

Subject: Open Records Request

Date: Wednesday, January 29, 2025 at 5:54:11 PM Eastern Standard Time

From: Brown, Taylor (SBE)

To: AO Records

EXTERNAL SENDER

SENT VIA EMAIL

Dear Ms. Stark,

On Wednesday, January 22, 2025, the Kentucky State Board of Elections (“SBE”) received your email requesting “All email communications (including emails, email attachments, complete email chains, calendar invitations, and calendar invitation attachments) between (a) any of the Kentucky State Board of Elections officials listed below, and (b) any of the external entities or individuals listed below, or anyone communicating on their behalf (including, but not limited to, at the listed email addresses and/or domains).

Kentucky State Board of Elections Officials:

- i. Karen Sellers, State Board of Elections Executive Director
- ii. Richard House, State Board of Elections Assistant Executive Director

External Entities or Individuals:

- a. Cleta Mitchell (cleta@cletamitchell.com, cmitchell@foley.com)
 - b. Conservative Partnership Institute (cpi.org, conservativepartnership.org)
 - c. EagleAI NETwork (EagleAI.pro)
 - d. Election Integrity Network (whoscounting.us, ElectionIntegrity.Network)
 - e. Gina Swoboda (ginaswoboda@hotmail.com, ginaswo@asu.edu, gs@voterreferencefoundation.com, gswoboda@azleg.gov)
 - f. Hans von Spakovsky (hans.vonspakovsky@heritage.org)
 - g. Haystack Investigations (haystackinvestigations.com)
 - h. Heather Honey (heather@verityvote.us, hhoney@haystackinvestigations.com, h2osint@protonmail.com)
 - i. Jay Valentine (jay@contingencysales.com, omega4america.com, contingencysales.com, jayvalentine.com, electionwatch.info, fractalweb.app)
 - j. John Richards (johnrichards@EagleAI.pro)
 - k. Mac Warner (amwarner@aol.com)
 - l. Patrice Johnson (patricejohnson11@gmail.com)
 - m. Patricia Chandler (jsia34765@gmail.com)
 - n. Rick Richards (drr@cathaid.com, drr@EagleAI.pro, drronline@me.com)
 - o. Verity Vote (verityvote.us)
 - p. Virginia Institute for Public Policy (virginia institute.org)
 - q. Voter Reference Foundation (voteref.com, voterreferencefoundation.com)”
- ...and

“All email communications (including emails, email attachments, complete email chains, calendar invitations, and calendar invitation attachments) sent by any of the officials listed above in part 1 and containing any of the key terms listed below.

Key Terms:

- a. “ERIC withdrawal”
- b. “withdraw from ERIC”
- c. “ERIC alternative”
- d. “alternative to ERIC”
- e. “ERIC replacement”
- f. “replace ERIC”
- g. “leave ERIC”
- h. EagleAI
- i. “Eagle AI”
- j. Cleta

...sent by the specified individuals...from February 1, 2024, through the date the search is conducted.”

SBE has no records responsive to this request.

This response adequately and sufficiently complies with your request, the Kentucky Open Records Act, and constitutes final action by the Kentucky State Board of Elections.

Thanks,

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