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May 16, 2023

John Paff

Mr. Paff,

The Egg Harbor Township Police Department received your Open Public Records Act (OPRA) request on May 12, 2023. The Deputy Custodian of Records, Chief Fred Spano, received your OPRA request on May 12, 2023. As such, the seven (7) business day deadline to respond to your request is May 23, 2023. This response to your request is being provided to you on the 2nd business day after the custodian's receipt of said request.

The table below identifies those records that are being denied in whole or in part as well as the legal basis for each denial, as is requested by N.J.S.A. 47:1A-6.

List of all records Responsive to OPRA Request	List of all records provided.	If records are disclosed with redactions, give a general nature description of the redactions.	If records were denied in their entirety, give a general nature description of the record.	List the legal explanation and statutory citation for the denial of access to records in their entirety or with redactions.
All police reports relating to a 2005 as Giblin Vs Egg Harbor Township	N/A	N/A	EHTPD Investigative Report 07-68021	Denied pursuant to NJSA 47:1A-1.1 Criminal Investigatory Records
CDR-1 or CDR-2 or other forms of complaints issued against Dominic Scalfaro	N/A	N/A	CDR-1 or CDR-2 or other forms of complaints issued against Dominic Scalfaro	No records responsive to request. This case was transferred to the Atlantic County Prosecutor's Office, you may want to reach out to them in regards to complaints.

These records are available for pick up at the Egg Harbor Township Police Department. The cost for this request is \$-0-. (sent via e-mail)

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 Egg Harbor Township Police Department 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 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.

Sincerely,



Fred Spano
Chief of Police
Egg Harbor Township Police Department

OPRA Request complied and completed by Egg Harbor Township Police Department Records Room
Supervisor Sharon Woolbert.



Sharon Woolbert

From: EHT Clerk
Sent: Friday, May 12, 2023 2:58 PM
To: Sharon Woolbert
Cc: Frederick Spano
Subject: OPRA request - Police Reports and Criminal Complaint (20230502-1.txt)

Below is an OPRA seeking information from your office in regards to Giblin v. Egg Harbor Township School District, Docket No. ATL-L-3108-21 from John Paff received today. Please respond to Mr. Paff no later than May 23, 2023.

No hard copy of this transmittal will follow.

Janice F. Hughes, RMC, CMR
Township of Egg Harbor
Deputy Township Clerk
Deputy Registrar of Vital Statistics
609-926-4103 / www.ehtgov.org

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From: John Paff <opra+request-42667-d872d5f8@requests.opramachine.com>
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To: EHT Clerk <Clerk@ehtgov.org>
Subject: OPRA request - Police Reports and Criminal Complaint (20230502-1.txt)

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Please accept this as my request for government records under both OPRA and the common law right of access. Thank you very much for your commitment to transparent government.

BACKGROUND:

In Giblin v. Egg Harbor Township School District, Docket No. ATL-L-3108-21 (later Federal Case No. 1:21-cv-18984), the plaintiff, who was a high school student between 2001 and 2005, claimed that she was groped and forcibly kissed by the assistant band director Dominic Scalfaro. In paragraph 25 of her complaint, the plaintiff alleged that, after she became an adult she "filed a formal police report, which included the interview of at least one (1) witness." Presumably, the police report was filed with the Egg Harbor Township Police Department. Unfortunately, the only date range I have is 2005 through to the lawsuit's filing on 09/29/21.

RECORDS REQUESTED:

1. All police reports relating to the incident described in "Background" above. If you claim that the report is exempt from disclosure, please acknowledge that the report exists.
2. Any CDR-1, CDR-2 or other forms of complaint issued against Dominic Scalfaro

Please deliver records electronically via email to the below UNIQUE address for all replies to this request:

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