

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
MAYOR'S OFFICE OF LEGAL COUNSEL
Freedom of Information Act Appeal: 2022-131**

June 29, 2022

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

Mr. Jeffrey Dickson

RE: FOIA Appeal 2022-131

Dear Mr. Dickson:

This letter responds to the administrative appeal you submitted to the Mayor under the District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act, D.C. Code § 2-537 (“DC FOIA”), alleging that the Department of Public Works (“DPW”) failed to respond to your DC FOIA requests.

On March 25, 2022, you submitted a DC FOIA request to DPW seeking “[a]ny information regarding parking enforcement on the 4400 block of C street SE, including any correspondence from Michael Harewood or Wendy Boyd on the matter” for the March 21, 2022 to March 25, 2022 time period. On April 5, 2022, you submitted a request seeking that same information for the March 26, 2022 to April 5, 2022 time period. On April 18, 2022, you filed appeals with this Office, which we consolidated for decision, asserting that your requests were closed without explanation. On May 13, 2022, we notified DPW of your appeals and requested a response. DPW responded on May 20, 2022 and May 31, 2022, explaining that the agency sent you responsive records via the FOIAXpress portal on April 14, 2022 and “received a delivery confirmation email from the FOIAXpress portal.”¹

Because DPW provided you with responsive records, we dismiss this appeal as moot. However, you are free to challenge DPW’s response by separate appeal to this Office.

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 in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia in accordance with D.C. Code § 2-537.

Respectfully,

Mayor’s Office of Legal Counsel

cc: Errika Jefferson, Assistant General Counsel
DPW (via email)

¹ A copy of the agency’s response to your appeal is attached to this decision.