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Check CU checkcufoia@gmail.com FOIA Request # 24-12

Dear Check CU:

This message is in response to your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request dated January 24, 2024.

On January 24, 2024, you requested the following:

"I am requesting records under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act.

Please provide:

All records related to Danville City Code Chapter 142 Section 4, which describes "declaratory judgment" in regards to Chapter 142.

This would include documents showing attempts at acquiring such a judgment (such as legal filings), and copies of any such judgments whether granted or denied.

Please also provide copies of any pamphlets created to establish awareness of Chapter 142 (this is specifically described in the ordinance which created Chapter 142."

The City of Danville has no records responsive to your request for "declaratory judgment" in regards to Chapter 142 after undertaking a reasonable search.

Additionally, the City of Danville has no records responsive to your request to provide copies of any pamphlets created to establish awareness of Chapter 142. The only reference to "pamphlet" in Chapter 142, Ordinance No. 9432 is the last paragraph, which is copied below:

"SECTION 2: The City Clerk is directed to publish this Ordinance in pamphlet form by authority of the corporate authorities, and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication in accordance with Section 1-2-4 of the Illinois Municipal Code."

If you believe any records you are seeking have been wrongfully withheld or redacted, you are entitled to a review of this decision by the Public Access Counselor of the Office of the Illinois Attorney General. To file a "request for review", you may write to the Public Access Bureau at 500 S. Second Street, Springfield, Illinois 62701, public.access@ilag.gov or you may phone 877-299-FOIA (877-299-3642). Any person denied access to inspect or copy any public record also may file suit for injunctive or declaratory relief, in accordance with 5 ILCS 140/11.

Sincerely,

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