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Chuck Tombarge, deputy chief of staff/data practices compliance official
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RE: Minnesota Data Practices Act request

I am making a request for access to public data under the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes, Chapter 13.

I am seeking to inspect and/or make copies of the following government data produced, maintained, transmitted, received, or created between January 1, 2014 and December 31, 2015:

1. Any contracts executed between the University of Minnesota and Greater MSP;
2. Any memoranda of understanding (MOUs) executed between the University of Minnesota and Greater MSP;
3. Any records of payments made by the University of Minnesota to Greater MSP.

I am seeking to inspect and/or make copies of the following government data produced, maintained, transmitted, received, or created between October 1, 2015 and December 31, 2015:

1. Any correspondence between staff of the University of Minnesota and any staff member of Greater MSP.


Please consider this letter a formal request for the indefinite retention of the requested data, pending resolution or reclassification of its status.

As required by section 13.03, Subd. 3(f) of the Minnesota Statutes, I am requesting that in the event that any portion of this request is not granted, that your department certify in writing that the request has been denied, and cite the specific statutory section, temporary classification, or other provision of law upon which the denial is based.

This request is made as part of news gathering, and is not for commercial use.

If you have questions regarding this request, I can be reached by telephone at 651-556-1381, or by U.S. post.

Sincerely,



Mike Kaszuba
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