File No. 26059 Item No. 7

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Completed By: Patricia H. Petersen (5/14/2026)

Initial Request

From: Gabe Greschler
To: SOTF (BOS)
Cc: Somera, Alisa (BOS)
Subject: Re: SOTF - Request for Supporting Documents -Gabriel Greschler against the Office of the Mayor (File No. 26059)
Date: Friday, April 17, 2026 3:42:58
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Hi there, I am including copies of all the materials requested. Additionally, I am including the responses I have received from the mayor's office that are part of my complaint.

On Tue, Apr 14, 2026 at 5:06 PM SOTF (BOS) <sotf@sfgov.org> wrote:

> Hello -
>
> The Sunshine Ordinance Task Force (SOTF) is in receipt of your complaint (attached). Upon review of your complaint the SOTF requires the following documents before we can proceed further and open a complaint file:
>
> - Copy of the original public records request(s), with date and timestamps, that you submitted to the office of the Mayor beginning in December 2025
> - Copy of the original response(s), with date and timestamps, that you have received, if any, from the Office of the Mayor
>
> Please provide the requested documents as PDFs within **five (5) business days**.
>
> We will be unable to open a complaint file for you if a response is not received in a timely manner and the matter will be closed. You may re-file your complaint when you have the required documents ready to submit.
>
> Thank you.

Patricia Petersen (she/her)

Assistant Clerk

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Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>

RE: PRA request March 6 2026 R. 341

MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org> Thu, Mar 19, 2026 at 6:16 PM

To: Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Cc: "Burns, Sarah" <SarahBurns@dwt.com>, "PRADHAN, MANU (CAT)" <Manu.Pradhan@sfcityatty.org>, "Press Office, Mayor (MYR)" <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>

Dear Gabe,

The Office of the Mayor is responding to your request dated 3/9/26. Your request asks for a variety of documents from December 2025. The responsive documents are attached. Please note that personal information has been redacted per Cal. Govt. Code §§ 6250, Cal. Const., Art. I, §§ 1, 3(b); Admin. Code §67.1(g); Admin. Code Chapter 12M.

No documents are being withheld. Please let me know if you have any questions. We now consider your request closed.

Thank you,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*

Legislative & Ethics Secretary

Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)
Sent: Monday, March 9, 2026 5:15 PM
To: 'Gabe Greschler' <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Cc: Burns, Sarah <SarahBurns@dwt.com>; PRADHAN, MANU (CAT) <Manu.Pradhan@sfcityatty.org>
Subject: RE: PRA request March 6 2026 R. 341

Dear Gabe,

Thank you for contacting the Office of the Mayor. We have received your request and will respond within 10 days but will work diligently to respond sooner. Please note that we are only able to provide records in the possession or control of the Office of the Mayor.

Thank you,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*

Legislative & Ethics Secretary

Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Sent: Friday, March 6, 2026 5:28 PM
To: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Cc: Burns, Sarah <SarahBurns@dwt.com>
Subject: PRA request March 6 2026

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Hi Dexter, this is Gabriel from The Standard. hope you are well.

I am sending in a clarifying request for some public records we have been pursuing in recent months. I believe all of this was pretty clearly spelled out in our original request, but understand that the Mayor's Office has asked for additional information.

Here is what we are looking for:

1--All text messages between Mayor Daniel Lurie and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.

2- A group chat — as described in a Feb. 14, 2026 SF Chronicle article — initiated by policy chief Ned Segal on the afternoon of Saturday, Dec. 20, 2025, concerning the citywide blackout and the War Memorial Opera House, which included ballet director Branislav Henselmann and to which DEM executive director Mary Ellen Carroll later added War Memorial Managing Director Kate Sofis on the morning of Sunday, Dec. 21, 2025. Please provide the contents of this group message thread from its inception through Dec. 26, 2025.

3-All emails that were sent by anyone in the mayor's office about the December blackouts between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.

Considering that we have been waiting for these documents for some time, we would appreciate production by Monday, especially of the text messages.

