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I submitted the following public records request through your forms.osp.oregon.gov system. The automated acknowledgement does not include the contents of the request so I am reproducing it below.

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To the Public Records Unit, Oregon State Police:

This is a request under the Oregon Public Records Law, ORS 192.314. The period for items 1 through 4 is January 1, 2023 to the present.

I request the following.

1. Every request for a threat assessment made by, or routed through, the Government and Media Relations section, with its date, the agency or person it came from, and the unit or officer it was assigned to.
2. Every computer-aided dispatch (CAD) event opened at the request of, or after a referral from, the Government and Media Relations section, with its date and event type.
3. Every referral from another state agency to the Government and Media Relations section that the section sent on to the Criminal Investigations Division, with its date, the referring agency, and the unit or officer it was assigned to.
4. In the alternative to items 1 through 3, any existing record, report, log, or tracking system that counts or lists them.
5. Every policy, directive, general order, procedure, and training material in effect at any time since January 1, 2023 that governs:
 - (a) when the Government and Media Relations section may refer a

matter to the Criminal Investigations Division or request a threat assessment;

(b) threat assessments of members of the public;

(c) “knock and talk” contacts, including any guidance on approaching a residence behind a locked gate, on posted property, or on restricted federal land, or with another agency’s help to gain access.

I request records in their native electronic format with metadata intact, delivered electronically. Rolling production is welcome.

For each record withheld or redacted, identify the record, cite the specific exemption relied on, and state whether the public interest balancing that the exemption requires was performed.

*Fee waiver.*I request a full waiver under ORS 192.324(5). Making these records available primarily benefits the general public.

1. *Identity of the requester.* I publish oprdvolunteerabuse.org, a public archive of government records. Every production I receive is published there in full, as produced, each document at its own permanent address, open to anyone without an account or a fee. This request is not for my own file. It is for the State Police’s practice: every instance of it since January 1, 2023.
2. *Purpose.* The purpose is publication. Every record produced will be published in full, unedited, the day it is received. Anyone will be able to see which agencies refer members of the public to the State Police’s public relations office, what those people were accused of, what officers did next, and how each matter ended.
3. *Character of the information.* The Government and Media Relations section is the State Police’s press and government relations office. It is not an investigative unit. These records show whether state agencies use that office to send criminal investigators and threat assessments toward members of the public, how often, and against whom. They show whether officers came to those people’s homes, and how many of those matters ended with no crime charged. Item 5 is the written rule for a warrantless approach to a home: when officers may cross a locked gate or posted property, enter restricted federal land, or use another agency to gain access. Every resident of Oregon is subject to these rules.
4. *Whether the information is already public.* It is not. No public source reports a single instance of the Government and Media

Relations section requesting a threat assessment or referring a member of the public to the Criminal Investigations Division. The instances exist only in the State Police's own files. If any policy requested under item 5 is already published, identify where, and I will withdraw that part of the request.

5. *Ability to disseminate.* The State Police production under PR27478 was published in full on September 3, 2026, the day it was received, at <https://oprdivolunteerabuse.org/record/osp/01M1M4WF78XJPEJJ48D1JZ4SJ8/>, where it can be read today. Every prior production in my matters has been published the same way.

If any part of the fee is not waived, reduce it as ORS 192.324(5) provides, state in writing for each of these five factors why it does or does not weigh in favor of a waiver, and give an itemized estimate by task and hourly rate before any work begins.

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