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I'm writing to urge the Public Records Board to rescind its last summer's decision to limit access to all types of electronic communications sent/posted by public employees. No public official should engage in secret deliberations, written, electronic, or oral, involving government business. A necessary condition for a democracy, at all levels of government, to function as a trustworthy representative body of the people is transparency. Therefore, all governmental communications must be open to public scrutiny by the citizens of our State if Wisconsin's democratic form of government is to be credible.

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