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Sent: Monday, September 29, 2014 2:35pm

To: "[info@openthebooks.com](mailto:info@openthebooks.com)" <[info@openthebooks.com](mailto:info@openthebooks.com)>

Subject: RE: Information Request: FOIA

FYI-same request for all retirees. While the info we have is incomplete, due to waivers, this one is more difficult to duck. We can charge them, which might dissuade them, and/or tell them that our info is incomplete, not sure if either will work. Let me know your thoughts.

John

From: [info@openthebooks.com](mailto:info@openthebooks.com) [<mailto:info@openthebooks.com>]

Sent: Monday, September 29, 2014 12:53 PM

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MEDIA REQUEST

DATE: 09/29/2014

Dear Open Records Compliance Officer,

Pursuant to the Open Records Act/Freedom of Information Act this is a request for a copy of the following record(s): An electronic copy of any and all retired employees. Each employee record should contain the employer name; employer zip code; first name, middle initial, last name; retirement date (mm-dd-yyyy); monthly annuity amount.

The principal purpose of this is to make this information more accessible to the public and to access and disseminate information regarding the health, safety, and welfare of the general public. This request is not principally for personal or commercial benefit. Our agency is just exercising the general rights of the public. For these reasons we are requesting a waiver of fees. If there is a charge for this service please obtain my approval in writing prior to proceeding with request.

All documents can be e-mailed to [ [info@openthebooks.com](mailto:info@openthebooks.com) ]( <mailto:info@openthebooks.com> ) or mailed in electronic format (preferred format would be .csv or xls). If any documents are not provided in the format specified, please provide the state or federal statutes relied upon for that decision. If any record or portion of a record responsive to this request is contained in a record or portion of a record deemed unresponsive to the request, I would like to inspect the entire document. Under the Open Records Act/Freedom of Information Act, all non-exempt portions of any partially-exempt documents must be disclosed. If any records or portions of records are withheld, please state the exemption on which you rely, the basis on which the exemption is invoked, and the name of the individual responsible for the decision.

Thank you for your prompt consideration of my request. If you have any questions, or if I can be of any assistance, please e-mail me at [ [info@openthebooks.com](mailto:info@openthebooks.com) ]( <mailto:info@openthebooks.com> ).

Sincerely,

Adam Andrzejewski Chairman, American Transparency