

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

AMERICAN OVERSIGHT,

Plaintiff,

v.

U.S. NATIONAL ARCHIVES
& RECORDS ADMINISTRATION,

Defendant.

Case No. 22-cv-1529-RC

JOINT STATUS REPORT

Plaintiff American Oversight and Defendant U.S. National Archives and Records Administration (NARA), by and through undersigned counsel, respectfully report to the Court as follows:

As the prior joint status report explains, this case concerns three requests under the Freedom of Information Act, 5 U.S.C. § 552, broadly seeking records relating to NARA's efforts to retrieve Presidential records from former President Donald Trump. *See* ECF No. 7. On August 30, 2022, the parties agreed via email on new search parameters narrowing one of the requests.

The parties also agreed that NARA will engage in a good-faith effort to process all responsive records relating to NARA's early 2022 efforts to retrieve fifteen boxes of records from former President Trump by October 3, 2022. On that date, NARA will provide American Oversight with an interim response containing any nonexempt, responsive records that NARA has completed processing of as of that date. Following that interim response, NARA will, on a rolling basis, proceed to process the remainder, if any, of records related to NARA's early 2022 efforts to retrieve records from former President Trump of which NARA did not complete processing by

October 3, 2022, followed by the remaining records that are responsive to American Oversight's three requests.

The parties respectfully request that they file another joint status report on October 21, 2022 updating the Court on the status of the case and proposing a schedule for future proceedings, if necessary. A proposed order is attached for the Court's convenience.

Dated: August 31, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

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