

**U.S. District Court
District of Columbia (Washington, DC)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:24-cv-01363-CJN**

HERITAGE FOUNDATION et al v. SMALL BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION
Assigned to: Judge Carl J. Nichols
Cause: 05:552 Freedom of Information Act

Date Filed: 05/10/2024
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 895 Freedom of
Information Act
Jurisdiction: Federal Question

Plaintiff

HERITAGE FOUNDATION

represented by **Samuel Everett Dewey**
CHAMBERS OF SAMUEL EVERETT
DEWEY, LLC
2200 12th Court North
Apt. 609
Arlington, VA 22201
(703) 261-4194
Email: samueledewey@sedchambers.com
LEAD ATTORNEY
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

Kyle Brosnan
495 Eleanor Lane
Arnold, MD 21012
845-674-5589
Email: Kyle.Brosnan@heritage.org
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

Max Taylor Matheu
2525 N George Mason Dr
Arlington, VA 20007
727-249-5254
Email: maxmatheu@outlook.com
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

Eric Neal Cornett
LAW OFFICE OF ERIC NEAL
CORNETT
Law Office of Eric Neal Cornett
70 I Street S.E., 525
20003
Washington, DC 20003
606-275-0978
Email: neal@cornettlegal.com
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

Plaintiff

MIKE HOWELL

represented by **Samuel Everett Dewey**
(See above for address)
LEAD ATTORNEY
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

Kyle Brosnan
(See above for address)
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

Max Taylor Matheu
(See above for address)
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

Eric Neal Cornett

(See above for address)
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

V.

Defendant

**SMALL BUSINESS
ADMINISTRATION**

represented by **Kaitlin Kerry Eckrote**
DOJ–USAO
Civil Division
601 D Street NW
Room 7.1525
Washington DC, DC 20530
202–252–2485
Email: kaitlin.eckrote@usdoj.gov
LEAD ATTORNEY
ATTORNEY TO BE NOTICED

Date Filed	#	Docket Text
05/10/2024	<u>1</u>	COMPLAINT against SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION (Filing fee \$ 405 receipt number ADCDC–10887468) filed by HERITAGE FOUNDATION, MIKE HOWELL. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Civil Cover Sheet, # <u>2</u> Summons, # <u>3</u> Summons, # <u>4</u> Summons, # <u>5</u> Exhibit, # <u>6</u> Exhibit, # <u>7</u> Exhibit, # <u>8</u> Exhibit, # <u>9</u> Exhibit, # <u>10</u> Exhibit, # <u>11</u> Exhibit, # <u>12</u> Exhibit)(Cornett, Eric) Modified docket text on 5/10/2024 (mg). (Entered: 05/10/2024)
05/10/2024	<u>2</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Max Taylor Matheu on behalf of All Plaintiffs (Matheu, Max) (Main Document 2 replaced on 5/14/2024) (zdp). (Entered: 05/10/2024)
05/10/2024		NOTICE OF NEW CASE ERROR regarding <u>1</u> Complaint,. The following error(s) need correction: Incorrect civil cover sheet. Please file the Civil Cover Sheet (JS44) form at www.dcd.uscourts.gov/new-case-forms & file using the event Civil Cover Sheet. COMPLIANCE DEADLINE is by close of business today. This case will not proceed any further until all errors are satisfied. (zcb) (Entered: 05/10/2024)
05/10/2024	<u>3</u>	CIVIL COVER SHEET by HERITAGE FOUNDATION, MIKE HOWELL filed by HERITAGE FOUNDATION, MIKE HOWELL.(Cornett, Eric) (Entered: 05/10/2024)
05/14/2024		Case Assigned to Judge Carl J. Nichols. (zcb) (Entered: 05/14/2024)
05/14/2024	<u>4</u>	SUMMONS (3) Issued Electronically as to SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, U.S. Attorney and U.S. Attorney General (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Notice and Consent)(zcb) (Entered: 05/14/2024)
05/15/2024	<u>5</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Samuel Everett Dewey on behalf of HERITAGE FOUNDATION, MIKE HOWELL (Dewey, Samuel) (Entered: 05/15/2024)
05/23/2024	<u>6</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Kyle Brosnan on behalf of All Plaintiffs (Brosnan, Kyle) (Entered: 05/23/2024)
05/29/2024	<u>7</u>	NOTICE of Appearance by Kaitlin Kerry Eckrote on behalf of All Defendants (Eckrote, Kaitlin) (Entered: 05/29/2024)
05/29/2024	<u>8</u>	AMENDED COMPLAINT against All Plaintiffs filed by HERITAGE FOUNDATION, MIKE HOWELL. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Exhibit 1, # <u>2</u> Exhibit 2, # <u>3</u> Exhibit 3, # <u>4</u> Exhibit 4, # <u>5</u> Exhibit 5, # <u>6</u> Exhibit 6, # <u>7</u> Exhibit 7, # <u>8</u> Exhibit 8, # <u>9</u> Exhibit 9, # <u>10</u> Exhibit 10, # <u>11</u> Exhibit 11, # <u>12</u> Exhibit 12, # <u>13</u> Exhibit 13, # <u>14</u> Exhibit 14, # <u>15</u> Exhibit 15, # <u>16</u> Exhibit 16, # <u>17</u> Exhibit 17, # <u>18</u> Exhibit Redline)(Cornett, Eric) (Entered: 05/29/2024)
06/07/2024	<u>9</u>	Joint STATUS REPORT by SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION. (Attachments: # <u>1</u> Text of Proposed Order)(Eckrote, Kaitlin) (Entered: 06/07/2024)
06/13/2024	<u>10</u>	ANSWER to Complaint by SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION.(Eckrote, Kaitlin) (Entered: 06/13/2024)

06/20/2024	<u>11</u>	STANDING ORDER. Signed by Judge Carl J. Nichols on June 20, 2024. (lccjn1) (Entered: 06/20/2024)
06/20/2024		MINUTE ORDER. Upon consideration of the <u>9</u> Joint Status Report, it is hereby ORDERED that Defendant provide a final response to Plaintiff's FOIA request on or before August 31, 2024. It is further ORDERED that ORDERED that Defendant make all reasonable efforts to produce all non-exempt, responsive information by August 31, 2024, and, if that is not accomplished, submit a joint status report on that date that fully sets forth the efforts made and the reason(s) why the deadline could not be met. So ORDERED by Judge Carl J. Nichols on June 20, 2024. (lccjn1) (Entered: 06/20/2024)