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January 5, 2017

Ms. Ana Vieira Ayala
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Dear Ms. Ayala:

Pursuant to section 552.306 of the Government Code, the attorney general must issue a written opinion within forty-five working days from the date the attorney general receives a request for an open records decision. The attorney general may extend the period for issuing the decision by an additional ten working days by informing the governmental body and the requestor of the reason for the delay. Gov't Code § 552.306.

In the process of researching your open records request, identified as ID# 640488, we have concluded that we require additional time to research the legal issues raised by your request for an open records decision. We will notify you of our ruling regarding your request as expeditiously as possible.

Sincerely,

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Yen-Ha Le
Assistant Attorney General
Open Records Division

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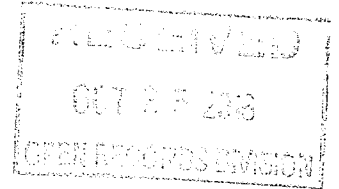
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October 25, 2016

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Re: Public Information Request from Justin Gallagher and Paul Fisher to The University of Texas at Austin -- OGC# 172371

Dear Mr. Gordon:

On October 11, 2016, The University of Texas at Austin ("University") received a request for information from Justin Gallagher and Paul Fisher ("Requestors") (TAB 2). The University subsequently sent the request to The University of Texas System ("UT System") for handling with your office.

In accordance with Section 552.301 of the Texas Government Code, we now send this request for decision within ten business days from the date the request was received. UT System has copied the Requestors on this letter brief in accordance with Section 552.301(d).

The Requestors seek access to the following information:

[W]e are requesting to obtain copies of public records that correspond with a statewide database of traffic accidents for the years 2008-9. We request the same data on these accidents as are contained in the Public Extract from the CRIS database for accidents post 2010 (<http://www.txdot.gov/government/enforcement/data---access.html>).

To be more specific, we are requesting that for each reported traffic crash in both 2008 and 2009 fields relevant to the system-generated Crash_ID, latitude and longitude of each accident, the block number and street name where the accident occurred, the zip code of the owner of each vehicle involved in the crash, the city and county of the accident, contributing factors related to the accident, if the accident occurred in an intersection, time and date of the crash, the first harmful event in the crash, the severity of the crash, the dollar value of damage caused in the accident, the number and severity of the injuries/deaths caused in the accident, the form of traffic