South-Dunedin-Stormwater-Modelling-draft-for-consult-OPUS-June-2017-reduced.pdf, type application/pdf, 1.8 MB

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