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Ms. Dana Hull
Bloomberg News
Pier 3
San Francisco, CA 94111

REF: DOI-FWS-2023-003910

Dear Ms. Hull:

The United States Fish and Wildlife Service (FWS) Headquarters FOIA Office received your request dated April 11, 2023 and assigned tracking number FWS-2023-003910. Please refer to tracking number in communications regarding this request. You requested the following:

I am requesting any email correspondence and/or summaries of phone calls between the Fish and Wildlife Service and the FAA regarding SpaceX and the planned Starship launch in Boca Chica from January 1, 2023 through the date this request is processed. Please send the information via email. I ask that the FWS waive any processing fees. To narrow the search so that it is not an undue burden on your staff, please focus on the key words "sound" and/or "decibel levels."

Response

For this second interim response, we processed 5 records (5 pages), which are being released to you in full. We are continuing to review additional records that are responsive to your request. Because this is an interim response to your request, we will provide notice of your appeal rights in our final response letter.

If you have any questions about our response to your request, you may contact me at monika_malnowicz@fws.gov, or by mail at U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service; ATTN: FOIA Office; 5275 Leesburg Pike; MS: IRTM; Falls Church, VA 22041.

Sincerely,

Monika Malnowicz
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