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September 12, 2018

Jeff Stevens

RE: File No. 18-R-130; Douglas County Commissioner James Cavanaugh; Jeff Stevens, Petitioner

Dear Mr. Stevens:

This letter is in response to your petition submitted under the Nebraska Public Records Statutes, Neb. Rev. Stat. §§ 84-712 through 84-712.09 (2014, Cum. Supp. 2016), in which you sought our assistance in obtaining certain public records belonging to Douglas County Commissioner James Cavanaugh. Specifically, you sought documents related to a presentation Commissioner Cavanaugh gave at a meeting of the Douglas County Commissioners on August 14, 2018.

We forwarded your petition to Commissioner Cavanaugh and Douglas County administrator Patrick Bloomingdale. On September 11, 2018 the undersigned received an email from Jimmie L. Pinkham, Deputy Douglas County Attorney, which stated that he had provided you with the records you requested. When we receive petitions under Neb. Rev. Stat. § 84-712.03, our focus is to ensure that citizens have not been improperly denied public records. Since Douglas County has now provided the records which are responsive to your public records request, no further investigation or analysis by this office is necessary. As a result, we are closing this file.

Sincerely,

DOUGLAS J. PETERSON ttorney General Natalee J. Hart

Assistant Attorney General

cc: Theresia Urich, Deputy Douglas County Attorney

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