



Margaret A. McAvoy
Administrator/Controller

Isabella County

January 12, 2016

Frank E. Benn
6445 W. Airline Road
Weidman, MI 48893

Re: 10-day Extension to Respond to your FOIA Request

Dear Mr. Benn,

Please be advised that your 2nd FOIA request received by Isabella County on the 11th day of January, 2016 will require extra time to search for and respond to your request.

Pursuant to MCL 15.235(2)(d), I am extending the time to respond to your request. Accordingly, Isabella County will respond to your request on or before the 2nd day of February, 2016.

Please visit www.isabellacounty.org/foia to view Isabella County's Public Summary of FOIA Procedures and Guidelines.

Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Margaret McAvoy
Administrator/Controller

Enclosure

County: Keep original and provide copy of both sides, along with Public Summary, to Requestor at no charge.



Isabella County

200 N. Main Street, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858
Phone: (989) 317-4053

Extension Form

Notice to Extend Response Time for FOIA Request Michigan Freedom of Information Act, Public Act 442 of 1976, MCL 15.231, et seq.

Request No.: _____ Date Received: 1-11-2016 Check if received via: Email Fax Other Electronic Method
Date of This Notice: 1-12-2016 Date delivered to junk/spam folder: _____
(Please Print or Type) Date discovered in junk/spam folder: _____

Name	Phone	
Frank E. Benn		
Firm/Organization	Fax	
Street	Email	
6445 W. Airline Rd	11-17@nsfd.net	
City	State	Zip
Weidman	MI	48893

Request for: Copy Certified copy Record inspection Subscription to record issued on regular basis
Delivery Method: Will pick up Mail to address above Email to address above
 Deliver on digital media provided by the County: _____

Record(s) You Requested: (Listed here or see attached copy of original request) See attached

We are extending the date to respond to your FOIA request for no more than 10 business days, until 2-2-2016 (month, day, year).
Only one extension may be taken per FOIA request. If you have any questions regarding this extension, contact
Margaret McAvoy at 200 N. Main Street, Suite 205, Mount Pleasant, MI 48858 or 989-317-4058

Estimated Time Frame to Provide Records: February 2, 2016 (days or date)

The time frame estimate is nonbinding upon the County, but the County is providing the estimate in good faith. Providing an estimated time frame does not relieve a public body from any of the other requirements of this act.

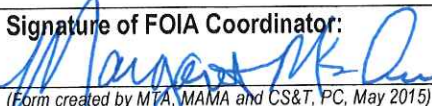
Reason for Extension:

1. The County needs to search for, collect, or appropriately examine or review a voluminous amount of separate and distinct public records pursuant to your request. Specifically, the County must:

2. The County needs to collect the requested public records from numerous field offices, facilities, or other establishments that are located apart from the County office. Specifically, the County must coordinate documents from the following locations:

3. Other (describe): _____

Signature of FOIA Coordinator:


(Form created by MTA, MAMA and CS&T, PC, May 2015)

Date:

1/12/16

FOIA Request for Public Records

Michigan Freedom of Information Act, Public Act 442 of 1976, MCL 15.231, *et seq.*

From: Frank E. Benn
Address: 6445 W. Airline Road, Weidman, MI
Date: 1/9/2016
Email: 11-17@nsfd.net

RECEIVED
JAN 11 2015
ISABELLA COUNTY
ADMINISTRATION

To: Isabella County Administration Office
200 N. Main St., Room #205
Mt. Pleasant, MI 48858

This request will be tendered via email and USPS Certified Mail. The latter will be a signed copy. This dual delivery, undertaken on advice from my attorney to ensure a timely delivery and evidence of receipt, should not be construed as a dual request for the same information.

Nor should this current request be construed as a request for duplicates of documents you may provide in response to my request of 1/5/2016. Please provide copies of the following ASAP and an itemized statement of fees assessed for providing the requested information:

All records associated with basis (reasons) for the conversion from analog to digital radio communications for use by fire services within Isabella County including, but not limited to, research results, letters, memos, emails, minutes, and notes taken by county officials or employees or anyone else associated with the conversion.

All records associated with the original use of the digital radio equipment currently in use for fire services in our county (if the original use was not for the fire service) including, but not limited to, research results, letters, memos, emails, minutes, and notes taken by county officials or employees or anyone else associated with the conversion.

All records associated with the repair and maintenance of the "fire west" repeater system (including transceiver, transmission lines, antennas, guy wires, housing and other tower facilities for the years 2010-2015 including, but not limited to, letters, memos, emails, bidding announcements, bids received, bills of sale, records of expenditures for equipment, records of expenditures for labor and expenditures for service and/or maintenance, minutes, and notes taken by county officials or employees or anyone else associated with the conversion.

All records associated with upgrading county transmitters, repeaters, transmission lines, antennas and tower facilities in preparation for the transition to digital communications for fire service communications including, but not limited to, letters, memos, emails, bidding announcements, bids received, bills of sale, records of expenditures for equipment, records of expenditures for labor and expenditures for service and/or maintenance, minutes, and notes taken by county officials or employees or anyone else associated with the conversion.

Please email me, ASAP, the estimate of, or an itemized statement of actual fees, that will be assessed for providing the requested information so I can have a check issued without delay. Please provide the name and address of the payee for the check in the email.

Upon receipt of the email copy of this request, please acknowledge via the email address provided above.

Frank E. Benn

1-09-2016