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Austin Evers
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RE: FOIA Case No. 2020-FPRO-01105

Dear Mr. Evers:

This responds to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request of May 12, 2020, in which you seek access to Postal Service records as follows:

1. Any directives or guidance from the White House, including but not limited to those from President Trump, regarding voting by mail or USPS's role in delivering ballots for primary or general elections this year.
2. Any directives or guidance from the Postmaster General or her immediate staff, regarding voting by mail or USPS's role in delivering ballots for primary or general elections this year.
3. Any final assessments or analyses regarding USPS's ability to handle increases in the use of voting by mail (including but not limited to handling the cost of and issues regarding ballots without postage) in light of the coronavirus outbreak and its consequences.

In response to Items 1, 2 and 3, a search was conducted of the records maintained by Marketing in Washington, DC. However, despite this diligent search, we were unable to locate responsive documents.

If you are not satisfied with the response to this request, you may file an administrative appeal within 90 days of the date of this response letter by writing to the General Counsel, U.S. Postal Service, 475 L'Enfant Plaza SW, Washington, DC 20260 or via email at FOIAAppeal@usps.gov. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within 90 days of the date of the response to your request. The letter of appeal should include, as applicable:

- (1) A copy of the request, of any notification of denial or other action, and of any other related correspondence;
- (2) The FOIA tracking number assigned to the request;
- (3) A statement of the action, or failure to act, from which the appeal is taken;
- (4) A statement identifying the specific redactions to responsive records that the requester is challenging;
- (5) A statement of the relief sought; and
- (6) A statement of the reasons why the requester believes the action or failure to act is erroneous.

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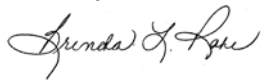
For further assistance and to discuss any aspect of your request, you may contact the undersigned or any of the following:

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Additionally, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at ogis@nara.gov; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769.

Sincerely,



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