

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
MAYOR'S OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL
Freedom of Information Act Appeal: 2022-007**

October 25, 2022

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL ONLY

Ms. Amie Davis

RE: FOIA Appeal 2022-007

Dear Ms. Davis:

This letter is in response to the administrative appeal that you have submitted to the Mayor pursuant to the District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), D.C. Code §§ 2-531, *et seq.* In your appeal, you have challenged the lack of response of the Metropolitan Police Department ("MPD") to your October 18, 2021 FOIA request, identified as 2022-FOIA-00436, which sought information related to the "Freeway Phantom Murders."

The District's FOIA-tracking data indicates MPD granted your request, in part, and denied it, in part, on October 18, 2021. You may contact the MPD FOIA personnel to obtain a copy of that decision. *See also* MPD's response to 2018-FOIA-00950 (previously released records on the "Freeway Phantom Killings").

Because you only challenged MPD's failure to respond and it appears MPD has responded to your request, we dismiss this appeal as moot.

This constitutes the final decision of this Office. However, you are free to challenge any substantive response received from MPD by separate appeal to 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.

Respectfully,

Mayor's Office of Legal Counsel

cc: Brandynn Reaves, MPD FOIA Officer (via email only)