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By email: [REDACTED]

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### **Response to your official information request**

Thank you for your email received on 8 November 2023 requesting the supporting documents to the Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa New Zealand Geographic Board proposal report of 3 October 2023 for Waimarino and Waimarino Railway Station.

Attached electronically are copies of supporting documents 1-5 in the report. We cannot supply copies of the 6<sup>th</sup> set of supporting documents of 3 media articles because the copyright is held by the respective media organisations. However, these are the links to the 3 media articles:

- [Name change for National Park Village gains support](#), *Ruaapehu Bulletin*, 9 August 2023
- [News Fix Afternoon edition](#), *Newstalk ZB*, 23 August 2023 (bulletin starts at 3:06)
- [Unanimous RDC support for Waimarino name change](#), *Ruaapehu Bulletin*, 13 September 2023

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You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review this response and the information provided. Information about how to do this is at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

If you wish to discuss this response and the information provided, please contact Wendy Shaw, Secretary for Ngā Pou Taunaha o Aotearoa New Zealand Geographic Board at [wshaw@linz.govt.nz](mailto:wshaw@linz.govt.nz).

This response letter with your personal details withheld, and the attached documents, will be published on the Toitū Te Whenua Land Information New Zealand website at <https://www.linz.govt.nz/about-us/information-releases>.

Nāku noa, nā

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A. Haanen', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Anselm Haanen

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