Thanks,

Gabriel Lorenzo Greschler

Local Government Reporter, The San Francisco Standard

ggreschler@sfstandard.com

Direct cell: 339-364-4030

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Jan. 8 R. 255.pdf
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Jan. 23 R. 281.pdf
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The San Francisco Standard

Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>

Fwd: Public records request re: PG&E outage R. 255

Susie Cagle <scagle@sfstandard.com> Wed, Jan 21, 2026 at 9:54 AM
To: Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>, Joe Fitzgerald <joefitz@sfstandard.com>, Han Li <han@sfstandard.com>, Jon Steinberg <jsteinberg@sfstandard.com>

---------- Forwarded message ---------
From: **MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)** <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Date: Tue, Jan 20, 2026 at 6:01 PM
Subject: RE: Public records request re: PG&E outage R. 255
To: Susie Cagle <scagle@sfstandard.com>
Cc: Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>

Dear Susie,

The Office of the Mayor is responding to your request dated 1/8/26. Thank you for your patience as yesterday was a city holiday. The responsive documents to your request area attached. Please note that personal information has been redacted per Cal. Govt. Code §§ 6250, Cal. Const., Art. I, §§ 1, 3(b); Admin. Code §67.1(g); Admin. Code Chapter 12M.

Please let us know if you have any questions. We now consider your request closed.

Thank You,

Office of the Mayor of San Francisco

Sunshine Requests

mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Sent: Friday, January 9, 2026 4:29 PM
To: Susie Cagle <scagle@sfstandard.com>
Cc: Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>
Subject: RE: Public records request re: PG&E outage R. 255

Dear Susie,

Thank you for contacting the Office of the Mayor. We have received your request and will respond in 10 days (1/19/26). Please let us know if you have any questions.

Thank You,

Office of the Mayor of San Francisco

Sunshine Requests

mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org

From: Susie Cagle <scagle@sfstandard.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 8, 2026 10:15 AM
To: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Subject: Public records request re: PG&E outage

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To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the state open records law Cal. Gov't Code Secs. 6250 to 6277, I request the following records:

· Any and all written materials and communications, including but not limited to e-mails, text messages, and any and all other correspondence and written materials between the mayor and office staff and PG&E pertaining to outages dated between December 20, 2025 and the date this request is filled.

If your agency does not maintain these public records, please let me know who does and include the proper custodian's name and address.

As a journalist acting in the public interest, I request a fee waiver (under 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(4)(A)(iii)). In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. In the interest of saving taxpayer funds, I would prefer all data and documents be communicated electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

If specific portions of any documents are exempt from disclosure, please provide the non-exempt portions and please provide a statutory reason as to why those records are exempt. If you choose to deny this request, please provide a written explanation for the denial including a reference to the specific statutory exemption(s) upon which you rely. Also, please provide all segregable portions of otherwise exempt material.

If you require clarification on this request or its scope, please don't hesitate to contact me by email or phone. Thanks so much for your help.

Sincerely,
Susie Cagle
Enterprise editor, The SF Standard

510-516-4998

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The San Francisco Standard

Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>

RE: Public records request Jan. 23, 2026 R. 281

MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org> Wed, Feb 18, 2026 at 1:29 PM
To: Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Cc: Joe Fitzgerald <joefitz@sfstandard.com>, "Press Office, Mayor (MYR)" <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>

Dear Gabe,

The Office of the Mayor is responding to your request. Thank you for your patience. The responsive documents are attached for the 1st portion of your request (Mayor Lurie texts with Jake Zigelman). No additional records were found to correspond with the other portions of your request. Please let us know if you have any questions. We now consider your request closed.

Thank you,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*

Legislative & Ethics Secretary

Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)
Sent: Wednesday, February 4, 2026 6:23 PM
To: 'Gabe Greschler' <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Cc: 'Joe Fitzgerald' <joefitz@sfstandard.com>; Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>
Subject: RE: Public records request Jan. 23, 2026 R. 281

Dear Gabe,

Thank you for your request again. Pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.25(b) and California Government Code Section 6253(c), we are invoking an extension of up to 14 days (until 2/16/26) because of the need to consult with another department. We will endeavor to complete our response before that date.

