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Laurie Ortolano 41 Berkeley Street Nashua, NH 03064

Via email only to <u>laurieortolano@gmail.com</u>

RE: RTK requests received August 18, 2021

Dear Ms. Ortolano,

The City is in receipt of your requests dated August 18, 2021, under NH RSA 91-A, the "Right-to-Know" law.

This office is aware that you sent the following request to:

Celia K. Leonard at 7:37 am, Tim Cummings at 7:42 am, Lisa Fauteux at 8:36 am, Kim Kleiner at 8:54 am; and Sue Lovering at 9:29 am:

"Pursuant to the Right to Know Law (RSA. 91-A), I am requesting public access, within 5 business days, to the governmental records reasonably described as follows:

an electronic copy of the training material used by Attorney Neumann to conduct Right-to-Know training on or about June 15-17, 2021.

Per RSA 91-A:4 IV(c) If you deny any portion of this request, please cite the specific exemption used to justify the denial to make each record, or part thereof, available for inspection along with a brief explanation of how the exemption applies to the information withheld."

Attorney Nuemann provided overview training regarding RSA 91-A on June 16 and 17, 2021, to any City employee that was interested. Training materials were not provided per se, rather a number of templates were provided to assist individual departments/divisions in responding to requests and maintaining documentation.

The attached materials (with the exception of the PDF entitled "Pertinent Sections of 91-A") were developed as tools to collect information and assist in responding to the Right-to-Know requests the City receives. In light of this, these documents are attorney-client privileged materials and attorney work product and exempt from disclosure under RSA 91-A:5, IV. However, the City has decided to waive the privileges as to the documentation provided to City employees on June 16 and 17, 2021.

Accordingly, attached please find the requested documents.

Sincerely,

Celia K. Leonard, Esquire Deputy Corporation Counsel

cc: (2021-650)

Tim Cummings, Economic Development Director Lisa Fauteux, Division Director, DPW Kimberly Kleiner, Administrative Services Director Sue Lovering, City Clerk Commissioner Tracy Pappas Alderwoman Elizabeth Lu Laura Colquhoun