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## Public Records Request

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To: "Rep.Nygren" <Rep.Nygren@legis.wisconsin.gov>  
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Mon, Jun 17, 2019 at 1:04 PM

Dear Rep. Nygren,

This is to request, under the state's open records law (19.31-19.39, state statutes), copies of all records in your possession regarding communications received by your office on the upcoming budget bill, from March 1, 2019 to present. This should include letters, emails, phone call records, and records submitted at listening sessions that you attended. I would like for these records to be provided electronically, if they exist as such.

Please be aware that the Open Records Law "shall be construed in every instance with the presumption of complete public access consistent with the conduct of governmental business. The denial of access generally is contrary to the public interest and only in exceptional cases can access be denied." If you deny my request, the law requires you to do so in writing and state what part of the law you believe entitles you to deny my request. Wis. Stat. § 19.35(4)(a).

The Open Records law states that you may charge for "the actual, necessary and direct cost" of locating records, if this exceeds \$50, and for photocopies. Please advise me before processing this request if the total cost will exceed \$25.

As you know, the law requires you to respond to this request "as soon as practicable and without delay."

If you are not the records custodian for this information, please forward this request to the appropriate person. Also, please let me know if I can clarify or refine this request..

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