Thank you,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*

Legislative & Ethics Secretary

Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)
Sent: Tuesday, January 27, 2026 4:13 PM
To: 'Gabe Greschler' <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Cc: Joe Fitzgerald <joefitz@sfstandard.com>; Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>
Subject: RE: Public records request Jan. 23, 2026 R. 281

Dear Gabe,

Thank you for contacting the Office of the Mayor. We have received your request and will respond within 10 days of receipt.

Best,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*

Legislative & Ethics Secretary

Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Sent: Friday, January 23, 2026 1:08 PM
To: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Cc: Joe Fitzgerald <joefitz@sfstandard.com>
Subject: Public records request Jan. 23, 2026

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Hi there, I am submitting the following public records request:

-All text messages between Mayor Daniel Lurie and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.

-All text messages between Alicia John-Baptiste and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.

--All emails between Mayor Daniel Lurie and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.

-All emails between Alicia John-Baptiste and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.

-All text messages between Mayor Daniel Lurie and PG&E's Patti Poppe between Dec, 19, 2025 and Jan. 23, 2025.

Thank you,

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Gabriel Lorenzo Greschler

Local Government Reporter, The San Francisco Standard

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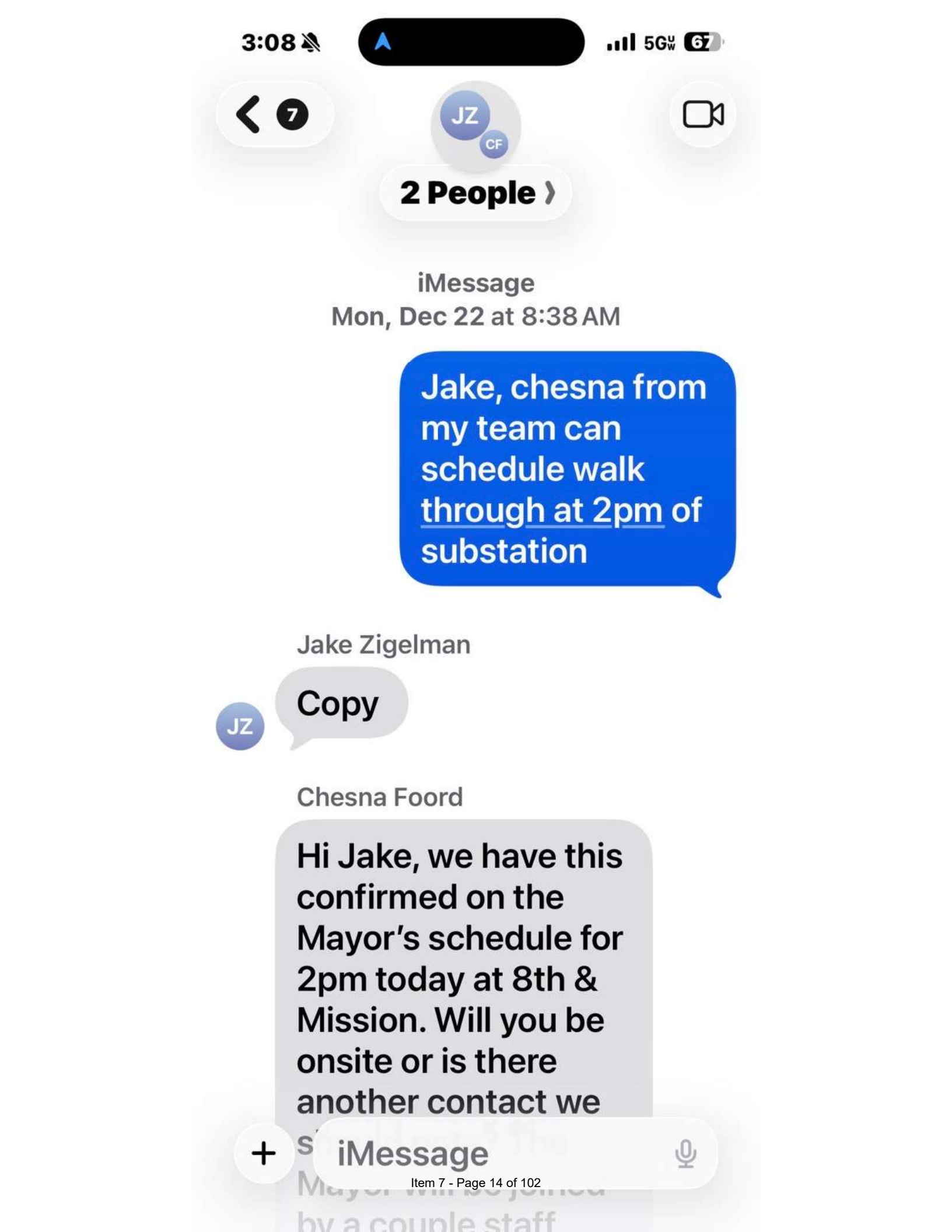
