

June 12, 2026

**RE: Public Records Request – Septage Receiving Operations,
Truck Traffic, and Road Infrastructure in WWTP Site Selection**

Dear Ms. Santana,

Pursuant to the Tennessee Public Records Act (T.C.A. § 10-7-503 et seq.), I am requesting copies of all documents in the possession of the City of Lebanon relating to septage receiving operations, truck traffic projections, and road infrastructure capacity in connection with the evaluation of candidate sites for the proposed new 20 MGD Wastewater Treatment Plant.

Specifically, I am requesting:

1. The design Request for Proposals (RFP), preliminary engineering report, or any equivalent planning document prepared for the new WWTP facility, including any specifications, design criteria, or scope language addressing septage receiving capability at the new plant or the existing Hartmann Drive facility.
2. All hauler permit applications, permit records, and operational logs documenting current septage receiving volumes, truck counts, and hauler identities at the Hartmann Drive facility for any period within the past five years.
3. All records addressing the intended operational configuration of septage receiving after the new plant comes online — including whether operations will remain at Hartmann Drive, relocate to the new plant, or be split between the two — the planned hours of operation including weekend and after-hours access, and the engineering or policy basis for that determination.
4. All records addressing the projected service area of the new facility for septage receiving purposes, including any references to regional hub service, acceptance of septage from areas outside the City of Lebanon's incorporated

boundary, or coordination with Wilson County or adjacent counties.

5. All traffic studies, road capacity analyses, pavement condition assessments, or road sub-base evaluations for Mann Road, Berea Church Road, or Coles Ferry Pike prepared in connection with the proposed WWTP project or candidate site evaluation.
6. All engineering estimates or cost analyses for road improvements — including widening, sub-base reconstruction, or right-of-way acquisition — on the approach roads to any candidate site, prepared in connection with the WWTP site selection process.
7. All noise or air-quality impact analyses for any candidate site prepared in connection with the WWTP site selection process.
8. All correspondence between the City of Lebanon, its engineering consultants, or Wilson County regarding septage receiving operations, projected truck volumes, or road infrastructure capacity in connection with the new WWTP site selection.

Please provide the responsive records in electronic format if available. If any portion of this request is denied, please provide a written explanation citing the specific statutory exemption relied upon. If any responsive record contains both exempt and non-exempt information, please redact the exempt portions and provide the remainder. Please do not withhold an entire record solely because a portion of it may be exempt.

I am willing to pay reasonable copying or processing fees. Please notify me in advance if the estimated cost exceeds \$25.00.

Thank you for your assistance. Please feel free to contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,

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