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To: [REDACTED]
Subject: Official information request for for Karamea Cemetery - Historical Information Ref: OIA 095/23
Date: Friday, 1 September 2023 4:14:00 pm
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Dear [REDACTED]

We refer to your official information request dated 23 August for information related to the Karamea Cemetery.

Your questions was as follows:

I have been working on the Karamea Cemeteries, found a list online of people interred in them and notice that there are no burials listed for the 1860s gold rush years. Do you have any information about such burials, please? There also appears to be a gap between the last date for burials at the old cemetery and the first date listed for the "new" cemetery?

Buller District Council does not manage the Karamea Cemetery, these services are provided by the Karamea Cemetery Trust. Please contact them for information

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.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact the Buller District Council by return email to lgoima@bdc.govt.nz.

Please note that it is our policy to proactively release our responses to official information requests where possible. Our response to your request will be published shortly at <https://bullerdc.govt.nz/district-council/your-council/request-for-official-information/responses-to-lgoima-requests/> with your personal information removed.

Kind regards

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