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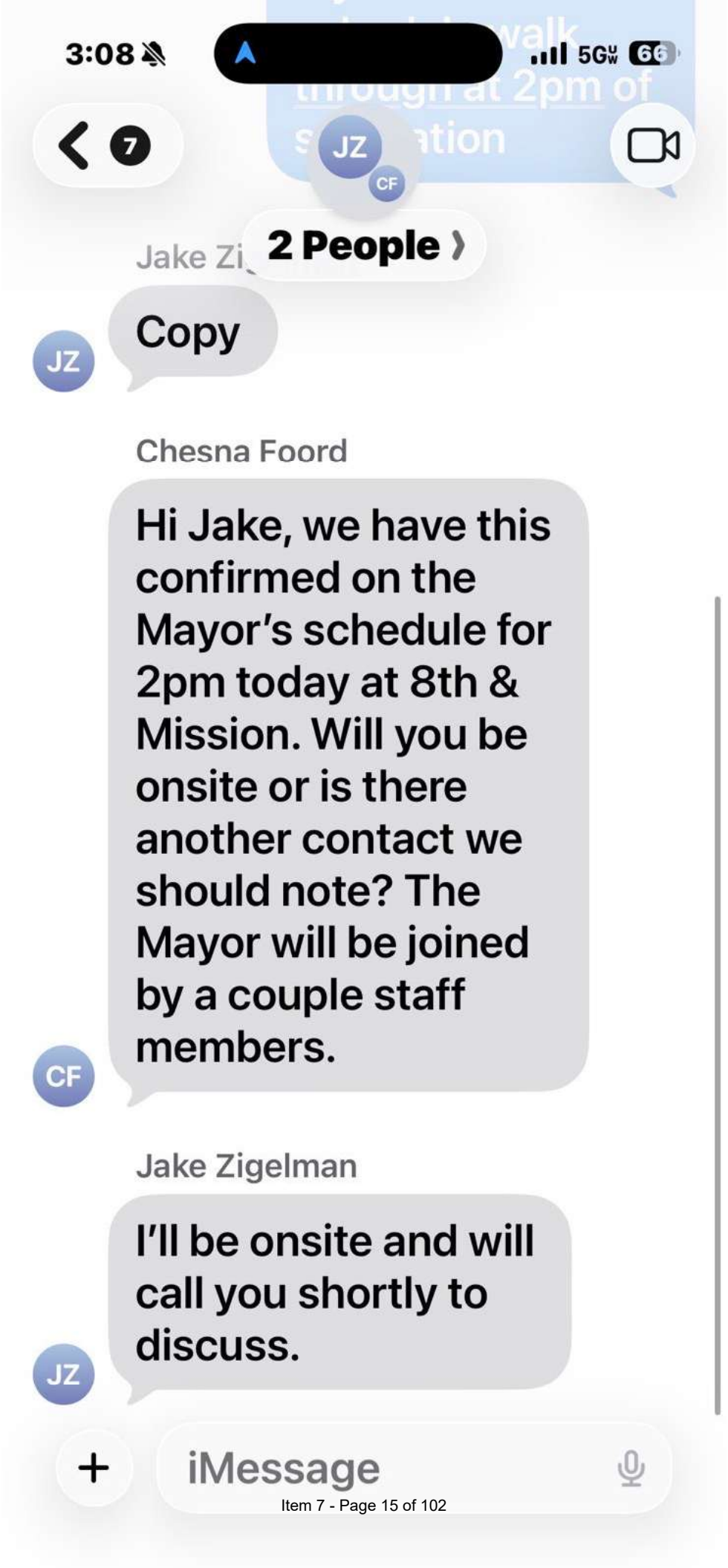
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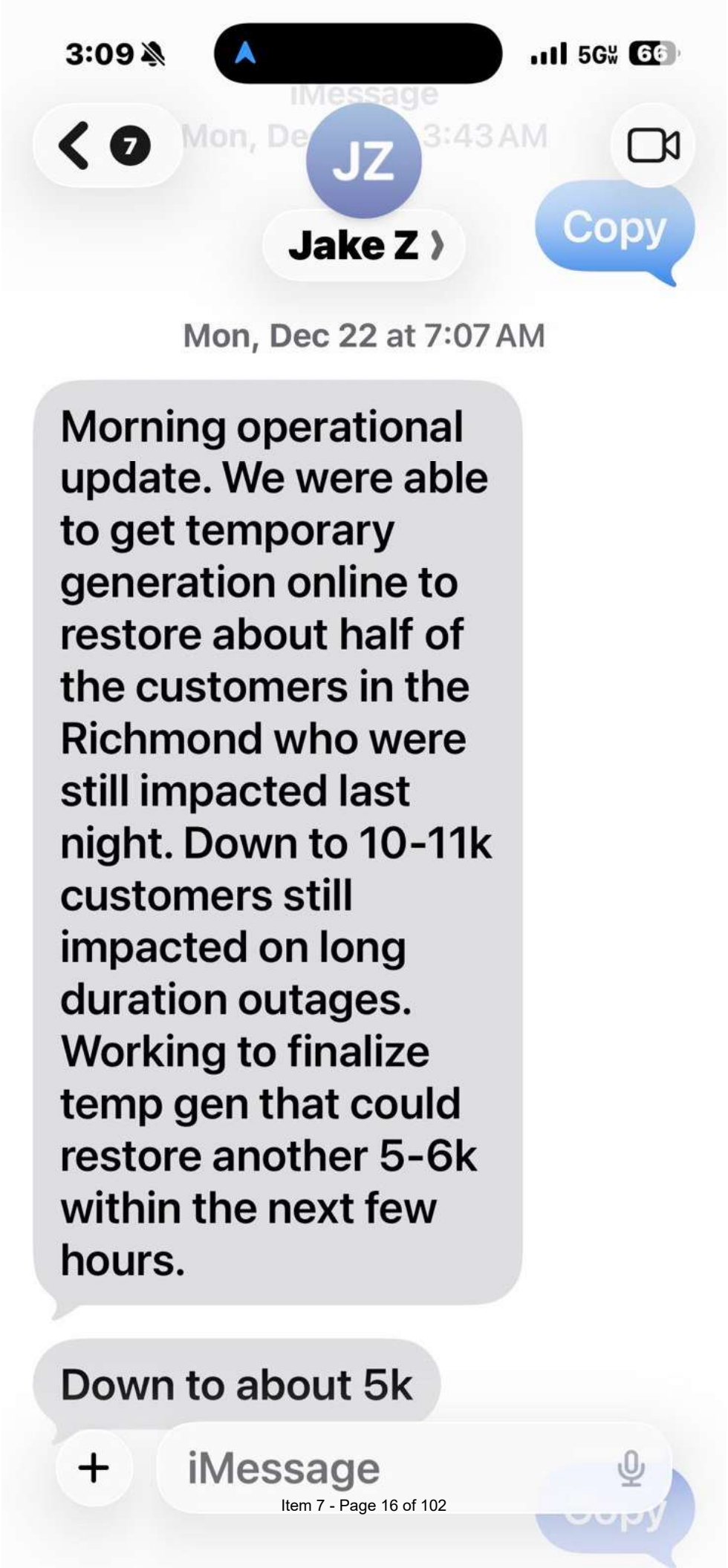
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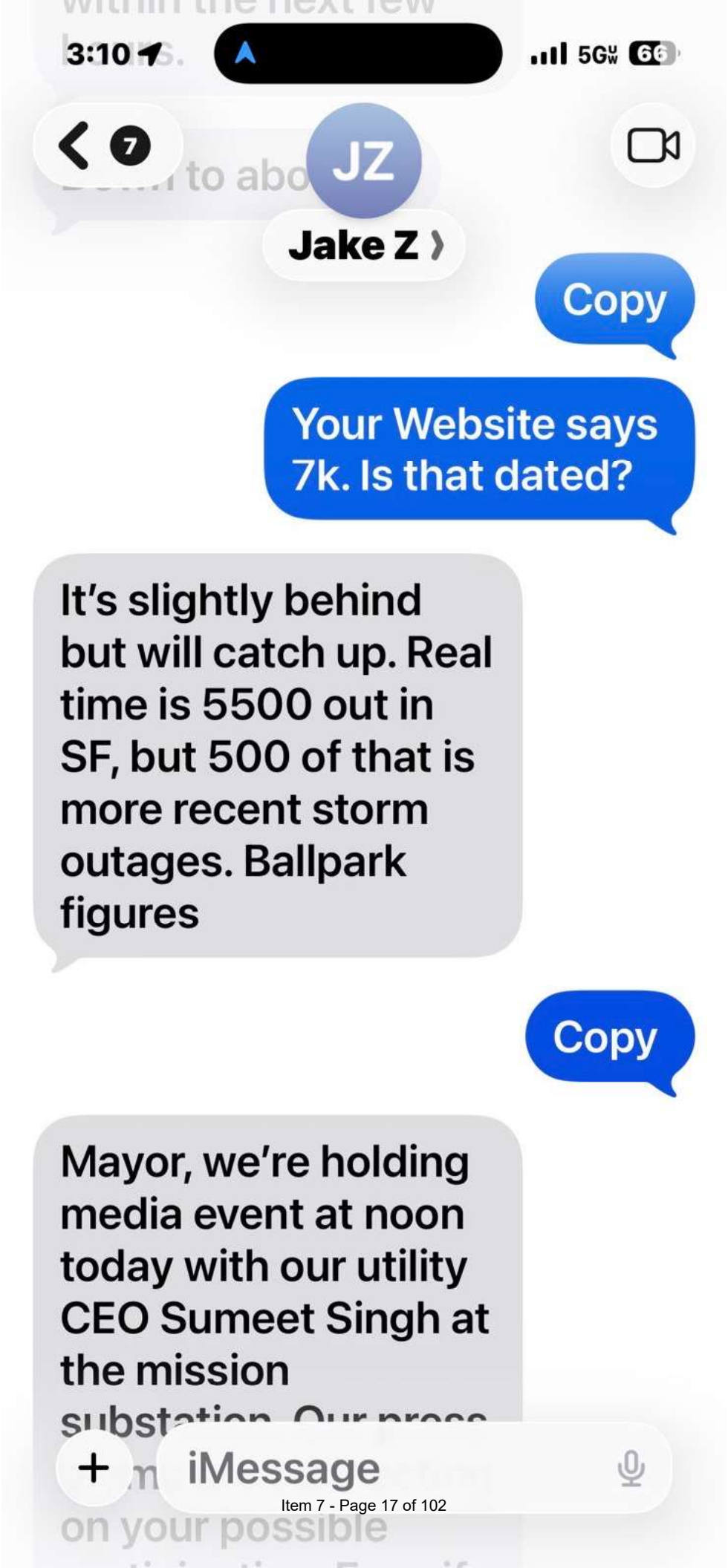
Opera house update. Our team is onsite and has been in touch with the opera folks. We've been told they have enough natural light and emergency backup power to move ahead with 2pm performance. We have a vendor mobilized to support temporary generation for the 7pm show. Not 100% on timing but working feverishly to make

