



MURIEL BOWSER
MAYOR

February 14, 2020

The Honorable Phil Mendelson
Chairman, Council of the District of Columbia
John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, DC 20004

RE: FY 2019 District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act Report

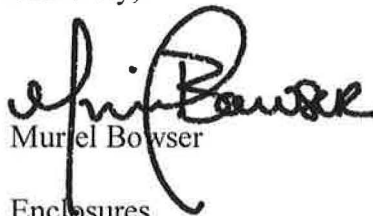
Dear Chairman Mendelson:

In accordance with the District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act, attached please find the annual report of the public-record-disclosure activities of each public body of the District government between October 1, 2018, and September 30, 2019 ("**FY 2019**"). The report contains available data responsive to the annual report required under D.C. Official Code § 2-538(a) and consists of the following documents:

1. District Government-Wide Cumulative FOIA Report;
2. Spreadsheet Breakdown of FOIA Data by Agency (in Excel and PDF);
3. Individual FOIA Reports from Each Agency;
4. List of Acronym's for Each Agency;
5. FOIA Appeal Summaries;
6. FOIA Appeal Log for FY 2019; and
7. The Office of the Attorney General Fiscal Year 2019 FOIA Litigation Report.

If you have any questions regarding this report, please contact Victor Reid, in the Office of the Secretary, at Victor.Reid@dc.gov.

Sincerely,


Muriel Bowser

Enclosures

cc: Beverly Perry, Senior Advisor to the Mayor
Ronan Goldstone, Office of Policy and Legislative Affairs
Ronald Ross, Mayor's Office of Legal Counsel
Garrett Lee, Office of the Senior Advisor
Kimberly A. Bassett, Office of the Secretary

Combined District Government FOIA Report

Annual Freedom of Information Act Report for Fiscal Year 2019

October 1, 2018 through September 30, 2019

PROCESSING OF FOIA REQUESTS

1. Number of FOIA requests received during reporting period.....	10836
2. Number of FOIA requests pending on October 1,2018.....	1103
3. Number of FOIA requests pending on September 30,2019.....	1133
4. The average number of days unfilled requests have been pending before each public body as of September 30, 2019	11.9

DISPOSITION OF FOIA REQUESTS

5. Number of requests granted, in whole.....	4794
6. Number of requests granted, in part, denied, in part.....	1876
7. Number of requests denied, in whole.....	770
8. Number of requests withdrawn.....	563
9. Number of requests referred or forwarded to other publicbodies.....	544
10. Other disposition	2349

NUMBER OF REQUESTS THAT RELIED UPON EACH FOIA EXEMPTION

11. Exemption 1 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(1).....	263
12. Exemption 2 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(2).....	2249
13. Exemption 3 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(3)	
Subcategory (A).....	136
Subcategory (B).....	70
Subcategory (C)	234
Subcategory (D)	6
Subcategory (E)	21
Subcategory (F)	11
14. Exemption 4 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(4)	369
15. Exemption 5 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(5).....	0

16. Exemption 6 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(6)	
Subcategory (A).....	128
Subcategory (B).....	22
17. Exemption 7 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(7).....	1
18. Exemption 8 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(8).....	0
19. Exemption 9 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(9).....	0
20. Exemption 10 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(10).....	3
21. Exemption 11 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(11).....	18
22. Exemption 12 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(12).....	1

TIME-FRAMES FOR PROCESSING FOIA REQUESTS

23. Number of FOIA requests processed within 15 days.....	7842
24. Number of FOIA requests processed between 16 and 25 days.....	1409
25. Number of FOIA requests processed in 26 days or more.....	1484
26. Median number of days to process FOIA Requests.....	13.25

RESOURCES ALLOCATED TO PROCESSING FOIA REQUESTS

27. Number of staff hours devoted to processing FOIA requests.....	65400.47
28. Total dollar amount expended by public body for processing FOIA requests.....	\$3,072,629.10

FEES FOR PROCESSING FOIA REQUESTS

29. Total amount of fees collected by public body.....	\$120,976.35
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PROSECUTIONS PURSUANT TO SECTION 207(d) OF THE D.C. FOIA

