



1 April 2026

Tēnā koe

Official Information Act request

Thank you for your email of 12 February 2026, requesting information requesting a breakdown of funeral grants in the Kāpiti Coast district from 1 July 2020 to 30 June 2025.

I have considered your request under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act). Please find my decision on your request set out below.

Please refer to the attached **Appendix** which provides the number of Funeral grant applications processed (grants and declines) for Kāpiti Coast District Territorial Local Authority from 1 July 2020 and 30 June 2025.

You can see the current and historic rates of Funeral grants on the Ministry's website, here: www.workandincome.govt.nz/map/deskfile/extra-help-information/funeral-grant-tables/funeral-grant-rates-current.html.

I will be publishing this decision letter, with your personal details deleted, on the Ministry's website in due course.

If you wish to discuss this response with us, please feel free to contact OIA_Requests@msd.govt.nz.

If you are not satisfied with my decision on your request, you have the right to seek an investigation and review by the Ombudsman. Information about how to make a complaint is available at www.ombudsman.parliament.nz or 0800 802 602.

Ngā mihi nui

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