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July 20, 2020

Taeho Kim

<opra+request-12821-1f524ee2@requests.opramachine.com>

Re: Extension of Time Needed on OPRA Request and Common Law
Right of Access Request dated May 28, 2020

Dear UC Research,

The City of Millville received your OPRA Request on May 28, 2020. Your OPRA Request and Common Law Right of Access Request sought access to the following:

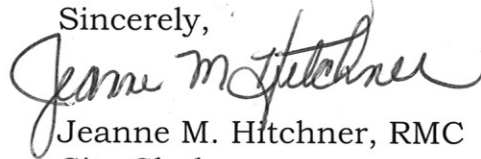
1. A list of all lawsuits and cases in which any officer of the police department was involved between 2012 and 2019. For each lawsuit/case, please provide the date (month and year) of the alleged incident at issue, whether the alleged incident was excessive force, settlement amount (if any), and final compensation amount ruled (if any).
2. Please provide copies of the complaint in any lawsuits and cases described in above.

Please be advised, your request requires an additional extension of time to retrieve the documents which are in storage and require a third party to retrieve said files. Due to the voluminous number of similar requests to the third party, there is a backlog of records to retrieve. I was made aware today that thirty (30) additional days are needed to complete this request for the public records being requested. Therefore, a response will be provided no later than August 19, 2020.

If your request for access to a government record has been denied or unfilled within seven business days required by law, you have the right to challenge the decision. 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

by completing the Denial of Access Complaint Form. You may contact the GRC at (866) 850-0511 or P.O. Box 819, Trenton, NJ 08625.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Jeanne M. Hitchner".

Jeanne M. Hitchner, RMC
City Clerk

CC: Jody Farabella, Police Chief
Joseph Hoydis, Police Lieutenant
Brock Russell, City Attorney
Regina Burke, Business Administrator

Respond: 6/4/20

Due: 6/8/20
7/23/20

Nichole Almanza

From: Hitchner, Jeanne
Sent: Friday, May 29, 2020 9:01 AM
To: Nichole Almanza
Subject: FW: OPRA request - OPRA - police officer-involved lawsuits 2012-2019

Please process.

Jeanne

-----Original Message-----

From: Taeho Kim <opra+request-12821-1f524ee2@requests.opramachine.com>
Sent: Wednesday, May 27, 2020 8:39 PM
To: Hitchner, Jeanne <Jeanne.Hitchner@millvillenj.gov>
Subject: OPRA request - OPRA - police officer-involved lawsuits 2012-2019

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MAY 28 2020
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE

CC: Regina
Brack
Jeanne

Dear Millville City,

This is a request for public records made under OPRA and the common law right of access. I am not required to fill out an official form. Please acknowledge receipt of this message.

Records requested:

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Yours faithfully,

UC Research

Please use deliver records electronically via email to the below UNIQUE address for all replies to this request:
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https://opramachine.com/change_request/new?body=millville_city

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