



ATTORNEY GENERAL OF TEXAS
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Mr. Jason Cozza
City Secretary/Administrator
City of Hallettsville
101 North Main
Hallettsville, Texas 77964

OR2013-22326

Re: Request for any and all information pertaining to the incident on 11/28/2013 at a specified address in Hallettsville at approximately 2:15 a.m.

Dear Mr. Cozza:

The Office of the Attorney General has received your request for a ruling and assigned your request ID# 515198.

After reviewing your arguments and the submitted information, we have determined your request does not present a novel or complex issue. Thus, we are addressing your claims in a memorandum opinion. You claim the information marked as "552.108" may be withheld from the requestor pursuant to section 552.108(a)(1) of the Government Code. We have considered your arguments and the information and have determined that in accordance with section 552.108(a)(1) you may withhold the information marked as "552.108." We note the submitted information includes a document that may have been filed with a court. Information filed with a court is generally a matter of public record and may not be withheld from disclosure. Gov't Code § 552.022(a)(17); *Star-Telegram, Inc. v. Walker*, 834 S.W.2d 54 (Tex. 1992). Thus, if the information has been filed with a court, you must release the information.

For more information on the cited exception, please refer to the open government information on our website at <https://www.oag.state.tx.us/open/memorulings.shtml>. You may also contact our Open Government Hotline at 1-877-OPENTEX.

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c: Requestor
(w/o enclosures)