

Subject: [FWD: RE: Request to inspect public records]
From: Geoffrey Davidian <geoff@MilwaukeePress.Net>
Date: Fri, May 12, 2006 6:54 am
To: Chris Swartz <CSwartz@villageofshorewood.org>, RPollen@milwlaw.com

Dear Mr. Swartz:

Dear Mr. Swartz:

The forwarded email was sent from Mr. Hanewall's email address, heff@eadp.com, and he states that all email sent in his official capacity is archived on the village server.

Since Mr. Hanewall's tenure in appointed positions predates the establishment of a village email archive, I assume that Mr. Hanewall has delivered either electronic or paper copies of his correspondence to you for archiving.

I therefore ask that the village make available to me for inspection correspondence to or from Mr. Hanewall in his official capacity on the design, library and village boards between Jan.1, 2002 and the present. If you are not in possession of archived correspondence state law requires Mr. Hanewall to retain and make available for this period, please ask Mr. Pollen to inquire whether the public integrity folks at the Attorney General's Office have an opinion on whether a violation of state law has occurred.

I also ask that you produce for inspection the correspondence Mr. Hanewall alludes to when he writes, "[as I have pointed out to you in the past, my office e-mail address is for office matters unless I have given permission for its use otherwise. You are well aware of my trustee e-mail address.](#)" Also, all correspondence in your possession in which Mr. Hanewall provides his village email address. As you can see from the forwarded message, Mr. Hanewall does use his work email address in official correspondence.

Perhaps Mr. Pollen can ask the public integrity office whether the fact that the village archives email correspondence Mr. Hanewall is exempt from the law that establishes him as custodian of his records.

Also, if if you have any records or opinions suggesting that Mr. Hanewall may correspond from his work email while destroying those messages he does not care to retain, please provide them to me.

Finally, in previous correspondence you informed me that you were researching the status of the legal bills for the library. As you know, I challenge your asserted unfettered discretion to pick and choose which records are open to which person by whim, after colluding with Mr. Hanewall. Please immediately restore the rule of law to the village records access policy.

Very truly yours,

Geoff Davidian

----- Original Message -----

Subject: RE: Request to inspect public records
From: "Jeff Hanewall" <jeffh@eadp.com>
Date: Thu, May 11, 2006 5:16 pm
To: "Geoff Davidian" <Geoff@MilwaukeePress.Net>
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I have neither sent nor received e-mail pertaining to my positions on the Design Review Board, the Library Board, or the Village Board that is not archived on the village's server. Therefore, you will have to direct your request to the Village Manager's office. As the Village Manager sees fit, paper copies of the documents you have requested may be placed on file for you to review and to make copies at your expense if you so desire.

Furthermore, as I have pointed out to you in the past, my office e-mail address is for office matters unless I have given permission for its use otherwise. You are well aware of my trustee e-mail address. Consequently, I will not accept any future correspondence - in any format - from you addressed to me at my office.

Jeff Hanewall

From: Geoff Davidian [mailto:Geoff@MilwaukeePress.Net]

Sent: Thursday, May 04, 2006 10:35 PM

To: Jeff Hanewall

Subject: Request to inspect public records

Dear Trustee Hanewall,

This is a request to inspect public records pursuant to Wisconsin statute.

I request access to inspect all electronic mail (email) correspondence sent to you or from you between Jan. 1, 2005 and the present, relating to your official capacity on the Shorewood Village Library Board, Shorewood Design Board and Village Board of Trustees. This request is for all documents relating to the business of any government body of which you are or were a member.

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