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February 3, 2020

Via E-Mail [Mike<opra+request-9202-8d10498a@requests.opramachine.com]

Re:

Dear Sir:

The Morris County Sheriff's Office ("Sheriff's Office") records custodian received your Open Public Records Act ("OPRA") request submitted on January 25, 2020 on January 27, 2020. The seven (7) business day deadline for the Sheriff's Office response is February 5, 2020. As such, the Sheriff's Office is timely responding to your request.

Your OPRA request seeks the following records:

On or about Thursday, January 2, 2020 at approximately 10:50AM a motor vehicle accident occurred on Route 206, Flanders, NJ 07836. The victim (Frank Iaconio Jr. 34 Year Old Male) was operating a 2002 Chevrolet Cavalier and was ultimately declared deceased after being transported to Morristown Medical Center via Atlantic Air One.

I am respectfully requesting any and all Morris County Sheriff's Office (Including CIS and any other Unit/Section(s) that responded) reports including but not limited to; Investigation Report(s), Supplemental Investigation Report(s), CAD Report(s), Operations Report(s), SR-1 and 21 (R 2-04) MVC Accident Report(s) as well as any written statements from witnesses etc., regarding this event.

Enclosed please find the records that we identified as responsive to your OPRA request. Please note that the Sheriff's Office has redacted the decedent's social security number, home address, and unlisted telephone from the responsive records. See N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1 (providing that "a public agency has a responsibility and an obligation to safeguard from public access a citizen's personal information with which it has been entrusted when disclosure thereof would violate the citizen's reasonable expectation of privacy . . ."). See also N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1.1 (exempting that portion of any document which discloses the "social security number and unlisted telephone number of any person" from the definition of a "government record"); Wolosky v. Somerset Cty., 2017 WL 1179852 (App. Div. 2017) (holding that the County properly redacted the home address from the OPRA request documents provided to the plaintiff requestor). Additionally, the license plate number was redacted from the responsive records pursuant to R. 1:38-7 (providing that vehicle plate numbers constitute personal identifiers).

Your OPRA request is now deemed answered and closed. Thank you for your attention to this matter.
Very truly yours,

Katherine A. Rogers (Shively)
Confidential Assistant to Undersheriff
Records Custodian