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FOIA 25-133 — Supplemental Response, September 2, 2025

Supplemental letter conceding that underlying data exists, demanding a 50% deposit and estimating 180 days.

From: Delta County Prosecutor's Office, 310 Ludington Street, Suite 237, Escanaba, Michigan 49829
To: `REQUESTER NAME AND ADDRESS REDACTED`
Date: September 2, 2025
Re: FOIA Requests #25-133 and #25-175

Dear `REQUESTER`:

This letter is a supplemental response to your Freedom of Information Act requests identified above.

Request history as stated by the office

REQUEST	DATED	RECEIVED	RESPONDED
#25-133	June 26, 2025	July 27, 2025	July 7, 2025
#25-175	August 2, 2025	August 4, 2025	August 8, 2025

Reproduced exactly as printed. The dates in the first row cannot all be correct: a request cannot be answered on July 7 if it was not received until July 27, and neither date matches the office's own July 17, 2025 response letter, which states that the request was received on June 27, 2025.

Supplemental response

In response to your requests, this office is prepared to provide the underlying information that would allow for your requested statistical summaries or breakdowns to be calculated. That information is subject to redaction under MCL 15.243(1)(a).

Because the volume of records responsive to your request is substantial, this office has prepared a detailed cost itemization, attached. Pursuant to MCL 15.234(8), a deposit of one-half of the estimated total fee is required before the records will be prepared.

Estimated total fee: $2,815.20
Deposit required (50%): $1,407.60
Estimated time frame to provide records: 180 days from receipt of the deposit

If you are dissatisfied with this response, you may appeal to the Delta County Prosecutor's Office by writing to the FOIA Coordinator and using the word "appeal" in your correspondence, pursuant to MCL 15.240(1)(a).

Sincerely,

Lauren M. Wickman
Delta County Prosecuting Attorney

Note on this public copy. Three features of this letter are examined on the FOIA 25-133 page. (1) The internal date error in the request-history table is reproduced here without correction. (2) The letter concedes that "the underlying information that would allow for your requested statistical summaries or breakdowns to be calculated" exists — two months after the office certified that the requested summary did not exist. (3) The letter requires $1,407.60 before any record is prepared and estimates 180 days to produce records, while the itemization prices 113.33 hours of labor. The letter does not mention the 45-day deadline for a fee challenge under MCL 15.240a(1)(b).