

547 W. Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, IL 60661

July 1, 2019

<u>VIA E-MAIL</u> Mr. Jeff McLennan Des Plaines Honda Motorcycles Email: jeff@dsphonda.com

RE: 19-FOIA-168 Video Footage from Cumberland Station on 2019-06-13

Dear Mr. McLennan:

We are in receipt of your request for information pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 *et seq.* ("**FOIA**").

On June 24, 2019, we received your request for video footage from June 13, 2019, between the hours of 12:01 a.m. and 1:00 a.m., from the street-side cameras at the Metra Northwest Line Cumberland Train Station located on the 400 / 500 block of Northwest Highway in Des Plaines, IL ("**Request**").

The Cumberland Train Station referenced in your Request is part of the Union Pacific Northwest line which is owned and operated by the Union Pacific Railroad ("UP"). We contacted the UP and asked them to release the video(s) to us. In their response, the UP stated that they do not honor FOIA requests. The requested records are non-public records and therefore, not subject to production under the Purchase of Service Agreement between the UP and Metra, or the FOIA.

If we can be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,

Angela K. Ollie Freedom of Information Officer <u>foia@metrarr.com</u> FOIA Hotline #312-663-3642