Please specify past work experience that you feel has prepared you for the Urbana City Clerk position.

In June of 2020, handling of Urbana FOIA requests was largely moved away from the Clerk's office and into the City legal department. The Mayor assigned a retired police officer to handle FOIA requests and public access was significantly clamped down, resulting in numerous Attorney General complaints and lawsuits. Do you think the public records process should be put back in the hands of the City Clerk, and if so, how would you see that done?

As City Clerk, how do you plan to increase public access to records, especially police records?