

ARCS: 292- 30 File: TRA-2015-50659 Your File: DBM 27071-01

July 16, 2015

Sent via email:

Dear

Re: Request for Access to Records
Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIPPA)

I am writing further to your request received by the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure. Your request is for:

Records regarding the intersection at Mount Paul Way and the Southern Yellowhead Highway, Highway 5, in the City of Kamloops, BC on February 24, 2014: The traffic signal timing plans of the Intersection; The date that the North Crosswalk of the Intersection was last painted prior to [February 24, 2014]; The date that the Ministry first painted the North Crosswalk and the reason for marking this crosswalk; The date the Ministry removed the North Crosswalk and the reason for removal; Any and all work orders, call out sheets, and records of work completed at the Intersection in the five years prior to [February 24, 2014]; The Ministry's understanding as to whether it was legal to cross the Intersection in the North Crosswalk [on February 24, 2014]; Any by-laws, regulations, or provincial statutes that legally prohibit or would have prohibited a pedestrian from crossing the North Crosswalk [on February 24, 2014]; The Ministry's practices, policies, or guidelines concerning traffic signal design, including the provision of pedestrian signal heads and pedestrian pushbuttons, at the time the traffic signal was installed at the Intersection; The Ministry's warrants/guidelines for NO PEDESTRIAN CROSSING signs, SP-9, [on February 24, 2014]; The last three turning movements counts including pedestrians for the Intersection prior to [February 24, 2014]; Any speed studies prior to the accident date on Highway 5 in the area proximate to the Intersection; All complaints, inquiries, and/or public/municipal concerns related to the Intersection in the five years prior to [February 24, 2014]; The crash record for the Intersection for five years prior to [February 24, 2014]. (Date Range for Record Search: From 02/24/2009 To 02/24/2014)

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Telephone: 250-387-1321 Fax: 250-387-9843 Please find enclosed a copy of the records located in response to your request. Some information has been withheld pursuant to section(s) 13 (Policy advice or recommendations), 15 (Disclosure harmful to law enforcement), 17 (Disclosure harmful to the financial or economic interests of a public body), 21 (Disclosure harmful to business interests of a third party), and 22 (Disclosure harmful to personal privacy) of *FOIPPA*. A complete copy of *FOIPPA* is available online at:

http://www.bclaws.ca/EPLibraries/bclaws_new/document/ID/freeside/96165_00

Please note some information in the records is marked 'not responsive' as it does not respond to the wording and/or the date range of your request. Your file is now closed.

These records will be published on the BC Government's Open Information website a minimum of 72 hours after electronic release or a minimum of five business days after release by mail in hardcopy. To find out more about Open Information, please access the Open Information website at: http://www.openinfo.gov.bc.ca/ibc/index.page

If you have any questions regarding your request, please contact David Handysides, the analyst assigned to your request, at 250-356-7332. This number can be reached toll-free by calling from Vancouver, 604-660-2421, or from elsewhere in BC, 1-800-663-7867 and asking to be transferred to 250-356-7332.

You have the right to ask the Information and Privacy Commissioner to review this decision. I have enclosed information on the review and complaint process.

Sincerely,

David Handysides, FOI Analyst Business and Infrastructure Team Information Access Operations

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Enclosures

How to Request a Review with the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner

If you have any questions regarding your request please contact the analyst assigned to your file. The analyst's name and telephone number are listed in the attached letter.

Pursuant to section 52 of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (FOIPPA), you may ask the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner to review any decision, act, or failure to act with regard to your request under FOIPPA.

Please note that you have 30 business days to file your review with the Office of the Information and Privacy Commissioner. In order to request a review please write to:

Information and Privacy Commissioner PO Box 9038 Stn Prov Govt 4th Floor, 947 Fort Street Victoria BC V8W 9A4 Telephone 250-387-5629 Fax 250-387-1696

If you request a review, please provide the Commissioner's Office with:

- 1. A copy of your original request;
- 2. A copy of our response; and
- 3. The reasons or grounds upon which you are requesting the review.