

March 7, 2005

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REQUEST

To whom it may concern this is a request under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. Sec. 552.

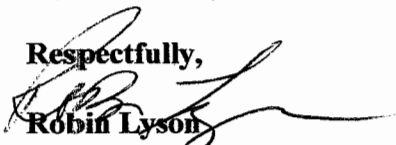
According to Wayne County Court Records the following lawsuit has been settled re: Case #01-115716 CK aka J.J.M. & Associates Inc., a Michigan Corporation and United Investments a Michigan co-partnership, Plaintiffs vs The City of Lincoln Park a Municipal Corporation and Lincoln Park Downtown Development Authority, A political subdivision of the City of Lincoln Park, Defendants. At this time I am requesting the following information and documents.

1. The dollar amounts or other tangible settlement of this lawsuit.
2. The dollar amounts or other tangible settlement paid by the City of Lincoln Park
3. The dollar amounts or other tangible settlement paid by the Lincoln Park Downtown Development Authority.
4. The most recent account statements from the City of Lincoln Park and the Lincoln Park Downtown Development Authority where the dollar amounts or other tangibles were paid to J.J.M & Associates Inc. a Michigan Corporation and United Investments a Michigan co-partnership which will identify the balance of funds available for use for the Lincoln Park Downtown Development Authority for the City of Lincoln Park community.
5. The final dollar amounts or tangibles paid to the following attorneys or subsequent attorney's for this lawsuit:
 - a. Jay N. Shiefman (P20425) 30833 NW Highway, Farmington Hills Mi Plaintiff Attorney
 - b. Mayer Morganroth (P17966) 3000 Town Ctr Southfield Mi Plaintiff Attorney
 - c. Phillip Kessler (P15921) and Carl Rashid (P23915) 150 W. Jefferson, Detroit Mi City of Lincoln Park and Lincoln Park DDA Attorneys
 - d. Edward M. Zelenak (P27611) 2933 Fort Street, Lincoln Park MI City of Lincoln Park Attorney
 - e. David B. Tamsen (P32688) Lincoln Park DDA 7000 Roosevelt Road, Allen Park, MI.

I am requesting a waiver of all fees for this request. Disclosure of the requested information to me is in the public interest because it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of the operations or activities of the government, and is not in my commercial interest, nor any business trying to get information on industrial competitors.

If you have any additional questions regarding this request please feel free to contact me.

Respectfully,



Robin Lyson
Lincoln Park Resident and Taxpayer
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*Hand Delivered.
Received 3/16/05
C. Rothkamp*

City of Lincoln Park
Freedom Of Information Act ("FOIA") Response

Requestor: ROBIN LYSON Date received: 03/16/05
③ WAYNE COUNTY CASE 01-115716 CK Received by: C. SNETHKAMP

Your recent request for public record(s) under the Michigan Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), MCL §15.231 et seq., has been:

- Granted, in whole or in part. The requested records are enclosed.
- Reviewed, and determined that the cost of responding to your request is estimated to exceed \$50.00, therefore a deposit of _____ (half the estimated cost) will be required. Upon receipt of your deposit, the request will be completed.
- Due to unusual circumstances, we are extending the period to respond to your request by ten (10) business days, due to:
 - The need to search for, collect, or appropriately examine or review a voluminous amount of separate and distinct public records pursuant to a single request.
 - The need to collect the requested public records from numerous offices, facilities, or other establishments located apart from the office receiving or processing the request.
- Granted, your name will be placed on a subscription list for future issuances of the requested records disseminated on a regular basis. This subscription is valid for six months and must be renewed in writing.
- Denied, in whole or in part, for the reason(s) noted on the back of this form.
- Denied; after a diligent search the records requested could not be located, given the name or other criteria provided.

If your request for record(s) is denied, you may submit a written appeal, specifically stating "appeal" and stating the reasons for the appeal, to the Mayor of the City of Lincoln Park, or seek judicial review under Section 10 of the Act within 180 days after the public body's final determination. Within ten (10) days of receiving a request for an appeal, the Mayor will a.) reverse the denial; b.) issue a written notice upholding the denial; c.) reverse in part and uphold in part by written notice; or d.) issue a notice extending by ten (10) business days the time to decide the appeal.

If after judicial review, the Circuit Court determines that the City has not complied fully with the disclosure requirements, the Court may award reasonable attorneys' fees, costs, and disbursements. If the Court determines that the City has arbitrarily and capriciously violated the Act, the Court shall award punitive damages in the amount of \$500.

A copy of this request and reply will be kept on file for no less than one year.

Request processed by C. SNETHKAMP Date 03/21/05

FOIA Coordinator, City of Lincoln Park
1427 Cleophus
Lincoln Park, Michigan 48146

City of Lincoln Park Freedom Of Information Act ("FOIA") Response

The requested records were denied in whole or in part for the following reasons:

- Requested record(s) are information of a personal nature where the public disclosure of the information would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of an individual's privacy.
- Requested record(s) would disclose the social security number of an individual.
- Medical, counseling, or psychological facts concerning an identified individual.
- Requested record(s) are law enforcement records under investigation and disclosure would interfere with law enforcement proceedings, or deprive a person of the right to a fair trial or impartial administrative adjudication, or constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.
- Requested record(s) are a bid, or proposal to enter into a contract or agreement, prior to the time established for submission or public opening.
- Requested record(s) are test questions and answers or other examination instruments.
- Requested record(s) are communications and notes within a public body or between public bodies of an advisory nature to the extent that they cover other than purely factual materials and are preliminary to a final determination of policy or action.
- Requested record(s) are records of a law enforcement agency and identify an undercover officer or an informer, disclose operations, reveal contents of manuals, or identify residences the agency is requested to check on.
- Requested record(s) would disclose the personal address or telephone number of law enforcement personnel or their agents; or would disclose the name, address, or telephone numbers of relatives of law enforcement personnel and their agents.
- Requested record(s) are information relating to a civil action in which the requestor and the City are parties.
- Under the Child Protection Laws, a reporting person's identity is confidential, and documents and photos of children are confidential unless specifically excluded.
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