



SENT VIA EMAIL

May 18, 2018

Mr. Peter Nelson King, Assistant City Attorney (via City Clerk)
City of Palm Springs
3200 East Tahquitz Canyon Way
Palm Springs, CA 92262

Subject: PSPF's California Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request letter of May 4, 2018

Dear Mr. King,

Thank you for your letter of May 15, 2018 in response to our FOIA request.

Your letter asked us to provide you "with additional search terms and criteria to assist in narrowing the subject matter" of PSPF's FOIA request. Accordingly, we hereby amend our request for those city documents, etc., that contain both the phrase "eminent domain" and an additional search term as follows:

"eminent domain" + "Town and Country" or "Town & Country"
"eminent domain" + "Desert Fashion Plaza" or "DFP"
"eminent domain" + "Pouget"
"eminent domain" + "Braun"
"eminent domain" + "Grit"
"eminent domain" + "Wessman"
"eminent domain" + "Block K"

Additionally, your May 15, 2018 letter states that the city "will make every effort" to be responsive to our request, but then indicates that you anticipate "an additional 60 days" to process our request. This seems an excessive amount of time to process a FOIA request and we hope that the city can strive to be more responsive. While we recognize that staff resources are limited, responsiveness to FOIA requests are arguably one of the most tangible measures of a city government's commitment to transparency.

Thank you for continuing to process our request. The point of contact for this matter is PSPF board member Ron Marshall who may be reached at info@pspreservationfoundation.org or (760) 837-7117.

Sincerely,

Erik Rosenow
President