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**WORCESTER TOWNSHIP, MONTGOMERY COUNTY
STANDARD RIGHT-TO-KNOW REQUEST FORM**

Per State Law: Please allow up to five (5) business days for an agency response.

DATE REQUESTED: 6/2/16

REQUEST SUBMITTED BY: E-MAIL U.S. MAIL FAX IN-PERSON

YOUR NAME: Jim Mollish

YOUR STREET ADDRESS: _____

CITY/STATE/COUNTY (Required): _____

TELEPHONE (Optional): _____ FAX (Optional): _____

E-MAIL ADDRESS (Optional): _____

DESCRIPTION OF RECORDS REQUESTED:

*Provide as much specific detail as possible below so that the agency can identify the records.

See voucher

HOW I WANT THE RECORDS (Charges may apply):

PICK UP FAX EMAIL STANDARD MAIL DISC VIEW IN PERSON

I WANT CERTIFIED COPIES OF THE RECORDS (Additional charges apply):

YES NO

From: jim
Sent: Thursday, June 02, 2016 9:30 AM
To: Tommy Ryan
Subject: Nike RTK

Right to Know Officer,

At the 2015 Budget Hearing, the Township manger, Mr. Garrity and Supervisor Caughlan all confirmed that 80,000 dollars of taxpayer funds was being allocated towards the Nike Army base for the year 2016 for "environmental studies" to be done in 2016. Supervisor Caughlan stated the studies were part of the Board's "due diligence". At a recent meeting of the Board, members seem to have amnesia.

The following is a request for records made pursuant to the Right to Know Law ("RTKL"). Please be advised, the term "record" and "records" as used is defined under the Right to Know Law ("RTKL") as "Information, regardless of physical form or characteristics, that documents a transaction or activity of an agency and that is created, received or retained pursuant to law or in connection with a transaction, business or activity of the agency. The term includes a document, paper, letter, map, book, tape, photograph, film or sound recording, information stored or maintained electronically and a data-processed or image-processed document."

Although Supervisor Caughlan suggested that I "sue" the Township,

In light of the foregoing, the following records are requested,

1. I would like copies of any and/or all detailed billing invoices for legal services submitted by the Environmental Law Firm of Manko, Gold, Katcher and Fox and/or any of its partners and/or associates to Worcester Township monthly, for the years 2015 and 2016 to date.
2. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes between Solicitor Garrity and/or anyone in his law firm and the Law Firm of Manko, Gold, Katcher and Fox and/or anyone in that law firm regarding the Nike Army Reserve Base including but not limited to any environmental concerns and/or the presence of toxic and/or hazardous materials at the site monthly, for the years 2015 and 2016 to date.
3. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes between the Worcester Board of Supervisors collectively and/or individually regarding the Nike Army Reserve Base including but not limited to any environmental concerns and/or the presence of toxic and/or hazardous materials at the site monthly, for the years 2015 and 2016 to date.
4. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes to and/or from the Worcester Board of Supervisors collectively and/or individually regarding the Nike Army Reserve Base including but not limited to any environmental concerns and/or the presence of toxic and/or hazardous materials at the site monthly, for the years 2015 and 2016 to date.
5. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes to and/or from the Township Manager regarding the Nike Army Reserve Base including but not limited to any environmental concerns and/or the presence of toxic and/or hazardous materials at the site monthly, for the years 2015 and 2016 to date.
6. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes between the Worcester Board of Supervisors collectively and/or individually regarding "environmental studies" that are to be performed at the site as stated by Mr. Ryan, Mr. Garrity and confirmed by Supervisor Caughlan when she stated it was part of the Board's "due diligence" monthly for the years 2014, 2015, and 2016 to date.
7. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes to or from the Worcester Board of Supervisors collectively and/or individually regarding "environmental studies" that are to be performed at the site as stated by Mr. Ryan, Mr. Garrity and confirmed by Supervisor Caughlan when she stated it was part of the Board's "due diligence" monthly for the years 2014, 2015, and 2016 to date.
8. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes to or from the Township Manager collectively and/or individually regarding "environmental studies" that are to be performed at the site as stated by Mr. Ryan, Mr. Garrity and confirmed by Supervisor Caughlan when she stated it was part of the Board's "due diligence" monthly for the years 2014, 2015, and 2016 to date.
9. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes between Mr. Garrity and the Manko Firm regarding "environmental studies" that are to be performed at the site as stated by Mr. Ryan, Mr. Garrity and confirmed by Supervisor Caughlan when she stated it was part of the Board's "due diligence" monthly for the years 2014, 2015, and 2016 to date.
10. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes between the Worcester Board of Supervisors collectively and/or individually regarding demolition at the site monthly, for the years 2015 and 2016 to date.
11. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes to and/or from the Worcester Board of Supervisors collectively and/or individually regarding demolition at the site monthly, for the years 2015 and 2016 to date.
12. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes between Mr. Garrity and the Manko Firm regarding demolition at the site monthly, for the years 2015 and 2016 to date.
13. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes to and/or from the Township Manager collectively and/or individually regarding demolition at the site monthly, for the years 2015 and 2016 to date.
14. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes to and/or from the Township Manager collectively and/or individually regarding further testing of the well water at the site monthly, for the years 2015 and 2016 to date.

15. Any and/or all records of communication including but not limited to emails, notes, memos, and/or faxes to and/or from the Worcester Board of Supervisors collectively and/or individually regarding further testing of the well water at the site monthly, for the years 2015 and 2016 to date.

I would like this information in electronic format as you have provided it to other residents in that format free of charge and as it is provided for in the RTKL.

I would also like any and/or all attachments included with any communications and/or emails.

Please scan and email.

I'm sure you are familiar with OOR Appeal No. 2015-2495 as I reference it only for ease in case there is any pressure from above.

Also see video clip clarifying what the \$80,000 is for.

Thank you

Jim Mollick



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