

SOLANO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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Re: Public Records Act Request-P002088

Dear Mr. John Lindsay-Poland

This letter is to respond to your request for public records received by the Solano County's Sheriff's Office.

You have requested the following document:

- 1. Purchase records, invoices, procurement documents and other documents sufficient to show any and all disbursement of public funds for the acquisition by your agency since July 1, 2015 of any of the following: Firearms of .50 caliber or greater, Patrol rifles (as commonly denominated for law enforcement use) or assault rifles (as defined in Sections 30510 and 30515 of the California Penal Code), Wheeled vehicles that are built or modified to provide ballistic protection to their occupants, such as Bearcats or armored personnel carriers, Projectile launch platforms, such as 40mm projectile launchers, "bean bag" or specialty impact munition ("SIM") weapons, and "riot guns" used to disperse chemical agents, Long-Range Acoustic Device (LRAD)
- 2. Purchase records, invoices, procurement documents and other documents sufficient to show any and all disbursement of public funds for the acquisition by your agency since July 1, 2018 of explosives and pyrotechnics, such as "flash bang" grenades and explosive breaching tools, and chemical weapons such as "teargas" and "pepper balls".
- 3. Records of deployment by your agency since January 1, 2020 of projectile launch platforms, such as 40mm projectile launchers, "bean bag" or specialty impact munition ("SIM") weapons, and "riot guns" used to disperse chemical agents; explosives and pyrotechnics, such as "flashbang" grenades and explosive breaching tools; and chemical weapons such as "teargas" and "pepper balls".

Response: Based on an initial review of your request, we anticipate there will be records responsive to your request, but it will take some time to search and compile them and to review any such responsive records to ascertain whether it, or any portion of it, is exempt from disclosure under the Public Records Act (Cal. Gov. Code § 6250 et seq.). We will notify you by November 24, 2021 of the responsive records that are identified and complied pursuant to Cal. Gov. Code § 6253(c). The

County reserves the right to assert or raise any applicable exemptions, objections, or privileges, as may be applicable, in any subsequent response(s). We thank you for your patience.

Sincerely,

Chad Sayre, Sgt.

Chad Sayre Sheriff Sergeant