30. Number of employees found guilty of a misdemeanor for arbitrarily or capriciously violating any provision of the District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act.....	0
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Agency Acronyms	Number of FOIA requests received during reporting period	Number of FOIA requests pending on 10/1/2018	Number of FOIA requests pending on 9/30/2019	Avg number of days unfulfilled requests pending on 9/30/2019	Number of requests granted in whole	Number of requests granted in part denied in part	Number of requests denied in whole	Number of requests withdrawn	Number of requests referred or forwarded to other public bodies	Other disposition	Exemption DC Official Code 2-534(a)(1)
ABRA	580	9	5	8	310	274	0	0	0	0	6
ANC	No Response Provided										
BEGA	11	0	0	0	3	2	1	1	3	1	0
CAB	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
CFSA	15	6	7	10	8	0	0	0	0	6	0
CIC	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
CJCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CJDT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	0
DACL	6	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	4	0
DBH	42	0	1	13	28	1	8	0	2	3	3
DC Council	118	10	15	42	30	54	12	8	2	7	1
DC Health	544	11	35	67.5	246	55	2	15	120	82	7
DC Water	107	7	7	43	42	7	4	27	0	27	14
DCA	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
DCBOE	194	1	10	10	163	3	2	1	1	15	0
DCCAH	5	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
DCHA	55	3	1	15	55			2			
DCHFA	8	0	0	0	2	2	1	0	0	3	3
DCHR	60	2	4	14	6	15	4	2	-	31	0
DCOZ	68	1	1	3	4	3	0	2	48	11	0
DCPC	63	0	0	NA	6	10	38	1	0	8	0
DCPL	21	0	0	0	8	3	1	0	1	8	4
DCPS	130	15	14	16	52	30	13	4	5	27	3
DCRA	1296	72	112	17	588	305	4	16	11	332	46
DCRB	17	0	0	0	10	4	2	1	0	0	6
DDOT	406	19	18	6.94	154	73	2	6	23	148	9

Agency Acronyms	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(2)	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(3) Subcategory A	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(3) Subcategory B	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(3) Subcategory C	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(3) Subcategory D	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(3) Subcategory E	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(3) Subcategory F	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(4)
ABRA	584	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ANC								
BEGA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CAB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CFSA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CIC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CJCC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CJDT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DACL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DBH	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
DC Council	51	0	22	0	0	0	0	23
DC Health	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	20
DC Water	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
DCA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DCBOE	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DCCAH	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DCHA								
DCHFPA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DCHR	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	12
DCOZ	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DCPC	46	14	2	32	0	1	0	0
DCPL	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
DCPS	17	0	0	3	0	0	0	19
DCRA	263	2	0	4	2	0	0	36
DCRB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DDOT	66	0	0	0	0	0	0	20

Agency Acronyms	Exemption DC Official Code 2-534(a)(12)	Number of FOIA requests processed within 15 days	Number of FOIA requests processed between 16 and 25 days	Number of FOIA requests processed in 26 days or more	Median number of days to process FOIA Requests	Number of staff hours devoted to processing FOIA requests	Total dollar amount expended by public body for processing FOIA requests	Total amount of fees collected by public body	Number of employees found guilty of a misdemeanor for violating any provision of the DC Freedom of Information Act
ABRA	0	569	10	5	5	40	1880/wk	\$0.00	0
ANC									
BEGA	0	9	2	0	5.5	33	\$2,772.00	\$0.00	0
CAB	0	1	0	0	0.04	0.3	\$23.00	\$0.00	0
CFSA	0	9	2	3	14	NA	NA	\$0.00	0
CIC	0	1	0	0	1	1	\$32.00	\$0.00	0
CJCC	0	NA	NA	NA	NA	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	0
CJDT	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	0
DACL	0	5	0	1	12.5	20	\$0.00	\$0.00	0
DBH	0	26	13	3	12	Unknown	Unknown	\$60.00	0
DC Council	0	37	31	45	24	1254	\$132,401.00	\$0.00	0
DC Health	0	439	29	52	3	3888	\$182,272.00	\$0.00	0
DC Water	0	28	33	46	24	2,039	\$50,400.00	\$98,572.00	0
DCA	0	1	0	0	9	1	\$81.00	\$0.00	0
DCBOE	0	180	5	0	3	60	\$3,120.00	\$537.60	0
DCCAH	0	5	0	0	12	10	0	0	0
DCHA			9	2	15				0
DCHFA	0	5	3	0	14.5	40	\$4,000.00	\$0.00	0
DCHR	0	40	11	7	14	348	\$16,376.88	\$0.00	0
DCOZ	0	68	0	0	2	33	\$1,858.51	\$0.00	0
DCPC	0	63	0	0	2	58	\$3,255.64	\$0.00	0
DCPL	0	21	0	0	9.47	22	\$280.00	\$35.00	0
DCPS	0	62	35	34	16	5126	\$239,510.00	\$320.00	0
DCRA	1	680	508	68	15 (same	2160	\$200,000.00	\$0.00	0
DCRB	0	11	3	3	14	40	-	\$0.00	0
DDOT	0	359	56	7	8.8	3,120	\$156,750.00	\$1,136.00	0

