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Tēnā koe Alan

Information Request - Matakana Island Operational Review

I refer to your official information request dated 01 July 2022 requesting the Matakana Island Operational Review.

The Official Information Act 1982 (**OIA**) requires that we advise you of our decision on your request no later than 20 working days after the day we received your request. Unfortunately, it will not be possible to meet that time limit and we are therefore writing to notify you of an extension of the time to make our decision, to 19 August 2022. We will respond sooner if we are able to.

The reason for the extension is that consultations necessary to make a decision on your request are such that a proper response to your request cannot reasonably be made within the original time limit.

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.

Nāku noa, nā

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Julia McCook-Weir'.

Julia McCook-Weir
Manager, Information Requests