



Borough of Pitman

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October 2, 2024

Via email only (opra+request-66857-531ad6c7@requests.opramachine.com)

Michael Grillo

Re: Open Public Records Act Request

Dear Mr. Grillo:

The Borough of Pitman Records Custodian received your request for records pursuant to the Open Public Records Act (OPRA) and the New Jersey common law right of access on September 18, 2024. Accordingly, the seven (7) business day deadline was September 27, 2024. We previously requested an extension of time, until October 2, 2024, to further process your request.

Your records request was as follows:

Any email, subject and body, in reference to the Gloucester-Camden line (Commonly referred to as the GCL). Please include emails to or from, or mentioning, the GCL project manager the Delaware River Port Authority (commonly referred to as the DRPA). Please include emails to or from, or mentioning, project partner South Jersey Transportation Authority (commonly referred to as the SJTA) .

The requested date range is March 28th, 2022 - September 15th, 2024

Individuals subject to request: Mayor Razze, Current and former Council Members, Current Borough Clerk, and Previous Borough Clerk.

This request is made with great concerns to public safety.

A search of our available records has identified the following as responsive to your request:

GCL emails (46 pages)

Copies of the identified records are enclosed. Please note that, after consultation with the Borough records attorney, these records have been redacted as follows:

Privacy/Personal Identifying Information (PII). Part(s) of the identified record(s) containing personal information and/or images for which identified persons have a reasonable expectation of privacy have been redacted.

Advisory/Consultative/Deliberative (ACD). Parts of the identified record(s) which constitute inter-agency or intra-agency advisory, consultative or deliberative materials, which are exempt from disclosure under both OPRA and the common law, have been redacted. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1.1; *Education Law Center v. New Jersey Dept. of Educ.*, 198 N.J. 274 (2009); *Libertarians for Transparent Government v. Government Records Council*, 453 N.J. Super. 83 (App. Div.), *certif. denied* 233 N.J. 484 (2018); *Larkins v. Solter*, 450 N.J. Super. 519 (App. Div. 2017); *DeEugenio v. Borough of Glassboro*, GRC Complaint No. 2016-254 (June 2019).

Attorney-Client Communication/Attorney Work Product. The requested records or parts thereof constitute attorney-client communications and/or attorney work product, are therefore not considered government records under OPRA or the common law, and are deemed to be confidential. N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1.1; *O'Boyle v. Borough of Longport*, 218 N.J. 168 (2014); N.J.S.A. 2A:84A-20(1); N.J.R.E. 504(1).

If your request for access to a government record has been denied or unfilled within the seven (7) business days required by law, you have a right to challenge the decision by the Borough of Pitman to deny access. At your option, you may either institute a proceeding in the Superior Court of New Jersey or file a complaint with the Government Records Council (GRC) by completing the Denial of Access Complaint Form. You may contact the GRC by toll-free telephone at 866-850-0511, by mail at P.O. Box 819, Trenton, NJ, 08625, by e-mail at grc@dca.state.nj.us, or at their web site at www.state.nj.us/grc. The GRC can also answer other questions about the law. All questions regarding complaints filed in Superior Court should be directed to the Court Clerk in your County.

Very truly yours,

Carol Camacho
Deputy Clerk

cc: Sandi McCafferty, RMC, CMR
Borough Clerk/Administrator