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**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Official Information Request for Emergency Management Queries Ref: 083/24  
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Dear [REDACTED]

We refer to your official information request dated 2 July 2024 for emergency management queries.

Please find your questions and our responses in the below table:

Request	2022	2023	2024	2025
<p>i. <i>What was your council spend on emergency management capability for the previous 3 financial years (1 July 2021 – 30 June 2022, 1 July 2022- 30 June 2023, 1 July 2023- 30 June 2024); and for the current financial year (1 July 2024- 30 June 2025).</i></p>	\$215,207	\$262,750	\$81,373	\$158,107
<p>ii. <i>How many staff members did you have within emergency management roles for the previous 3 financial years (1 July 2021 – 30 June 2022, 1 July 2022- 30 June 2023, 1 July 2023- 30 June 2024); and how many staff will you have within emergency management roles for the current financial year (1 July 2024- 30 June 2025)</i></p>	<p>Whilst all staff are encouraged to undertake CDEM training in order to ensure preparedness for emergency events, BDC does not specifically plan each financial year to fund salaries or specific CDEM responses.</p> <p>BDC does not have any dedicated roles in Emergency Management, however one Emergency Management Officer (employed and funded by WCRC) works at the BDC offices in Westport.</p>			

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freephone 0800 802 602.

If you wish to discuss this decision with us, please feel free to contact the Buller District Council by return email to [lgoima@bdc.govt.nz](mailto:lgoima@bdc.govt.nz).

Please note that it is our policy to proactively release our responses to official information requests where possible. Our response to your request may be published at <https://bullerdc.govt.nz/district-council/your-council/request-for-official-information/responses-to-lgoima-requests/> with your personal information removed.

Kind regards

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