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Kia ora

I am writing in response to your official information request dated 29 April 2026 regarding communications about the insurability of properties.

Our Council has not received any communications from insurance companies concerning the current or future insurability of properties within our district. Accordingly, under section 17(g) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987, we are unable to provide the information requested, as it is not held by our Council.

If such communications were to be received in the future, they would be provided to the affected property owners and placed on the relevant property files. This would make the information publicly accessible to interested parties through a Land Information Memorandum (LIM) report.

Information about LIM reports is available on our website at:

<https://www.tararua.govt.nz/property/property-information-requests/land-information-memorandum>

You have the right to seek an investigation and review of this response by the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or by calling freephone 0800 802 602.

Ngā mihi

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From: Allie Dunn

Sent: Wednesday, 29 April 2026 2:04 pm

To: [REDACTED]

Subject: CM: Acknowledgement of LGOIMA about insurance coverage

Kia ora

This email is to acknowledge receipt of your request for information, regarding communications regarding insurability of properties.

We will endeavour to respond to your request as soon as possible and in any event no later than 27 May 2026, being 20 working days after the day your request was received. If we are unable to respond to your request by then, we will notify you of an extension of that timeframe.

As part of our commitment to openness and accountability, we are now proactively publishing copies of requests for information and the responses provided to these requests, on our website. In doing so, we will ensure we comply with the provisions of the Privacy Act 2020 and redact any personal / identifying information from any response published.

If you have any questions about this, please don't hesitate to get in contact with me.
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Sent: Wednesday, 29 April 2026 11:46 am

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Subject: LGOIMA about insurance coverage

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Hi there

Can you please provide the following, under the LGOIMA:

Any communications since 1 January 2025, between insurance companies and council staff and/or councillors (including the mayor), regarding the current or future insurability of properties in the region.

In anticipation of a commercial sensitivity argument, I would argue that the public's right to know if their primary asset may no longer be able to be protected far

