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## Fwd: eFOIA Request Received

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Steven Muhle <smuhle@gmail.com>

Fri, Aug 4, 2023 at 11:07 AM

FYI

I found my original request, see below:

------ Forwarded message --------From: <efoia@subscriptions.fbi.gov> Date: Thu, Aug 27, 2020 at 5:10 PM Subject: eFOIA Request Received

To: <smuhle@gmail.com>

Individua	al Information
Prefix	Mr.
First Name	Steven
Middle Name	Craig
Last Name	Muhle
Suffix	
Email	smuhle@gmail.com
Phone	6025467375
Location	United States

## Exhibit 1

Loevy & Loevy Mail - Fwd: eFOIA Request Received https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/?ik=248dc42c32&view=pt&search=a...

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Address Line 2		
City	SCOTTSDALE	
State	Arizona	
Postal	85254	
Aareem	ent to Pay	
	I am requesting a fee waiver for my request and have reviewed the FOIA	
How you will pay	reference guide. If my fee waiver is denied, I would like to limit my request to the two free hours of searching and 100 duplicated pages.	
Proof Of	Affiliation for Fee Waiver	
Waiver Explanation	lookup should be fairly simple	
Documentation Files		
Privacy .	Act	
US Citizen	True	

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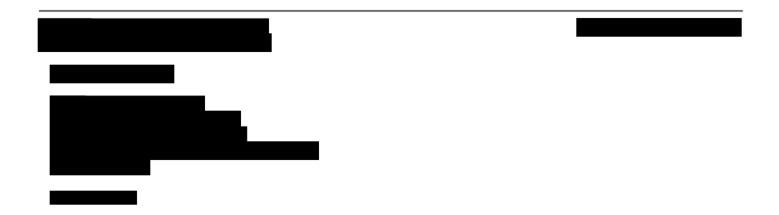
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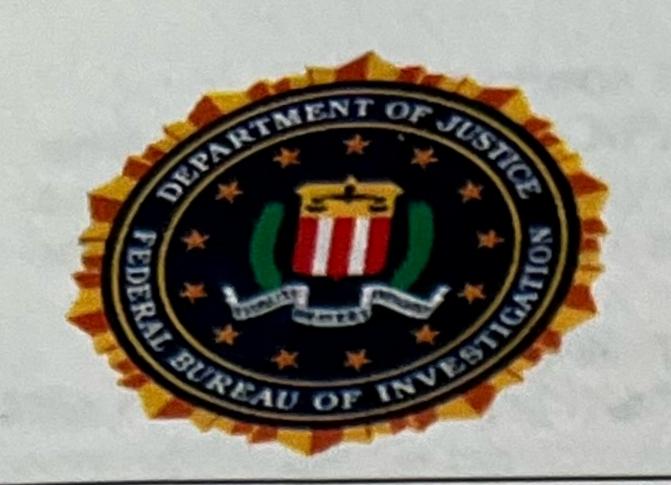
Prefix	Mr.	
First Name	Steven	
Middle Name	Craig	
Last Name	Muhle	
Suffix		
Date of Birth	1970/09/18	
Place of Birth	Tulsa	
Additional Information	job application file	

Please be advised that efoia@subscriptions.fbi.gov is a no-reply email address. Questions regarding your FOIA request may be directed to foipaquestions@fbi.gov. If you have received a FOIPA request number, please include this in all correspondence concerning your request. Please note eFOIPA requests are processed in the order that they are received. If you have not received a FOIPA request number, your request is in the process of being opened at which time it will be assigned a FOIPA request number and correspondence will be forthcoming.

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Upon receipt of your FOIPA request number, you may check the status of your FOIPA request on the FBI's electronic FOIA Library (The Vault) on the FBI's public website, http://vault.fbi.gov by clicking on the †Check Status of Your FOI/PA Request tool' link. Status updates are performed on a weekly basis. If you receive a comment that your FOIPA request number was not located in the database, please check back at a later date.





Federal Bureau of Investigation

Washington, D.C. 20535

September 2, 2020

MR. STEVEN CRAIG MUHLE 5658 EAST KINGS AVENUE SCOTTSDALE, AZ 85254

> FOIPA Request No.: 1474633-000 Subject: MUHLE, STEVEN CRAIG

Dear Mr. Muhle:

This acknowledges receipt of your Freedom of Information/Privacy Acts (FOIPA) request to the FBI. Below you will find check boxes and informational paragraphs about your request, as well as specific determinations required by these statutes. Please read each one carefully.

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	Your r	equest has been received at FBI Headquarters for processing.
7	Yous	ubmitted your request via the FBI's eFOIPA system.
		We have reviewed your request and determined it is consistent with the FBI eFOIPA terms of service. Future correspondence about your FOIPA request who be provided in an email link unless the record's file type is not supported by the eFOIPA system.
		We have reviewed your request and determined it is not consistent with the FBI eFOIPA terms of service. Future correspondence about your FOIPA request will be sent through standard mail.
	The to y	subject of your request is currently being processed and documents will be released ou upon completion.
	Rel	ease of responsive records will be posted to the FBI's electronic FOIA Library (The alt), http://vault.fbi.gov, and you will be contacted when the release is posted.
	OII	ur request for a public interest fee waiver is under consideration and you will be advised the decision if fees are applicable. If your fee waiver is not granted, you will be ponsible for applicable fees per your designated requester fee category below.
	For	the purpose of assessing any fees, we have determined:
		As a commercial use requester, you will be charged applicable search, review, and duplication fees in accordance with 5 USC § 552 (a)(4)(A)(ii)(I).
		As an educational institution, noncommercial scientific institution or representative of the news media requester, you will be charged applicable duplication fees in accordance with 5 USC § 552 (a)(4)(A)(ii)(II).
		As a general (all others) requester, you will be charged applicable search and duplication fees in accordance with 5 USC § 552 (a)(4)(A)(ii)(III).

