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Dear Public Records Board-

Taking advantage of the ability for a citizen to comment on our ability to understand and follow our elected leaders' activities, I write you to now publicly and wholly support the notion that the business and communication of *our* elected leaders is to be made freely and easily available to us. The concept that text messages, electronic posts, and emails (not an exhaustive list) can be shielded and withheld from the electorate is wrong and 100% in contradiction to a most widespread belief of what an open and just society requires to operate at its best. Further, consider if a different political party were in office. Wouldn't you want to know who those leaders deal with and what they are trying to accomplish? I will not support political parties blatantly trying to hide from their citizens- and fellow legislators.

Please, bring back sanity to our Wisconsin government. It is not one political party's playground. It is a requirement of modern society. It belongs to *all* of us. Please, think about the future.

Thank you for your consideration.

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