

Note added by Michigan Plate Readers. Response from the City of Ferndale on request 26-669, received September 30, 2026 by email and on the request's portal thread. Text as pasted by the requester on September 30, 2026. The letter does not state the request number. End of note.

The City of Ferndale received your Freedom of information Act (FOIA) request for "FPD FLOCK records from 01 July 2026-Present."

The City denies the request because the City does not have or maintain the public records requested. This letter serves as a certificate that the records you requested do not exist under the name given by you or by another name reasonably known to the City. Further, the City is not required to create a document or a compilation, summary, or report of information to respond to a request. MCL 15.233(4). The FOIA also does not require the City to create a new public record to respond to a request. MCL 15.233(5). Thus, the City is not required to create a document with the information you requested.

Since your request has been denied you have the right to (1) submit to the head of the public body a written appeal that specifically states the word "appeal" and identifies the reason or reasons for the reversal of the disclosure denial or (2) seek judicial review of this decision, as stated in Section 10 of the Michigan Freedom of Information Act, MCL 15.240. Further, you have the right to seek attorney fees as provided in Section 10 if the court determines that the City has not complied with this Section and orders disclosure of all or part of the public record.

The City of Ferndale's FOIA Procedures/Guidelines and the Written Public Summary are available at the following website: <https://www.ferndalemi.gov/resources/freedom-of-information-act-request>

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Hadley Warta

Records Coordinator