

24 April 2026

Tēnā koe [REDACTED]

LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICIAL INFORMATION AND MEETINGS ACT Request: 2026-29

Thank you for your email of Tuesday 14 April 2026 to the Carterton District Council requesting the following information:

“How many graduate and entry level roles were advertised/created by this council, if any, for each year from 2020 to 2026 (inclusive)? This may pertain to any position within the Council designed/intended for recent university graduates and does not exclude roles that were advertised, but not filled, due to lack of interest or appropriate candidates.

The request for this information has been made as part of an inquiry exploring potential patterns & changes in the number of available graduate roles in the public sector in consecutive years from 2020.”

Your request has been considered under the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 (the Act). In response to your request there have been three graduate roles advertised in the timeframe from 2020 to 2026. The three roles are as follows below.

Graduate Roles	Year
Graduate Planner	2021
Information Systems Administrator	2023
Communications & Engagement Advisor	2024

Please note, the Council proactively publishes LGOIMA responses on our website. As such, we may publish this response on our website after five working days. Your name and contact details will be removed.

Thank you again for your email. You have the right to ask an Ombudsman to review this decision. You can do this by writing to info@ombudsman.parliament.nz or Office of the Ombudsman, PO Box 10152, Wellington 6143.

Nāku noa, nā



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