Mark Graff - NOAA Federal

From:	Mark Graff - NOAA Federal
Sent:	Wednesday, March 7, 2018 7:14 AM
To:	Ryan Mulvey
Cc:	Lola Stith - NOAA Affiliate
Subject:	Re: FOIA Request No. DOC-NOAA-2018-000428
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Hello Mr. Mulvey,

Of course--attached is the 1st cover letter, issued as an attachment to the 1/17/2018 email accompanying the 1st release. Please let me know if you have any other issues retrieving the records or correspondence.
Best,

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On Tue, Mar 6, 2018 at 7:05 AM, Ryan Mulvey <ryan.mulvey@causeofaction.org> wrote:

> Mr. Graff,
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> Thank you. I was able to download and unzip the three folders with the 109 files.
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> I was also able to download the 144 files from January 17. However, there is no release letter on FOIAonline. Would you kindly forward me a copy? Thank you again for your help.
>
> All the best,
>
> Ryan Mulvey

From: Mark Graff - NOAA Federal [mailto:mark.graff@noaa.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2018 8:07 AM
To: Ryan Mulvey <ryan.mulvey@causeofaction.org>
Cc: Lola Stith - NOAA Affiliate <lola.m.stith@noaa.gov>
Subject: Re: FOIA Request No. DOC-NOAA-2018-000428

Hello Mr. Mulvey,

Yes, we made an interim release on January 17, 2018. That release consisted of the metrics for all of the monthly reports, totaling 144 files. That release was successfully transmitted through FOIAOnline. Attached are three zip files, totaling 109 files, representing the 2nd interim release of the metrics for the weekly reports. If we are able to upload these files through FOIAOnline at a later point in time, we will also make them available on the forward facing portal, but for the purposes of the 2nd interim release, please consider this release complete. Please also let me know if you have trouble accessing the 144 files released on January 17. Best regards,

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On Mon, Mar 5, 2018 at 7:24 AM, Ryan Mulvey <ryan.mulvey@causeofaction.org> wrote:

> Mark,
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> Thank you for your update and the interim determination. I'll be on the lookout for the 109 files. I've heard from others that there have been a lot of problems recently with FOIAonline, so I understand and appreciate you sending the files directly by e-mail.
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> You mention this is the second interim release, however I have no record of a first interim production.

By my records, I only ever received an acknowledgement letter and a fee waiver determination. Could you please re-send the first response letter? I assume those files are available through FOIAonline?

Thanks,

Ryan

From: Mark Graff - NOAA Federal [mailto:mark.graff@noaa.gov]
Sent: Monday, March 05, 2018 7:18 AM
To: Ryan Mulvey <ryan.mulvey@causeofaction.org>
Cc: Lola Stith - NOAA Affiliate <lola.m.stith@noaa.gov>
Subject: Re: FOIA Request No. DOC-NOAA-2018-000428

Good Morning Mr. Mulvey,

We continue processing this request, and anticipate releasing the 2nd Interim Release to you some time today. The 2nd interim release is 109 files. We have attempted multiple times to upload the release through FOIAOnline, but may ultimately need to release the records directly to you through email due to limits on the FOIAOnline release capability. A copy of the Interim cover letter is attached, signed today, and if the files cannot be uploaded through FOIAOnline, I will send them in batches through email to you directly. Thank you for your patience and best regards.

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On Fri, Mar 2, 2018 at 5:40 AM, Ryan Mulvey <ryan.mulvey@causeofaction.org> wrote:

Mr. Graff,

I hope this e-mail finds you well. I would appreciate an update on the status of CoA Institute's FOIA request, dated December 11, 2017, which was assigned tracking number DOC-NOAA-2018-000428. The agency's initial estimated date of completion was February 1, 2018.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Kind regards,

Ryan Mulvey

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