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April 6, 2021

MuckRock News
DEPT MR 96221
411A Highland Avenue
Somerville, MA 02144-2516
VIA:Email:

Re: Request for information

Dear Ms. Lipton:

The Village of Ocean Beach has no record of your June 29, 2020 request. Accordingly, we now hereby acknowledge your July 29, 2020 correspondence as a FOIL request for documents.

Your request for information under the freedom of Information Law has been received for the following information.

All materials and records describing and sufficient to show/disclose all allegations of misconduct made and all disciplinary proceedings taken against any officer, employee, or representative of this policing agency. all complaints, reports, records of discipline and penalties, aggregate collections of complaint and disciplinary materials (spreadsheets, databases), investigatory materials, relevant related correspondence, photographs, video, other related evidence, proof of discipline or fulfillment of penalties, and all personnel materials (including those used in promotion, contract, and other employment negotiations and considerations) that reference or utilize misconduct allegations or disciplinary materials of any sort. All complaints— internal, external, and civilian — and include records disclosing the names, badge numbers, and personnel identification of each officer involved and/or serving as a witness, as well as all available details of the incident/complaint: date, time, location, nature of the incident, description of the incident, nature of the investigation, investigatory materials, the disposition of the case, and any subsequent materials related to the execution of any resultant discipline. Responsive materials include all complaints and allegations against any officer, employee, or representative of this policing agency, regardless of whether that complaint or allegation resulted in any investigation or disciplinary action.

Responsive materials also include all records of use of force by officers, including records disclosing the names, badge numbers, and personnel identification of each officer involved and/or serving as a witness, as well as all available details of the incident: date, time, location, nature of the incident, description of the incident, nature of the use of force, subsequent investigatory materials related to the use of force, the disposition of any investigation into the incident, and any subsequent materials related to the use of force.

Please provide materials on a rolling basis, beginning with materials created during the following timeframes:

- January 1, 2010 - June 15, 2020
- January 1, 2000 - January 1, 2010
- January 1, 1990 - January 1, 2000
- January 1, 1980 - January 1, 1990
- January 1, 1970 - January 1, 1980

Upon research of your request, your search came to 87 pages. Your request is being emailed, therefore, there is no charge.

Please be advised that if your request for records has been denied, you have the right to appeal in writing within thirty (30) days to:

James S. Mallott, Mayor
Incorporated Village of Ocean Beach
P.O. Box # 457
Ocean Beach, NY 11770

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kara Ann McKenna", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Kara Ann McKenna
Deputy Records Access Office