

17 May 2023

Dear

Sent via email to

REQUEST FOR OFFICIAL INFORMATION – RELEASE OF INFORMATION

Thank you for your request for information held by the Queenstown Lakes District Council (QLDC). On 1 May 2023 you requested the following information under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (LGOIMA):

• Please confirm the total number of infringement notices issued by QLDC for similar offences at the Kawarau Historic Bridge Carpark.

We sent a response to you on 11 May 2023 saying that in the past 12 months at the Kawarau Bridge site, QLDC has issued 34 infringements for freedom camping in a prohibited area without prior permission.

In response, you emailed us asking for the total number of infringement notices issued by QLDC for similar offences at the Kawarau Historic Bridge Carpark *since 23 December 2019*.

We provide this data below.

QLDC response

Between 23 December 2019 and 12 May 2023, QLDC has issued **206** infringements at the Kawarau Bridge site for freedom camping in a prohibited area without prior permission.

We trust this response satisfactorily answers your request.

Kind regards,

Madeline Patterson

Senior Official Information Advisor