

September 28, 2015

VIA E-MAIL AND FIRST CLASS MAIL

Jessica Linehan
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Re: City of Garden Grove – Public Records Act Request
Dated August 25, 2015 – Notice of Determination

Dear Ms. Linehan:

As you are aware, our office serves as City Attorney to the City of Garden Grove (“City”) and has been authorized to respond to your request for public records, received on August 25, 2015. The City sent you correspondence on September 8, 2015 providing notice of its intent to exercise its right to a fourteen-day time extension within which to provide its notice of determination. Thereafter, we spoke over the telephone on September 17, 2015 for the purpose of clarifying your request, wherein you indicated that your request pertained to records which would have been relied upon by Skorheim in conducting the audit. On September 22, 2015, we spoke over the telephone again to confirm the clarification of your request and grant an additional time-extension in order for you to follow up with your client. The City has not received a response.

This letter shall serve as the City’s attempt to comply with the California Public Records Act (“Act”) (Government Code §6250 *et seq.*) by providing formal notice as to whether your request, in whole or in part, seeks non-exempt, non-privileged, disclosable public records in the City's possession, pursuant to the Act. The City has completed its review and determined that it does not possess disclosable records which are responsive to your request. Your request seeks records which are protected by the attorney-client privilege and the attorney work-product doctrine, and thus are exempt from disclosure and will not be produced. (Government Code §6254(k); Code of Civil Procedure §2018.030; Evidence Code §954).

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If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at your convenience.

Warmest regards,

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cc: Denise Kehn, Deputy City Clerk