

From: Grace Ockwell
To: [Brian Miller](#)
Cc: [Kristy Rusher](#)
Subject: RE: Request for information
Date: Thursday, 1 October 2015 04:10:34 p.m.
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Dear Mr Miller,

Thank you for your email of 15 September 2015 asking for information relating to comments made by the Chairperson of the Mosgiel Taieri Community Board in relation to your involvement in consultation about the selection of a site for an aquatic facility in Mosgiel.

Your request has been considered under the provisions of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA) and the following response is provided.

In your email you stated that:

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In your email you requested:

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Mr Feather advises that he received no information either written or verbal from the Steering Committee or any member of the Steering Committee with respect to your involvement in the public consultation referred to above. Your request is therefore declined pursuant to section 17(e) of LGOIMA as the information does not exist.

Mr Feather comments however that his knowledge of your involvement in consultation in the selection of a site for the aquatic facility was based on your appearance on Channel 9 Television speaking on behalf of a group "HANDS OFF Mosgiel Memorial Gardens".

As we have declined to provide information you have the right pursuant to section 27 of LGOIMA to have our decision reviewed by the Office of the Ombudsman.

Yours sincerely

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The C.E.O
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Regards,
Brian Miller.