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RE: Your August 14, 2021 Public Records Requests

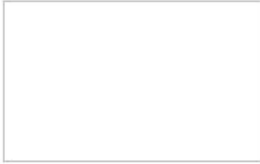
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- The NAME, JOB TITLE/DESCRIPTION of all persons employed by the Wisconsin Department of Health Services, OR other State of Wisconsin agencies or employees and ANY/ALL elected officials involved in the "COVID-19 Community Outreach Grant" Process.
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Gmail - FW: Open Records Requests



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**From:** Chuck H  
**Sent:** Monday, September 27, 2021 7:31 PM  
**To:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** FW: Open Records Requests

I think it's safe to say that Wisconsin is UP ShIT cREEK

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**From:** Hunnicutt, Stephanie L - DHS  
**Sent:** Friday, September 24, 2021 1:37 PM  
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**Subject:** Open Records Requests

Dear Mr. Haeuser,

Please see the attached response to your open records requests.

Thank you,


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**8 attachments**

-  **1 - Converted To PDF\_Redacted.pdf**  
10136K
-  **2 - COVID-19 Vaccination Outreach RFA - Review Manual (final) (3).pdf**  
412K
-  **3 - COVID19\_Vaccine\_Community\_Outreach\_Awardees\_033021.xlsx**  
61K
-  **4 - RFA Reviewer Scores All-Discussion.xlsx**  
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-  **5 - X\_COVID-19 Vaccination Outreach RFA - Reviewer 12 - Score Sheet.xlsx**  
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-  **6 - X\_COVID-19 Vaccination Outreach RFA - Reviewer 19 - Score Sheet.xlsx**  
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-  **7 - X\_COVID-19 Vaccination Outreach RFA - Reviewer 20 Score Sheet.xlsx**  
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-  **Response Letter.pdf**  
243K

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- Please include all relevant dates as they pertain to ANY INFORMATION IN THIS REQUEST. The NAME, JOB TITLE/DESCRIPTION of all persons who approved this amount of money for this purpose at the Department of Health Services, and where did the money come from. The NAME, JOB TITLE/DESCRIPTION of all persons who approved this amount of money for this purpose elected or employed by the State of Wisconsin, and where did the money come from.

DHS has no responsive records to the first two bullets of your request. It should also be noted that DHS does not conduct any of its own studies on COVID-19 samples and nor does DHS conduct its own vaccine safety and effectiveness research. That research is part of the process of vaccine approval overseen the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (“FDA”), and DHS relies on the direction and guidance of the FDA and the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (“CDC”) with respect to vaccine safety, including which vaccines are approved for a specified use. For more information on COVID-19 diagnostics, you might consider visiting: <https://www.cdc.gov/amd/index.html>.

The records responsive to your request regarding the Community Outreach Grants and specifically Racine county’s application and award are enclosed. Pursuant to the common law balancing test and consistent with Wis. Stat. § 995.50, we made efforts to redact the cell phone number of a local government partner. Making this information available could subject these partners to harassing contact and would constitute an invasion of their privacy. The public’s interest in individual privacy outweighs any minimal harm, especially given that no other identifying information has been withheld. The strong public interest in knowing who is contacting the Department or other government partners is not affected by withholding this individual’s cell phone number.

We also redacted links to video conference calls. Making those available would cause unnecessary and unwarranted interruptions for employees and could allow unauthorized access to discussions potentially involving confidential information. Pursuant to the common law balancing test, we have concluded that the public interest in efficient state business functions outweighs any minimal public interest in access to that information.

If you believe that we have improperly determined that the information should not be provided to you, you have a right under Wis. Stat. § 19.37 to have the determination reviewed by *mandamus* or upon application to the attorney general or district attorney. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at [DHSOpenRecords@dhs.wisconsin.gov](mailto:DHSOpenRecords@dhs.wisconsin.gov).

Sincerely,

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