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To: DOA Public Records Board Comments
Subject: Rescind Limitations on Public Access to Text Messages, etc.

I am writing to request that you rescind your previous action limiting access to text messages and other electronic communications by public employees. Public employees work *for the public*, and transparency is key to the democratic process. I strongly oppose this change and other efforts by the current state legislature to limit the public's ability to know what the government is doing. This is a very important issue: mold grows in the dark!!