



City of Atascadero

REQUEST FOR PUBLIC RECORDS

The California Public Records Act (Government Code 6250. et seq.) was enacted to ensure public access to public records. This form will enable us to accurately and efficiently fill your request.

PLEASE NOTE: The fee for preparing a copy of any documented record, when made by photographic process, is fifty cents (\$.50) for the first page and ten cents (\$.10) for any additional pages. Requests for research, not related to a specific record, can only be accommodated on an as available basis, and may require a charge for staff time at the fully allocated rate for the employee conducting the research.

REQUESTOR'S INFORMATION:

NAME: _____ DATE OF REQUEST: _____
PHONE: _____ ADDRESS: _____
E-MAIL: _____ MuckRock News DEPT MR105491 411A Highland Ave

INFORMATION BEING REQUESTED:

For each record, describe type, date, subject, title, etc. Please be as specific as you can.

(PLEASE NOTE: if records being requested pre-date Atascadero's incorporation in 1979, it is possible that residential building records or other documents not found in the City's archives or on microfilm files, may be available at the [San Luis Obispo County Clerk Recorder's Office](#)).

AFTER NOTIFICATION THAT RECORDS ARE AVAILABLE, RECORDS WILL BE HELD FOR 2 WEEKS AND THEN MAY BE REFILED.

YOUR REQUEST WILL BE PROCESSED IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE PUBLIC RECORDS ACT.

California Government Code Section 6253 (c): Each agency, upon request for a copy of records shall, within 10 days from receipt of the request, determine whether the request, in whole or in part, seeks copies of disclosable public records in the possession of the agency and shall promptly notify the person making the request of the determination and the reasons therefore. In unusual circumstances, the time limit prescribed in this section may be extended, by written notice by the head of the agency, or their designee, to the person making the request, setting forth the reasons for the extension and the date on which a determination is expected to be dispatched. No notice shall specify a date that would result in an extension for more than 14 days.

Lara Christensen
City Clerk

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Time Spent: _____ E-Mailed: _____ Notes: _____
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To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the California Public Records Act, I hereby request the following records:

Recent news reports have shown that a "monolith" was placed at the top of a mountain in Atascadero.

<https://www.vice.com/en/article/qjpk7/mysterious-monolith-update-racists-destroy-california-monolith-proclaim-christs-superiority-to-space-aliens>

Therefore, I request the following information:

Any complaints about the monolith from residents

Any information gathered about the placement of the monolith

Any emails including the word "monolith" sent to or from city employees between the dates of November 25 and the time this request is processed

Any guidance about the monolith

Any presentations about the monolith

Any police reports about the monolith or its destruction

Any emails from residents mentioning the monolith

Any photos, video, or voicemails related to or of the monolith

Any communication with state or federal agencies about the monolith

Please search records from November 25th until the time this request is processed.

This request is being made for use on Motherboard, VICE Media's science and technology website. It is not for commercial purposes.

The requested documents will be made available to the general public, and this request is not being made for commercial purposes.

In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request.

I would prefer the request filled electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation in this matter. I look forward to receiving your response to this request within 10 calendar days, as the statute requires.

Sincerely,

Samir Ferdowsi