



REPORT ON DOG CONTROL POLICY AND PRACTICES 2022/2023 FINANCIAL YEAR

Pursuant to section 10A of the Dog Control Act 1996 the Mackenzie District Council has prepared a report on its dog control policy and dog control practices for the year ending 30 June 2023.

- The number of registered dogs in the district as at 30 June 2023 - **1767**.
- The number of probationary owners in the district - **Nil**.
- The number of disqualified owners in the district - **Nil**.
- The number of dogs in the district classified as menacing - **1**.
- The number of dogs in the district classified as dangerous - **2**.
- The number of infringement notices issued by the Council - **Nil**.
- The number of prosecutions taken by Council - **Nil**.
- The number of dog-related complaints received by the Council during the year - **95**.

The nature of those complaints are as follows:

1. Animal welfare	5
2. Barking dogs	12
3. Wandering dogs	37
4. Microchip	0
5. Rushing/attacking	7
6. Stock and dog attacks	8
7. People attacks	4
8. Lost Dog	5
9. Not registered	12
10. Other	5