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Dear Harry

Thank you for your Official Information Act request, which was transferred to me from the Cabinet Office, on 24 August 2022. You requested:

...all documents and Cabinet papers mentioning Whangārei in relation to infrastructure and health funding decisions from October 2017.

I have decided under section 15A of the Official Information Act to extend the time limit for deciding on your request by an additional 50 working days. The new due date for responding to your request is 1 December 2022.

The extension is required because your request necessitates a search through a large quantity of information, and consultations are needed before a decision can be made on your request.

This extension will also apply to the time limit for transferring your request, should this become relevant.

Notwithstanding this extension, I undertake to make a decision on your request as soon as reasonably practicable.

You have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review this decision.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Grant Robertson'.

Hon Grant Robertson
Minister of Finance