



Shorewood

March 14, 2005

Mr. Geoff Davidian
4101 N. Prospect Ave.
Shorewood, WI 53211

Dear Mr. Davidian,

Consistent with obligations under the Wisconsin Open Records law, I have complied with your previous requests for records. Your current request asks for "access to inspect the archive of Shorewood Public Library email as created by the agreement settling the Davidian v. Shorewood lawsuit." This request is outside the scope of Wisconsin Public Record Law per Wis. Stats, 19.35(1)(h) "a request for a record without a reasonable limitation as to subject matter or length of time represented by the record does not constitute a sufficient request." The archive includes thousands of emails which would each have to be reviewed to determine if its content is within accepted criteria for disclosure.

To the extent that this is a denial of your request, that decision may be reviewed by mandamus, or by petition to the Attorney General or District Attorney. Wis. Stats 19.35(4)(b).

Beth Carey
Director of Library Services

Cc: Library Board of Trustees
Chris Swartz, Village Manager
Ray Pollen, Village Attorney