

From Steven Giannini <sgiannini@police.fitchburgma.gov>
Subject **Fw: ACLU Public Records Request**
To efalcon@aclum.org <efalcon@aclum.org>
Date Mon, 17 Feb 2020 20:37:03 +0000

Good afternoon Mr Falcon,

As the designated Records Access Officer for the Fitchburg Police Department I have been tasked with satisfying your recent records request regarding the Fitchburg Police Department and facial recognition software. This request was received by myself on Monday February 17, 2020. I will address each numbered request individually. My responses are in red font to make them easier for you to find.

"Records requested

This request includes but is not limited to the following records created on or after January 1, 2019:

1. All communications, including text messages and emails, between or among any staff member or representative of the police department and any representative of any company that manufactures or sells any facial recognition product, including but not limited to Clearview AI; NONE EXIST
2. All internal communications, including text messages and emails, referencing any company that manufactures or sells any facial recognition product or service, including but not limited to Clearview AI; NONE EXIST
3. Records evidencing or describing any existing or potential relationship between the police department and all companies that manufacture or sell any facial recognition product, including but not limited to Clearview AI. These records include but are not limited to MOUs, purchase orders, RFPs, licensing agreements, invoices, non-disclosure agreements, project proposals, and other contracts; NONE EXIST
4. Records referencing the operational effectiveness or accuracy rate of any of facial recognition service or product. These records include but are not limited to e-mails, handouts, PowerPoint presentations, advertisements, audits, and specification documents; NONE EXIST
5. Training materials related to facial recognition products or services; NONE EXIST
6. Policies and procedures pertaining to the use of facial

recognition products or services, or the data they produce; and

NONE EXIST

7. Records relating to any public process, meeting, or debate about any facial recognition products or services. These include but are not limited to meeting agendas or minutes, public notices, analyses, and communications between the police department and elected officials."
NONE EXIST

Please be advised that pursuant to 950 CMR 32.00 and G.L. Chapter 66, Section 10A(a) you have the right to appeal this decision to the Supervisor of Records, at the address listed below, within 90 days from your original request. The appeal must include your original request along with this response. Pursuant to G.L. Chapter 66, Section 10A(c) you also have the right to seek judicial review by commencing a civil action in the Superior Court.

Supervisor of Records
Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth
McCormack Building, Room 1719
One Ashburton Place
Boston, MA 02108

I kindly request that you send me a return email acknowledging this response to your public records request.

Respectfully,

Captain Steven Giannini
Technical Services Commander
Fitchburg Police Department
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sgiannini@police.fitchburgma.gov

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From: Ernest Martineau
Sent: Friday, February 14, 2020 12:18 PM
To: Steven Giannini
Subject: Fw: ACLU Public Records Request

For your review and response

Ernest F. Martineau
Chief of Police
City of Fitchburg

From: Emiliano Falcon-Morano
Sent: Friday, February 14, 2020 12:11 PM
To: Ernest Martineau
Cc: Taisha Lazare
Subject: ACLU Public Records Request

Good Afternoon,

Please see attached.

Best,

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