

Morris County Sheriff's Office

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To: Mr. McGorry
From: Captain James Janzen
Date: June 19, 2018
Subject: OPRA

Dear Mr. McGorry,

The Morris County Sheriff's Office ("Bureau of Corrections") records custodian received your Open Public Records Act ("OPRA") request dated June 9, 2018, on Monday, June 11, 2018. The seven (7) day business deadline to respond to your request is Wednesday, June 20, 2018. As such, the Sheriff's Office is timely responding to your OPRA request.

Your OPRA request seeks the following:

1. The number of Police Officers who attended the NJ PBA Convention while being paid by the county March 5-March 9, 2018
2. The per diem salary of each officer who attends the PBA Convention March 5-March 9, 2018
3. What was the total cost of overtime incurred to allow officers attend the PBA Convention March 5-March 9, 2018
4. The total amount spent by the PBA members to attend the convention

In response to your request, the Morris County Sheriff's Office is providing the following information:

- 1 – Twenty Two (22) Correction Officers (please see attached Statue)
- 2 – (see following chart)

PBA Convention Costs

March 5th, 2018-March 9th, 2018

Staff who attended	Salary (per hour)	# of PBA Days	# of paid Hours	Amount
Officer #1	60.56	2	16	968.96
Officer #2	50.07	1	8	400.56
Officer #3	25.26	3	24	606.24
Officer #4	38.20	4	32	1222.40
Officer #5	22.68	2	16	362.88
Officer #6	45.61	3	24	1094.64
Officer #7	50.07	1	8	400.56
Officer #8	50.07	1	8	400.56
Officer #9	50.07	1	8	400.56
Officer #10	45.61	2	16	729.76
Officer #11	45.61	1	8	364.88
Officer #12	25.26	2	16	404.16
Officer #13	32.65	3	24	783.6
Officer #14	22.68	1	8	181.44
Officer #15	50.07	2	16	801.12
Officer #16	60.56	2	16	968.96
Officer #17	50.07	1	8	400.56
Officer #18	50.07	1	8	400.56
Officer #19	45.61	3	24	1094.64
Officer #20	60.56	2	16	968.96
Officer #21	22.68	1	8	181.44
Officer #22	22.68	1	8	181.44
Totals:		40	320	13318.88

3 - \$7,038.56

4 – The Morris County Sheriff's Office- B.O.C. is not in possession of these records

Your request is now deemed answered and closed.

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 Sheriff's Office 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 Council 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. Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

Captain James Janzen
Administration Captain
Morris County Sheriff's Office- Bureau of Corrections

Should you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

2013 New Jersey Revised Statutes

Title 11A - CIVIL SERVICE

Section 11A:6-10 - Leaves of absence for convention attendance.

Universal Citation: NJ Rev Stat § 11A:6-10 (2013)

11A:6-10 Leaves of absence for convention attendance.

11A:6-10. A leave of absence with pay shall be given to employees who are duly authorized representatives of an employee organization defined as a "representative" in subsection e. of section 3 of P.L.1941, c.100 (C.34:13A-3) and affiliated with the New Jersey Policemen's Benevolent Association, Inc., Fraternal Order of Police, Firemen's Mutual Benevolent Association, Inc. or the Professional Fire Fighters Association of New Jersey to attend any State or national convention of the organization, provided, however, that no more than 10 percent of the employee organization's membership shall be permitted such a leave of absence with pay, except that no less than two and no more than 10 authorized representatives shall be entitled to such leave, unless more than 10 authorized representatives are permitted such a leave of absence pursuant to a collective bargaining agreement negotiated by the employer and the representatives of the employee organization, and for employee organizations with more than 5,000 members, a maximum of 25 authorized representatives shall be entitled to such leave. The leave of absence shall be for a period inclusive of the duration of the convention with a reasonable time allowed for travel to and from the convention, provided that such leave shall be for no more than seven days. A certificate of attendance at the convention shall, upon request, be submitted by the representative so attending.

L.1986, c.112, s.11A:6-10; amended 1993, c.105; 2000, c.130; 2001, c.309, s.1; 2002, c.41, s.1.