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Estimate for Records Request

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Wed, Jul 19, 2023 at 8:54 AM

Reply-To: 7be08d52-e7e1-483e-86c9-f7348283758a.AlpharettaGA@request.justfoia.com

To: madvideos@gmail.com

Billy,

Records Requested:

I am requesting the following on LT Fur.

1st page of all use of force incidents

Disciplinary record / IA file

Personnel file

Image on file with department

All public complaints

All video / audio of any interview conducted by internal affairs

Finally a list of all employees, pay, rank and name

We have received your request for records, Below are the estimated charges. ***In order to begin work on this request, you will need to respond with an acceptance of the anticipated charges.*** We are anticipating this request to take 10-14 business days once we receive your acceptance of the estimated total of \$123.15 - \$243.60

3-6 Hours at \$41.05 per hour - Records Manager to retrieve, review and redact requested records

Important Information Regarding Your Estimate

Please understand that the estimate provided above is based upon the information currently available to the records unit. Copies of specific records are within the custody or control of the unit(s) within the Alpharetta Department of Public Safety to which those records relate. In fulfilling record requests made by the public, the records unit must contact the appropriate unit(s) to obtain copies of the records.

Upon communication with the appropriate unit(s), it may be the case that the records are either more or less voluminous than initially anticipated. It may also be the case that, due to the complexity of the records requested, the cost of the time for the individual that is needed to compile the records is different than initially anticipated. Finally, it may be the case that, as required by the Georgia Open Records Act and other relevant state and federal law, the records may require more or less redaction than initially anticipated.

Any of these occurrences may result in either an upward or downward adjustment of the total cost of the records from the initial estimate provided above.

The cost of records are fixed by Georgia Open Records Act, and for that reason the records unit cannot deviate from that cost, even if any of the occurrences described above result in a final cost that is higher than the estimate provided above.

If the records unit finds that the estimate needs to be revised to reflect additional time required to complete your request, you will be provided a new estimate to accept or reject. If after learning of the total cost of your estimate, you

wish to only receive some (but not all) of the records that you have requested, you may narrow the scope of your request and the records unit will recalculate the cost to you to reflect the narrowed scope.

Please understand that this may not be possible in all cases, and whether the scope of the request can be narrowed to reduce the cost is within the sole discretion of the records division staff. The records department also cannot provide you with any records for which you refuse to pay the associated cost.

Regards,

Alpharetta PD

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Wed, Jul 19, 2023 at 11:19 AM

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Yes, I agree to pay fee's that are justified, just one quick question, what am I paying for? That is high for documents, I perform open records across the state, <http://shieldsofshame.com/open-records/> as you can see at that page, that is a new site I just started so you are only seeing some open records requests. Send me a breakdown of the fees and your Open records custodians pay so I can verify the hourly rate.

Thanks

Billy

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