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RE: PRA 23-015

Dear Bryan Tor:

This letter is a follow up response to our letter dated March 10, 2023 and to your request received on March 3, 2023, under the California Public Records Act (Government Code § 7920.000 *et seq.*) requesting the following:

"Any emails, text messages, reports, memos, or any other written or digital communications sent or received by any employee of your agency between January, 2020 and the date on which this request is processed which include or reference any or all of the following phrases: "Proud Boy," "Proud Boys," "The Three Percenters," "Three Percenters," "Stop the Steal," "StopTheSteal.us," "QAnon," "Boogaloo," "Thin Blue Line," "Blue Lives Matter," and/or "car caravan."

Enclosed with this letter are responsive records publicly available at this time.

The PRA permits local agencies to withhold records, in whole or in part, that are exempt from disclosure (Gov. Code § 7921.000 *et seq.*) Please be advised the City is withholding certain records from disclosure, in whole or in part, pursuant to the following exemptions:

- Public disclosure of the redacted individually identifiable health information, personal information, such as addresses of members of the public, would constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. Therefore, the public interest served by withholding the redacted information outweighs any public interest served by disclosure pursuant to Government Code § 7922.000.
- Public disclosure of redacted documents that applies to criminal, civil, and regulatory law enforcement records exempts disclosure of "records or information compiled for law enforcement purposes, which could reasonably be expected to

disclose the identity of a confidential source, including a State, local, or foreign agency or authority, or any private institution which furnished information on a confidential basis, and, in the case of a record or information compiled by a criminal law enforcement authority in the course of a criminal investigation, or by an agency conducting a lawful national security intelligence investigation, information furnished by a confidential source." Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Exemption 7(D); Government Code §§ 7923.600 & 7927.705.

The City remains committed to getting you all of the records to which you are entitled. We estimate that another group of responsive documents can be made available to you within the next 14 days. Please note that we are seeking to produce all responsive records as promptly as possible on a rolling production basis. If we are able to make the records available prior to the production schedule date indicated above, we will do so. Likewise, if additional time will be needed to complete the review and redaction of the supporting documentation, we will notify you in writing.

If you have questions about this matter, please contact me. Otherwise, I or another City representative will contact you within two weeks, as specified above.

Sincerely,

Valerie Powell

Records Coordinator

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