

Note added by Michigan Plate Readers. Message from the Farmington Hills Police Department's FOIA Unit Coordinator on our request FHP-2026-09-29-B (system exports), received October 8, 2026 at 10:12 am (14:12:11 UTC) by email, subject "RE: FOIA Request: Flock Safety / ALPR program records: system exports", in reply to our status message of 10:03 am; the same text as the Coordinator's message of 10:11 am on the documents request. Text of the message as received, including the passage of the Act the Coordinator pasted; the Coordinator's name, phone and the quoted thread are left out. End of note.

Hello,

We received your request electronically on Wednesday, September 30, 2026- as your request was sent at 9:40 pm on Tuesday, September 29, 2026 after our regular business hours. We have until the end of the day today to respond. Please see the Freedom of Information Act excerpt below for reference.

15.235 Request to inspect or receive copy of public record; response to request; failure to respond; damages; contents of notice denying request; signing notice of denial; notice extending period of response; action by requesting person; law enforcement records management system; alternate responses.
Sec. 5.

(1) Except as provided in section 3, a person desiring to inspect or receive a copy of a public record shall make a written request for the public record to the FOIA coordinator of a public body. A written request made by facsimile, electronic mail, or other electronic transmission is not received by a public body's FOIA coordinator until 1 business day after the electronic transmission is made. However, if a written request is sent by electronic mail and delivered to the public body's spam or junk-mail folder, the request is not received until 1 day after the public body first becomes aware of the written request. The public body shall note in its records both the time a written request is delivered to its spam or junk-mail folder and the time the public body first becomes aware of that request.

(2) Unless otherwise agreed to in writing by the person making the request, a public body shall, subject to subsection (10), respond to a request for a public record within 5 business days after the public body receives the request by doing 1 of the following:

- (a) Granting the request.
- (b) Issuing a written notice to the requesting person denying the request.
- (c) Granting the request in part and issuing a written notice to the requesting person denying the request in part.
- (d) Issuing a notice extending for not more than 10 business days the period during which the public body shall respond to the request. A public body shall not issue more than 1 notice of extension for a particular request.

Thank you,

FOIA Unit Coordinator
Farmington Hills P.D.