

RURAL CITY LIVING

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Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your request for information under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act, received by the Gore District Council on 14 March 2025 that asks for the following information.

- 1) When did you build your first raised pedestrian crossing, and why? (As opposed to a standard zebra crossing)*
- 2) How many have you built since?*
- 3) In the past 5 years, how many pedestrians have been injured on traditional zebra crossings in your area?*
- 4) In the past 5 years, how many pedestrians have been injured on raised pedestrian crossings in your area?*

The Council can confirm that there is just one raised pedestrian crossing in the Gore District and this was installed prior to 2008. No other raised pedestrian crossing have been built since.

With regard to injuries on traditional and raised pedestrian crossing in our area, we have transferred this part of your request to Waka Kotahi as the information to which your request relates is not held by us.

In these circumstances, we are required by section 12 of the LGOIMA to transfer your request. You will hear further from Waka Kotahi concerning this part of your request.

If you are unsatisfied with the response, you are entitled to lodge a complaint with the Office of the Ombudsmen. You can find more information on its website www.ombudsman.parliament.nz.

If you wish to discuss this response with us, please feel free to contact me on 03 209-0330.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J Domigan".

Jason Domigan
General Manager Critical Services