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 To:
 FOIA Metra

Subject: FOIA -- Chicago Tribune

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Dear FOIA Officer:

Please consider this a request under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act.

This request includes the following:

*Copies of any surveillance camera video and/or audio during the attempted apprehension of a homicide suspect on a Milwaukee North Metra train around 10:30 p.m. on Jan. 9, in addition to the ensuing shootout and the evacuation of passengers. Requested video and audio includes, but is not limited to, footage recorded by cameras inside Metra railcar No. 7424 and at the Lake Cook Metra station.

As a member of the news media seeking these records in the public interest, I respectfully request fees be waived, per statute.

I would respectfully remind you that you have five working days to respond to this request and provide responsive records. Illinois law does allow a public agency to extend, by an additional five days, that deadline if there are extraordinary circumstances.

However, as a daily reporter on deadline, I appreciate anything you can do to expedite this request.

In the event you find this request is unduly burdensome, I ask that you inform me prior to the 10 days legally allotted for a response as I may decide to narrow the scope of this request.

If I provide any further information or clarity regarding this request, please don't hesitate to reach me by phone or email.

I sincerely thank you for your time and effort,

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