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DDS	23	0	1	10	4	2	0	1	12	3	0
DFHV	30	3	2	16	11	15	0	0	2	3	1
DFS	15	0	1	7	5	4	1	0	0	4	1
DGS	210	20	29	6	92	48	2	9	0	50	14
DHCD	173	2	2	16.5	9	92	4	3	58	7	40
DHCF	35	24	31	20	4	3	5	0	12	4	2
DHS	54	3	3	5.3	28	10	5	3	5	3	0
DISB	58	2	2	6.42	5	12	3	5	0	33	7
DME	No Response Provided										
DMOI	0	NA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DMPED	37	26	42	16	3	7	11	0	0	0	4
DMV	92	7	6	10	36	15	32	0	1	9	0
DOC	766	22	31	7	568	4	10	65	33	77	0
DOEE	648	28	41	11	619	11	0	2	0	3	1
DOES	542	25	32	8	423	37	64	11	20	0	0
DPR	21	9	3	24	10	10	0	0	0	7	0
DPW	106	7	86	7	40	4	4	0	2	36	0
DSLBD	15	0	0	0	3	7	5	0	0	0	6
DYRS	10	2	0	NA	9	0	3	0	0	0	0
EOM	122	20	26	37	13	31	4	10	14	44	0
FEMS	1109	35	28	20	555	2	13	11	0	542	0
HBX	5	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	0	0
HSEMA	130	0	0	0	38	16	1	0	1	74	0
JNC	0	0	0	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
MOLC											
MPD	1412	375	437	124	127	368	197	198	97	363	8

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DDS	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
DFHV	12	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
DFS	1	2	0	0	0	3	0	1
DGS	26	0	0	0	0	0	1	21
DHCD	76	0	0	0	0	0	0	4
DHCF	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
DHS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
DISB	8	1	0	0	0	0	0	4
DME								
DMOI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DMPED	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
DMV	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
DOC	10	4	4	5	2	1	1	1
DOEE	9	0	0	0	2	0	0	4
DOES	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DPR	10	0	0	0	0	1	0	1
DPW	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DSLBD	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
DYRS	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EOM	25	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
FEMS	8	5	0	0	0	2	0	0
HBX	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
HSEMA	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
JNC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
MOLC								
MPD	464	77	33	106	0	7	9	7

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DDS	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
DFHV	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DFS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DGS	0	27	0	0	0	0	0	0
DHCD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
DHCF	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DHS	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0
DISB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DME								
DMOI	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DMPED	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DMV	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
DOC	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DOEE	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
DOES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DPR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DPW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DSLBD	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DYRS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EOM	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FEMS	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
HBX	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HSEMA	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
JNC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
MOLC								
MPD	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0

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DDS	0	22	0	0	7.5	19	\$898.50	\$0.00	0
DFHV	0	19	11	1	13	320	\$15,941.65	\$0.00	0
DFS	0	10	3	1	10.5	90	\$3,027.07	\$0.00	0
DGS	0	159	32	10	14	1500	\$69,429.00	\$644.00	0
DHCD	0	128	31	14	14	85	\$2,914.70	\$0.00	0
DHCF	0	18	3	7	8	NA	NA	\$0.00	0
DHS	0	43	8	3	14.1	864	\$49,248.00	\$0.00	0
DISB	0	56	2	0	20	1420	\$63,344.00	\$263.00	0
DME									
DMOI	0	0	0	0	0	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	0
DMPED	0	11	5	5	14	1560	\$72,048.75	\$0.00	0
DMV	0	80	12	1	11	40	\$2,111.68	\$0.00	0
DOC	0	704	3	6	15	2400	\$105,000.00	-	0
DOEE	0	517	86	45	10	2550	\$88,459.00	\$3,675.00	0
DOES	0	497	33	5	8	3000	\$721.00	\$103.00	0
DPR	0	8	6	13	22	900	NA	NA	0
DPW	0	86	0	0	13.5	176	\$0.00	\$0.00	0
DSLBD	0	14	1	0	15	20	\$1,188.00	\$0.00	0
DYRS	0	8	2	2	9	40	\$1,923.00	\$0.00	0
EOM	0	47	31	38	22	1040	\$45,861.00	\$0.00	0
FEMS	0	966	37	39	38	-	\$7,029.45	\$8,674.00	0
HBX	0	3	0	2	15	20	\$1,529.00	\$0.00	0
HSEMA	0	128	2	0	3	164	\$8,465.68	\$0.00	0
JNC	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	0	\$0.00	\$0.00	0
MOLC									
MPD	0	709	96	545	12	21,050	\$1,148,006.50	\$3,729.00	0

