

FOIA, FW2

From: Cummins, Stacey C on behalf of FOIA, FWHQ
Sent: Monday, June 15, 2020 9:20 AM
To: FOIA, FW2
Subject: Fw: FOIA from: Jim Chapman

David-

I think Barb is still OOO today so I'm helping with the FOIA emails. Please see below. No informal acknowledgment has been sent to the requester.

Thanks!
Stacey

United States Fish and Wildlife Service
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From: Webforms, DOI <doi-webforms@ios.doi.gov>
Sent: Sunday, June 14, 2020 12:57 PM
To: FOIA, FWHQ <FWHQ_FOIA@fws.gov>
Subject: FOIA from: Jim Chapman

Submitted on Sunday, June 14, 2020 - 2:57pm
Submitted by anonymous user: 2605:6000:160c:86ac:93d0:eb55:441:398a
Submitted values are:

Your Name: Jim Chapman
Mailing Address: 200 East 11th Street
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Daytime Phone Number: 9565710545
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E-mail Address: jchapmanrgv@gmail.com
Confirm E-mail Address : jchapmanrgv@gmail.com
Your Organization: Frontera Audubon Society
Are you filing the request on behalf of another party? No
If so, who are you filing the request on behalf of?

Contact Information Certification: I certify that the above statement(s) concerning who I am filing the request on behalf of are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. If I want to receive greater access to records about a person I represent, I will submit proof that the person consents to the release of the records to me, as discussed in 43 C.F.R. § 2.9.

Bureau/Office: Fish & Wildlife Service (FWS)
Relevant park, refuge, site or other location: FWS Ecological Services, Corpus Christi, Texas
Request Description: All correspondence, written and electronic, including phone and conference notes & transcriptions, between USFWS and the FAA regarding the SpaceX project at Boca Chica, Texas, from March 2014 to the present. Also, any correspondence between USFWS and SpaceX.
Requester's Communication Preferences: Electronic communication via email
Document Disclosure Preferences: Electronics copies via CD

Select the applicable reason why you are requesting expedited processing: There is an urgency to inform the public concerning actual or alleged Federal government activity and the request is made by a person primarily engaged in disseminating information.

Justification for Expedited Processing: We have reason to believe that SpaceX has been and continues to be violating conditions of the 2014 ESA Biological Opinion, as well as conditions set forth in the 2014 Environmental Impact Statement. This is an urgent matter as SpaceX is in the middle of a significant expansion at Boca Chica with little or no FAA environmental oversight, and with increasing impacts on the adjoining Lower Rio Grande Valley National Wildlife Refuge.

Expedited Processing Certification: I certify that the above statement(s) concerning expedited processing are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Please select the appropriate statement: I am requesting a waiver or reduction of fees.

I agree to pay fees up to this particular amount: Frontera can contribute up to \$100 for copying expenses.

To assist in determining my requester category to assess fees, you should know that I am: affiliated with an educational or noncommercial scientific institution and this request is made for a scholarly or scientific purpose and not for commercial use

Affiliated Organization:

Please explain why your request for a waiver of fees or a reduction in fees is justified.: Frontera Audubon Society is a very small 501c3 non-profit organization with a small budget and under considerable financial stress due to Covid 19-related loss of income. Furthermore, our request is in support of the fish, wildlife, plants & wetlands of the Boca Chica area of South Texas.

The results of this submission may be viewed at:

<https://www.doi.gov/node/32906/submission/610729>