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From: (b)(6)
Sent: Monday, April 27, 2020 12:41 PM
To: (b)(6)
Subject: RE: Tasking/General 2020-FECS-00055

Follow Up Flag: Follow up
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Good afternoon (b)(6)

In response to the subject FOIA task, we provide the following names:

- Names of those FEMA officials, if any, serving on the White House coronavirus task force (WHCTF);
 - **Administrator Pete Gaynor**
- FEMA officials serving as staff support to FEMA members of the WHCTF (including any individual who accompanies officials to task force meetings or provides briefing materials in preparation of those meetings);
 - **COS Eric Heighberger, Lauren Fischer, Gena Lorenz**
- The names of all political appointees and the top three career officials serving on FEMA’s Supply Chain Task Force.
 - **No political appointees**
- Top three career officials serving on FEMA’s Supply Chain Task Force:
 - **Real Admiral John Poloywczyk**
 - **BRGEN David Sanford**
 - **Bob Farmer (FEMA)**

Search Information Form (Please complete the following search form.)

Name(s) of Searcher(s) (b)(6)

Is Searcher (Check One): Clerical Professional Managerial

Program Office(s): Office of the Administrator

Date(s) of Search: 4/27/2020

Total Time Searching: 60 mins

Total Time Reviewing Records: 0

Were Any Records Found?: No

If No Records Were Found, Why? (i.e. no records exist; records were destroyed in accordance with records schedule, etc.):

Withholding Recommendations:

*Total Release?

*Recommend withholding the bracketed information? (If yes, provide an explanation):

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Subject: RE: FOIA Records Search Request 2020-HQFO-00961; SUSPENSE April 30, 2020

Component representatives on the Task Force is handled at the Component level. The Deputy and the Secretary were both on the WH Corona Task Force.

Respectfully,

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From: FOIA <FOIA@HQ.DHS.GOV>
Sent: Monday, April 27, 2020 10:58 AM
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Subject: FOIA Records Search Request 2020-HQFO-00961; SUSPENSE April 30, 2020

Request for Documents for Request # '2020-HQFO-00961'. Your response due date is: 4/30/2020 12:00:00 AM Message from SENDER:

SUSPENSE April 30, 2020

RE: FOIA Request #2020-HQFO-00961, (Austin Evers)

Good Morning,

Please disregard the previous tasker with SUSPENSE DATE MAY 14.

Attached is a FOIA request for 1. Records sufficient to identify which FEMA officials are: (a) serving on the White House coronavirus task force (WHCTF), and (b) serving as staff support to FEMA members of the WHCTF (including any individual who accompanies officials to task force meetings or provides briefing materials in preparation of those meetings). 2. Records sufficient to identify: (a) all political appointees, and (b) the top three career officials serving on FEMA's Supply Chain Task Force (Date Range for Record Search: From 3/1/2020 To 4/21/2020). Please note we are only tasking on **item 2 a**. We have tasked FEMA on the other items of this request.

Due to the subject matter of the request (COVID-19), we have granted expedited handling to the request and require high priority to this tasker.