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14 messages

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To: PublicInformationOfficer <pio@augustaga.gov>

Mon, Jul 3, 2023 at 2:20 PM

Good day,

In regards to
Deputy Caleb Pye
Deputy Terry Parks
Deputy Joseph Guay
Deputy Amanda Donald
Corporal Joshua Freeman

I am requesting the following
Arrest history
ist page of all use of force reports/incidents
Image on file with agency
IA disciplinary records
inmate / jail complaints
public complaints
Personnel file

Thanks

Billy

PublicInformationOfficer <PIO@augustaga.gov> To: Billy Blume <madvideos@gmail.com>

Thu, Jul 6, 2023 at 4:53 PM

Greetings Billy Blume,

The Richmond County Sheriff's Public Information Office is in receipt of your Open Records Request for the following information:

Deputy Caleb Pye

Deputy Terry Parks

Deputy Joseph Guay

Deputy Amanda Donald

Corporal Joshua Freeman

Requesting the following:

Arrest history

1st page of all use of force reports/incidents

Image on file with agency

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Personnel file

A search of our agency's records for the above information is estimated to take 10 hours to complete due to our office having to review the above information for redactions according to the GA Open Records Act. Using the O.C.G.A. 50-18-71 *et al* financial fee guidelines where the first 15 minutes are free, then \$17.00 / hour (based on hourly/salary amount of lowest paid person able to perform task), your estimated fee would cost \$165.75. Please let us know if you agree to pay the cost of this request or if you would like to withdraw the request. If you do approve, we will begin assembling and producing the records on a rolling basis if possible. The accepted forms of payment are a Cashier's Check or Cash Money Order paid to the Richmond County Sheriff's Office, 400 Walton Way Augusta, GA 30901. Please include a copy of this letter with your payment for accounting purposes. We look forward to hearing a response from you soon.

Respectfully,

Sergeant Caleb Lee

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Billy Blume <madvideos@gmail.com> To: PublicInformationOfficer <PIO@augustaga.gov>

Thu, Jul 6, 2023 at 5:32 PM

Thanks, I am requesting a breakdown of those fee's, that seems like a retaliatory strike using the ol' prior restraint trick, I could be wrong.. prove me wrong.

and to think we were getting along so cozy and all.. damn man. You too?

PublicInformationOfficer <PIO@augustaga.gov> To: Billy Blume <madvideos@gmail.com>

Mon, Jul 10, 2023 at 11:53 AM

Good Morning,

Our office has estimated the financial fee based on the guidelines set forth under O.C.G.A. 50-18-71 *et al.* A breakdown of the fees is not required which is why this is an "estimated financial fee."

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Billy Blume <madvideos@gmail.com>

To: PublicInformationOfficer <pio@augustaga.gov>

Mon, Jul 10, 2023 at 2:37 PM

Sounds good. I agree to pay. Advise when ready to pick up.

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PublicInformationOfficer <PIO@augustaga.gov>

To: Billy Blume <madvideos@gmail.com>

Fri, Jul 14, 2023 at 11:42 AM

Good Morning,

We are still processing your open records request and estimate a conservative completion date of July 28, 2023. We will update you if any changes must be made.

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To: PublicInformationOfficer <pio@augustaga.gov>

Fri, Jul 14, 2023 at 1:03 PM

No problem thanks for the update.

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PublicInformationOfficer <PIO@augustaga.gov>

To: Billy Blume <madvideos@gmail.com>

Fri, Jul 28, 2023 at 3:32 PM

Good Afternoon,

We were unable to complete your open records request on today's date, but we are still processing it and should be completed August 2, 2023. If this date needs to be updated, we will contact you with any changes.

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Billy Blume < madvideos@gmail.com>

To: PublicInformationOfficer <PIO@augustaga.gov>

Fri, Jul 28, 2023 at 3:38 PM

Ok, thanks, what is the final cost?

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PublicInformationOfficer <PIO@augustaga.gov>

To: Billy Blume <madvideos@gmail.com>

Tue, Aug 1, 2023 at 11:28 AM

Greetings Billy Blume,

The Richmond County Sheriff's Public Information Office has completed your Open Records Request for the following information:

Deputy Caleb Pye

Deputy Terry Parks

Deputy Joseph Guay

Deputy Amanda Donald

Corporal Joshua Freeman

Requesting the following:

Arrest history

1st page of all use of force reports/incidents

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Personnel file

A search of our agency's records resulted in the following records that were transferred to a DVD-R:

- 1. Arrest History by which you mean Adult Arrest Report has been included and redacted using {O.C.G.A 50-18-72(a)(25)(A)}.
- 2. The first page of the UOFs have been included and redacted using {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(20)}. There were no UOFs for Dep. Parks, Dep. Guay, or Dep. Donald {O.C.G.A. 50-18-71(j)}. The following UOFs for Cpl. Freeman were not included under {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(4)}: Case #'s 21-231700, 21-163414, 21-092738, 20-238119, 20-154733.
- 3. The images on file have all been included.
- 4. The IA Disciplinary Records are all included and any redaction made were under {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(20)}.
- 5. Complaints from Inmates/Jail/Public were all included and redacted using {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(20)}.

