

EQUITY

FORWARD

June 4, 2019

Public Records Custodian
Office of the Governor
Debbie Goeller
Deborah.goeller@governor.mo.gov

Re: Sunshine Law Request

Dear Ms. Goeller:

Pursuant to the state open records law Mo. Rev. Stat. Secs. 610.010 to 610.225, Equity Forward requests access to and copies of all the following records:

Records Requested

1. All correspondence (including but not limited to any emails, digital or physical schedules, digital/email calendar invites, precatory/briefing materials, and follow materials) of the Governor's Office officials listed below regarding a May 30, 2019 call concerning the license St. Louis Planned Parenthood as referenced by the [Kansas City Star](#), or containing the phrase "#shutthemdown."
 - a. Governor Mike Parson
 - b. Steele Shippy, Communications Director
 - c. Robert Knodell, Deputy Chief of Staff
 - d. Kelli Jones, Press Secretary
 - e. Marylyn Luetkemeyer, Executive Assistant
 - f. Aaron Willard, Chief of Staff
 - g. Justin Alferman, Legislative Director
2. All correspondence (including but not limited to any emails, digital or physical schedules, digital/email calendar invites, precatory/briefing materials, and follow-up materials) of the Missouri State Government officials listed below regarding a May 30, 2019 call concerning the license St. Louis Planned Parenthood as referenced by the [Kansas City Star](#), or containing the phrase "#shutthemdown."
 - a. Rep. Nick Schroer
 - b. Rep. Jeff Shawan
 - c. Rep. Ann Kelley
 - d. Rep. Doug Richey
 - e. Rep. Allen Andrews
 - f. Rep. Mike Moon
 - g. Rep. Tom Hurst
 - h. Rep. Dottie Bailey
 - i. Rep. Mike McGirl

- j. Rep. Hannah Kelly
 - k. Rep. Jim Murphy
 - l. Rep. Mike Haffner
 - m. Rep. Barry Hovis
 - n. Rep. Justin Hill
 - o. Rep. Jack Bondon
 - p. Rep. Ron Hicks
 - q. Rep. Danny Busick
 - r. Rep. Jeff Porter
 - s. Rep. Tim Remole
 - t. Rep. Jeff Pogue
 - u. Rep. David Gregory
 - v. Rep. Chrissy Sommer
 - w. Rep. John Simmons
 - x. Sen. Andrew Koenig
3. All correspondence (including but not limited to any emails, digital or physical schedules, digital/email calendar invites, precatory/briefing materials, and follow-up materials) of outside groups listed below regarding a Ma, 30, 2019 call concerning the license St. Louis Planned Parenthood as referenced by the [Kansas City Star](#), or containing the phrase “#shutthemdown.”
- a. Missouri Right to Life
 - b. Faith2Freedom
 - c. Americans United for Life
 - d. Alliance Defending Freedom
 - e. Susan B. Anthony List
 - f. National Right to Life
 - g. Team PL Team PLAY (Prayer, Legislation, Action You)
 - h. Midwest March For Life
 - i. Columbia 40 Days For Life

“Correspondence” should include but not be limited to: emails, email attachments, text messages, telephone call logs, calendar invitations/entries, meeting notices, meeting agendas, informational material, talking points, any handwritten or electronic notes taken during any responsive communications, summaries of any responsive communications, or other materials reflecting communications sent to, from or carbon copying (CC) all relevant individuals.

Fee Waiver Request

Equity Forward requests a waiver of fees because disclosure of the requested information is in the public interest because it is likely to contribute significantly to public understanding of government operations and is not primarily in the commercial interest of the requester. The disclosure of the information sought under this request will document and reveal the operations of the government, including how public funds are spent and how officials conduct the public’s business.

This request is for non-commercial purposes. As a project of a 501(c)(3) organization, Equity Forward does not have a commercial purpose, and the release of the information requested is not in Equity Forward’s financial interest. Equity Forward will use the information gathered through this request to educate the public through reports, press releases, or other media. Accordingly, Equity Forward qualifies for a fee waiver.

Conclusion

As provided by the open records law, I will expect your response within three (3) business days. See Mo. Rev. Stat. Sec. 610.023(3).

If my request is denied in whole or part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the law. Additionally, if any documents are withheld based on the Department's interpretation of any exemption, I request that you provide an index of all denied documents. Please also inform me if costs associated with this request will exceed \$200.

If possible, I would prefer to receive this information electronically via e-mail at macarter@equityfwd.org. If you have questions or need additional information, please feel free to call me at (678) 827-1731.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Mary Alice Carter". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "Mary" and last name "Carter" being the most prominent parts.

Mary Alice Carter
Senior Advisor, Equity Forward