

August 9, 2018

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Re: FOIA 18-0215

Dear Mr. Placko:

The Illinois Tollway is in receipt of your FOIA request dated August 2, 2018. In that request, you asked for electronic copies of any Tollway reports, emails or memos relating to an incident which occurred at the Illinois Tollway Board's monthly meeting on Thursday, July 26. Specifically there were allegations made by Executive Director Liz Gorman that she was threatened by Director Joseph Gomez.

Under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), a public body may extend the time to respond to a FOIA request by up to five (5) business days for a limited number of reasons. 5 ILCS 140/3(e). With this letter, we are extending the time to respond to your request by five (5) business days for the following reason: "there is a need for consultation, which shall be conducted with all practicable speed, with another public body or among two or more components of a public body having a substantial interest in the determination or in the subject matter of the request." 5 ILCS 140/3(e)(vii).

We are working with the Tollway's Legal Department and Department of Information Technology to complete our review and respond to your request.

As such, we will respond to your request on or before August 16, 2018.

Respectfully,

Gina Sabbia Freedom of Information Officer