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I heard that the board was considering changing the practice of allowing access to electronic communications made between various government agencies. I would argue that in today's political climate that all communication should not be considered to be transitory but as part of the public record. Given that so much has been made of Secretary Clinton's use of private email and that those documents are public record it seems only fair the the Wisconsin government strive for such transparency. Fleeting or not the government needs to be open to all who wish to keep tabs on and know what is going on. It is the way to go so that the public remains connected with government and not simply outside of the loop.

Thank you,  
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