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Ms. Sassower,

We are in receipt of your Freedom of Information Law ("FOIL") request received July 19, 2016 and stating the following:

Comments and request explained:

FOIL: Salaries & Other "Compensation & Non-Salary Benefits" - for District Attorneys and Other Full-Time Elected County Officers

(1) the yearly salary of the county's district attorney, and, additionally, his/her yearly other "compensation and non-salary" benefits, such as pension, health insurance, etc.:

as of January 1, 2016 - and any change as of April 1, 2016;
as of January 1, 2015 - and any change as of April 1, 2015;
as of January 1, 2014 - and any change as of April 1, 2014;
as of January 1, 2013 - and any change as of April 1, 2013;
as of January 1, 2012 - and any change as of April 1, 2012;
as of January 1, 2011 - and any change as of April 1, 2011;
as of January 1, 2007 - and any change as of April 1, 2007;

(2) the yearly salaries and other "compensation and non-salary benefits" of the county's other full-time elected officers, excepting state-paid judges, for 2007 and for each year from 2011 to 2016;

Additionally, for counties with populations under 40,000, request is made for records, including minutes, notes, and videos of relevant county board and committee meetings, showing:

- (i) the date the county board designated the office of district attorney as full-time - and the reasons therefor;
- (ii) the salary and other "compensation and non-salary benefits" of the part-time district attorney immediately prior to the change-over to full-time district attorney;
- (iii) the salary that the board determined for the county's first full-time district attorney - and his/her other "compensation and non-salary benefits" - and the basis for each;
- (iv) any subsequent changes the board made to the salary and other "compensation and non-salary benefits" of the county's full-time district attorney - and, in particular, the date it made the district attorney salary equal to that of its county judges - and the basis for each.

The information for items 1 and 2 is attached.
The County of Westchester's population is greater than 40,000.

Any appeal from the foregoing determination should be addressed to:

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Sincerely,

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