

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
MAYOR'S OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL
Freedom of Information Act Appeal: 2020-154**

August 26, 2020

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Mr. Chuck Thies

RE: FOIA Appeals 2020-154

Dear Mr. Thies:

This letter responds to the administrative appeal you submitted to the Mayor under the District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act, D.C. Official Code § 2-537 ("DC FOIA"), on the grounds that the District of Columbia Department of Public Works ("DPW") improperly withheld records in response to your request for records under the DC FOIA.

You requested a copy of a settlement agreement regarding District of Columbia waste transfer stations. On March 19, 2020, you submitted an appeal to this Office. In your appeal, you stated that DPW responded to your initial request, but that the agency failed to provide you with the record you requested. On April 17, 2020, DPW responded to your appeal and provided you with the requested record.

Based on the foregoing, we dismiss your FOIA appeal as moot. This constitutes the final decision of this Office. If you are dissatisfied with this decision, you may commence a civil action against the District of Columbia government in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia in accordance with the DC FOIA.

Respectfully,

Mayor's Office of Legal Counsel

cc: Gehrrie D. Bellamy-Seaforth
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