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Please check the status of your FOIPA request at <a href="www.fbi.gov/foia">www.fbi.gov/foia</a> by clicking on FOIPA Status and entering your FOIPA Request Number. Status updates are adjusted weekly. The status of newly assigned requests may not be available until the next weekly update. If the FOIPA has been closed the notice will indicate that appropriate correspondence has been mailed to the address on file.

For questions regarding our determinations, visit the <a href="www.fbi.gov/foia">www.fbi.gov/foia</a> website under "Contact Us."

The FOIPA Request number listed above has been assigned to your request. Please use this number in all correspondence concerning your request.

If you are not satisfied with the Federal Bureau of Investigation's determination in response to this request, you may administratively appeal by writing to the Director, Office of Information Policy (OIP), United States Department of Justice, 441 G Street, NW, 6th Floor, Washington, D.C. 20530, or you may submit an appeal through OIP's FOIA STAR portal by creating an account following the instructions on OIP's website: <a href="https://www.justice.gov/oip/submit-and-track-request-or-appeal">https://www.justice.gov/oip/submit-and-track-request-or-appeal</a>. Your appeal must be postmarked or electronically transmitted within ninety (90) days of the date of my response to your request. If you submit your appeal by mail, both the letter and the envelope should be clearly marked "Freedom of Information Act Appeal." Please cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

You may seek dispute resolution services by contacting the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS). The contact information for OGIS is as follows: Office of Government Information Services, National Archives and Records Administration, 8601 Adelphi Road-OGIS, College Park, Maryland 20740-6001, e-mail at <a href="mailto:ogis@nara.gov">ogis@nara.gov</a>; telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1-877-684-6448; or facsimile at 202-741-5769. Alternatively, you may contact the FBI's FOIA Public Liaison by emailing <a href="mailto:foipaquestions@fbi.gov">foipaquestions@fbi.gov</a>. If you submit your dispute resolution correspondence by email, the subject heading should clearly state "Dispute Resolution Services." Please also cite the FOIPA Request Number assigned to your request so it may be easily identified.

Sincerely,

Michael G. Seidel Section Chief

Record/Information
Dissemination Section
Information Management Division

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## FIOPA request FBI

1 message

smuhle@gmail.com <smuhle@gmail.com>

Tue, Jul 25, 2023 at 5:08 PM

From: foipaquestions@fbi.gov

Date: May 23, 2022 at 3:33:21 AM MST To: Steven Muhle <smuhle@gmail.com>

Subject: RE: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] - FOIPA Request No.: 1474633-000

Thank you for your inquiry regarding the status of your Freedom of Information Act/Privacy (FOIPA) request. A review of your request has determined the following:

The request is presently awaiting assignment to a Disclosure analyst who will then review the records to determine if any redactions are required pursuant to subsections of Title 5, U. S. Code, Section 552 and 552a.

You may check the status of your request online at <a href="http://vault.fbi.gov">http://vault.fbi.gov</a> by clicking on the 'Check Status of Your FOI/PA Request' link. Online status reports are updated weekly.

Requests are processed in the order in which they are received through our multi-track processing system. Requests are divided into two primary tracks--simple (under 50 pages of potentially responsive documents) and complex (over 50 pages of potentially responsive documents). Complex requests are further divided into medium, large, and extra-large subtracks based upon request size. Simple track requests typically require the least amount of time to process. Currently, simple track cases average approximately 111 days from the date of receipt for processing. Our complex requests in the medium processing track are currently averaging 895 days, large processing track are currently averaging approximately 1,929 days, and extra-large processing track are currently averaging 2,360 days for processing.

Your request is currently in the complex request medium processing track, and the estimated date of completion for your request is March

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2023. If your request is considered a complex track, considering reducing the scope of your request may accelerate the process as it could potentially place your request in a quicker processing track. This may also reduce any search and duplication costs, if applicable, and allow for a more timely receipt of your information. If you wish to discuss reducing the scope of your request, please indicate so and a representative will be in contact.

Respectfully,

Public Information Officer FBI - Information Management Division 200 Constitution Drive Winchester, VA 22602 O: (540) 868-4593

E: foipaquestions@fbi.gov

Do you have further questions about the FOI/PA process? Visit us at http://www.fbi.gov/foia

Please check the status of your request online at https://vault.fbi.gov/fdps-1/@@search-fdps Status updates are performed on a weekly basis.

Note: This is a non-emergency email address. If this is an emergency, please call 911 directly. If you need to report a tip for immediate action, please contact FBI Tips at <a href="http://tips.fbi.gov/">http://tips.fbi.gov/</a> or reach out to your local field office.

From: Steven Muhle <smuhle@gmail.com>

Sent: Sunday, May 22, 2022 9:21 PM

To: FOIPAQUESTIONS < FOIPAQUESTIONS@FBI.GOV > Subject: [EXTERNAL EMAIL] - FOIPA Request No.: 1474633-000

Hello,

Could I please get an update to the status of my FOIPA? It will be 2 years this August since I sent in the request and haven't received any follow up.

Please advise me on any applicable fees in accordance with 5 USC 552 (a)(4)(A)(ii)(III) to close this out.

Thanks in advance,

-SM

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