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Official information request No. 8140009168  
(Please quote this in any correspondence)

Terry Thomas

By email: [fyi-request-16496-00b84ff9@requests.fyi.org.nz](mailto:fyi-request-16496-00b84ff9@requests.fyi.org.nz)

Dear Terry

**Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987**

**Re: Report about Ellen Melville Centre**

Thank you for your email of 25 August 2021 where you requested:

“the external expert report received into the Ellen Melville Centre that helped inform the cancellation of the recent booking for a Speak Up For Women event. Also any emails commissioning the report or on receiving it’

Please find attached correspondence in relation to the above request. Due to the size of the attachments, the information can be accessed by using this [One Drive Link](#)

This link expires after 30 days. We recommend you save the information to your personal computer.

Please note some information has been withheld under Section 7 (2)(a) of the LGOIMA – to protect the privacy of natural persons, under Section (2) (b) (ii) of the LGOIMA – where making the information available would be likely unreasonably to prejudice the commercial position of the person who supplied the information, under Section 7 (f)(ii) of the LGOIMA - to protect employees from improper pressure and harassment, under Section 7(f)(i) of the LGOIMA - to maintain the effective conduct of affairs through the free and frank expression of opinions and under Section 7 (2)(c) of the LGOIMA – to protect information which is subject to an obligation of confidence.

Decisions relating to the information that is being released to you were made by **Claudia Wyss Director Customer & Community Services**.

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Information about how to make a complaint is available at [www.ombudsman.parliament.nz](http://www.ombudsman.parliament.nz) or freephone 0800 802 602.

If you have any further queries, please contact me on 09 301 0101 quoting official information request number 8140009168.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Angela Hare', written in a cursive style.

Angela Hare  
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