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Date: July 17, 2025

To:
Maurice Anderson, Chief Administrative Officer
Lassen County Administrative Office
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Susanville, CA 96130

Subject: CPRA Request – Legal Billing Records for Michelle Nasise / Prentice Long Law Firm

Dear Mr. Anderson,

Pursuant to the California Public Records Act (Government Code § 6250 et seq.), I am requesting copies of public records showing all payments made by Lassen County to attorney Michelle Nasise and/or the law firm Prentice|Long LLP from March 1, 2025 through July 17, 2025.

Specifically, I request:

1. All invoices, billing statements, payment records, and time logs detailing the total amount paid to Michelle Nasise and/or Prentice|Long LLP from March 1, 2025 through July 17, 2025.
2. A breakdown of the number of hours billed related to Public Records Act (CPRA) work or requests.
3. Any documents or correspondence specifying the billing rates, scope of services, or contracts covering this period.

The people of Lassen County have a right to know how much of their tax money is being spent on efforts to lie to the public, withhold, deny, and obstruct access to public records—especially when those records pertain to public health, protect private interests, environmental contamination, and government accountability. This includes how much has been paid to Michelle Nasise of Prentice|Long LLP to carry out these actions under the color of law. Any attempt to deny or obstruct access to these records will reflect poorly on both you and Lassen County, and the results of this request will be publicly posted on the Protect Lassen website at <https://protectlassen.org/lassen-county-chief-administration-officer/>.

Please provide these records in electronic format via email to: watch@protectlassen.org

If any documents are withheld, please cite the specific exemption(s) being claimed and provide all non-exempt portions as required by Government Code § 6253(c).

Thank you for your attention. I look forward to your response within the 10-day statutory period.

Sincerely,

George Jacobsen
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