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**From:** Shawn P. Duffy <shawn.duffy48@gmail.com>  
**Sent:** Wednesday, January 6, 2016 3:27 PM  
**To:** DOA Public Records Board Comments  
**Subject:** Comments regarding proposed changes to Open Records laws

Please enter into the record of public comments the following message, which I sent to Chairman Blessing earlier today:

I begin to despair about the possibility of persuading Wisconsin legislators and other officials that the people of Wisconsin do NOT want the state's Open Records laws changed -- and certainly not weakened. As the designated representative of the Wisconsin Historical Society on the Public Records Board, you should be especially aware of the importance of open records not only for good government, but for good history as well. And so I take the time to ask once again that you and your fellow board members do nothing to reduce the openness of public records. Wisconsinites will not be deceived about the reasons behind such efforts.

Sincerely,

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