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Re: GRAMA Request

Dear Mr. Fellows,

It has come to our attention that Democratic members of the Redistricting Committee may have engaged in improper and possibly illegal activities involving the use of partisan data in constructing redistricting maps.

As you know, the 2011 Redistricting Procedural Guidelines prohibits political data from entering the State computer systems, and also requires that the use of staff time and redistricting resources be first cleared by a member of the Committee.

Based upon information and belief, individuals affiliated with the State Democratic Party have attempted to circumvent these rules -- and the GRAMA statute itself -- by various inappropriate methods, including, but not limited to, exchanging partisan data through non-governmental email systems, sharing data via text message to personal and government cell phones, and using partisan data in the map room.

Therefore, pursuant to the rights guaranteed under the Government Records Access and Management Act, we request the following documents from the Utah State Legislature.

- All SMS messages sent and received by Sen. Gene Davis, Gene Davis, Ben McAdams, Ross Romero on their state-issued cellular phones, and all redistricting-related messages on their personal cellular devices between September 1, 2011 and October 12, 2011.

- All email to and from Sen. Gene Davis, Ben McAdams, Ross Romero and the internet history on their computers between September 1, 2011 and October 12, 2011.
- All communications and records of access to the map room involving Todd Taylor, David Irvine, Maryann Martindale, Glen Wright, Jim Dabakis, Peter Corroon, Gene Davis, Ben McAdams, Ross Romero and Alyson Heyrend.
- All email sent and received by Rep. Brian King between September 1, 2011 and October 12, 2011.
- All cellular phone records of Rep. Brian King between September 1, 2011 and October 12, 2011.

As the State Republican Party Chairman, this request is made on behalf of Republicans living in the State of Utah, so we therefore ask for your response within five business days pursuant to state law.

Sincerely,

Thomas Wright
Utah State Republican Party Chairman