

House of Representatives

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STATEHOUSE
Des Moines, Iowa 50319

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Governor Kim Reynolds Iowa State Capitol 1007 E. Grand Avenue Des Moines, IA 50319

Attn: Colin Smith, Legal Counsel

Dear Governor Reynolds:

As a member of the joint Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Protection Appropriations Subcommittee, I am researching legislative and executive branch deliberations and actions related to the Leopold Center for Sustainable Agriculture at Iowa State University.

I request to review communications that Governor Branstad or the Office of the Governor and Lieutenant Governor received or issued from November 8, 2016, to May 24, 2017, related to the Leopold Center. This would include copies of e-mails, letters, fax transmissions, and phone logs (cell, office and fax) during that period that reference the Leopold Center for Sustainable Agriculture, or that reference Iowa State University and/or the Nutrient Research Center in the context of the Leopold Center, or that reference statutory changes or appropriations for either of those entities. Please include any documents generated to inform the governor's decision regarding changes to the Leopold Center contained in Senate File 510.

This information can be sent to me via email. If paper copies are available, then please contact me regarding their availability and I will arrange to receive them at the State Capitol or designate another person to receive them for me there.

I thank you for your time and attention to this request. You can reach me at 563-599-8839 if you have any questions regarding this request.

Sincerely,

Representative Chuck Isenhart

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