Additional redactions were made for the following Deputies: Dep. Pye: Pg 3: {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(21)}, and one complaint under IA Control #: 16-09-39 was ordered from Records Retention and has not been delivered to our office yet. For Dep. Donald, the IA Complaint #: 22-12-09 is exempt under {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(4)}. For Cpl. Freeman: Page 1 has redactions using {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(20)(A)} and IA Complaints 22-05-11 and 22-06-01 are exempt under {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(4)}.

- 6. The Personnel Files for each Deputy are included and all have been redacted using {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a) (21)}. Additional redactions were made for each Deputy:
 - a. Dep. Pye

- i. Pages 39, 52, 57, 58, and 77 (O.G.G.A. 40-5-2(b))
- ii. Pages 80, 81, 83, 84, and 86-111 (O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(1))

b. Dep. Parks

- i. Page 44 {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(20)(A)}
- ii. Pages 71, 78, 83, 84, 90, 98-108, 118 {O.G.G.A. 40-5-2(b)}
- iii. Page 73: {O.C.G.A. 31-10-25(a)}
- iv. Pages 90-93 (O.C.G.A. 17-4-20.1)
- v. Pages 95-97, 109-117 (O.C.G.A. 35-3-34)

c. Dep. Guay

- i. Page 46, 66, 69, 76 (O.G.G.A. 40-5-2(b))
- ii. Page 48 (O.C.G.A. 31-10-25(a))
- iii. Pages 70-75, 77-78 (O.C.G.A. 35-3-34)

d. Dep. Donald

- i. Pages 31, 32, 35 (O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(20)(A))
- ii. Pages 59, 64, 75, 94, 97 (O.G.G.A. 40-5-2(b))
- iii. Page 61 (O.C.G.A. 31-10-25(a))
- iv. Page 63 {O.C.G.A. 15-6-72(c)(1)}
- v. Pages 66, 85-93, 95, 96, 98-99 (O.C.G.A. 35-3-34)
- vi. Page 70, 71, 74 {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(1)}

e. Cpl. Freeman

- i. Pages 77, 80, 91 {O.C.G.A. 15-6-72(c)(1)}
- ii. Pages 78, 79, 90, 94 (O.G.G.A. 40-5-2(b))
- iii. Page 98 {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(20)(A)}

Note: Any redactions made to the files and documents where the exemption guidelines were not cited are due to previous personnel who did the redactions; therefore, they could not be determined by our office.

The original estimate of 10 hours was incorrect. The actual amount of time it took to complete this request was 14 hours and 25 minutes. The correct financial fee owed our office is now \$238.00 based on the O.C.G.A. 50-18-71 et al financial fee guidelines where the first 15 minutes are free, then \$17.00 / hour based on hourly/salary amount of lowest paid person able to perform task. Our office calculated this amount using 14 hrs and 15 minutes giving you an extra 10 minutes free. As a reminder, the accepted forms of payment are a Cashier's Check or Cash Money Order paid to the Richmond County Sheriff's Office, 400 Walton Way Augusta, GA 30901.

Please let us know what day and estimated time you plan to pick up the DVD-R and we will place it up front with our security personnel

Cordially,

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To: PublicInformationOfficer <pio@augustaga.gov>

I will try to get by there today or by weeks end.

Thanks

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To: PublicInformationOfficer <pio@augustaga.gov>

Tue, Aug 1, 2023 at 11:37 AM

Tue, Aug 1, 2023 at 11:34 AM

Before I come can you let me know if my other request is ready? The Robert Wilson body cam. Lee told me the second but would like to make one trip:

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PublicInformationOfficer <PIO@augustaga.gov>

To: Billy Blume <madvideos@gmail.com>

Wed, Aug 2, 2023 at 12:08 PM

Good Afternoon,

Both Open Records Request are completed and available for pick up.

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Billy Blume <madvideos@gmail.com>

Thu, Aug 3, 2023 at 1:50 AM

To: PublicInformationOfficer <PIO@augustaga.gov>, Kristen Settlemire <KSettlemire@law.ga.gov>

I want to draw your attention to a few things, 1. Not checking with me when the estimated fee went from \$165 to \$238. Violation 1, you assumed I was going to go for your use of prior restraint, it is clear you are trying to set me up and use

it to prevent future open records and jack the price up at the last minute, I sent this request on July 3rd, you had plenty of time to make sure your estimate was at least close., don't worry, I will be there to pay the \$238 and the \$12.75 for the 7 segments of Chris Brown body cam I requested and no itemized breakdown of what it is. I am expecting more :No body cam" which is why I requested his Axon audit trail in a previous email. You are getting desperate in the things you are willing to try to keep me from getting records from your agency.

The first page of the UOFs have been included and redacted using {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(20)}. There were no UOFs for Dep. Parks, Dep. Guay, or Dep. Donald {O.C.G.A. 50-18-71(j)}. The following UOFs for Cpl. Freeman were not included under {O.C.G.A. 50-18-72(a)(4)}: Case #'s 21-231700, 21-163414, 21-092738, 20-238119, 20-154733. How can you make this exemption? **This record has no bearing on any pending case**

Note: Any redactions made to the files and documents where the exemption guidelines were not cited are due to previous personnel who did the redactions; therefore, they could not be determined by our office. **You are charging me for redactions that were already completed prior to my request?**

You really make me work, I hate filing complaints!

I am forwarding this to Mrs. Settlemire for my records. It can and will be used against you in a court of law.

Thanks

Billy

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