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UDC	26	0	2	NA	8	6	3	0	2	7	1
UMC	No Response Provided										
Totals	10836	1103	1133	11.9276056	4794	1876	770	563	544	2349	263

Agency Acronyms	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(2)	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(3) Subcategory A	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(3) Subcategory B	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(3) Subcategory C	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(3) Subcategory D	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(3) Subcategory E	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(3) Subcategory F	Exemption DC Official Code 2- 534(a)(4)
UDC	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1
UMC								
Totals	2249	136	70	234	6	21	11	369

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UDC	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
UMC								
Totals	0	128	22	1	0	0	3	18

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UDC	0	19	5	2	15	30	\$1,000.00	\$0.00	0
UMC									
Totals	1	7842	1409	1484	13.25	65400.47	\$3,072,629.10	\$120,976.35	0

**FY 2019 FOIA Report
Agency Names and Acronyms**

Acronym	Agency
ABRA	Alcoholic Beverage Regulation Administration
ANC	Advisory Neighborhood Commissions
BEGA	Board of Ethics and Government Accountability
CAB	Contract Appeals Board
CFSA	Child and Family Services Agency
CIC	Corrections Information Council
CJCC	Criminal Justice Coordinating Council
CJDT	Commission on Judicial Disabilities and Tenure
DACL	Department of Aging & Community Living
DBH	Department of Behavioral Health
DC Council	DC Council
DC Health	Department of Health
DC Water	DC Water and Sewer Authority
DCA	DC Auditor
DCBOE	DC Board of Elections
DCCAH	DC Commission on the Arts and Humanities
DCHA	DC Housing Authority
DCHFA	DC Housing Finance Agency
DCHR	DC Human Resources
DCOZ	DC Office of Zoning
DCPC	DC Police Complaints
DCPL	DC Public Library
DCPS	DC Public Schools
DCRA	Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs
DCRB	District of Columbia Retirement Board
DDOT	District Department of Transportation
DDS	Department of Disability Services
DFHV	Department of For-Hire Vehicles
DFS	Department of Forensic Sciences
DGS	Department of General Services
DHCD	Department of Housing and Community Development
DHCF	Department of Health Care Finance
DHS	Department of Human Services
DISB	Department of Insurance, Securities and Banking
DME	Office of the Deputy Mayor for Education
DMOI	Deputy Mayor for Operations and Infrastructure
DMPED	Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development
DMV	Department of Motor Vehicles
DOC	Department of Corrections
DOEE	Department of Energy & Environment
DOES	Department of Employment Services
DPR	Department of Parks and Recreation

DPW	Department of Public Works
DSLBD	Department of Small and Local Business Development
DYRS	Department of Youth Rehabilitation Services
EOM	Executive Office of the Mayor
FEMS	Fire and Emergency Medical Services
HBX	Health Benefit Exchange Authority
HSEMA	Homeland Security and Emergency Management Agency
JNC	Judicial Nomination Commission
MOLC	Mayor's Office of Legal Counsel
MPD	Metropolitan Police Department
OAG	Office of the Attorney General
OAH	Office of Administrative Hearings
OCA	Office of the City Administrator
OSCC	Mayor's Office of the Clean City
OCFO	Office of the Chief Financial Officer
OCME	Office of the Chief Medical Examiner
OCP	Office of Contracting and Procurement
OCTFME	Office of Cable Television, Film, Music and Entertainment
OCTO	Office of the Chief Technology Officer
ODR	Office of Disability Rights
OEA	Office of Employee Appeals
OHR	Office of Human Rights
OIG	Office of the Inspector General,
OLRCB	Office of Labor Relations and Collective Bargaining
OP	Office of Planning
OPC	Office of the People's Counsel
ORM	Office of Risk Management
OSSE	Office of the State Superintendent of Education
OTA	Office of the Tenant Advocate
OUC	Office of Unified Communications
OVSJG	Office of Victim Services and Justice Grants
PCSB	Public Charter School Board
PERB	Public Employee Relations Board
PSC	Public Service Commission
RPTAC	Real Property Tax Appeals Commission
SBOE	State Board of Education
SCDC	D.C. Sentencing Commission
UDC	University of District of Columbia
UMC	United Medical Center