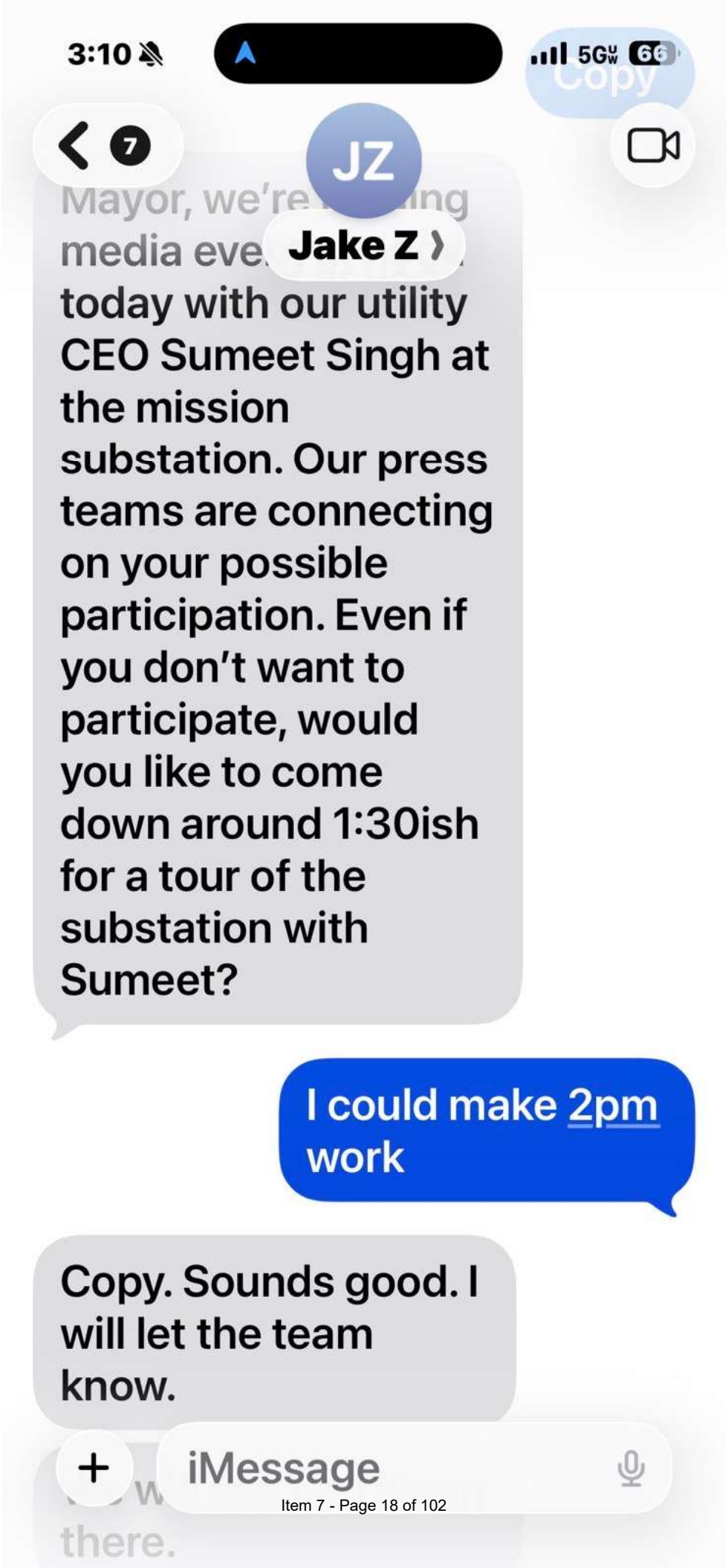
This text is not time stamped but it is almost certainly from Dec. 21, 2025, since PG&E and the mayor's office have confirmed that this is when the utility service was onsite at the opera.

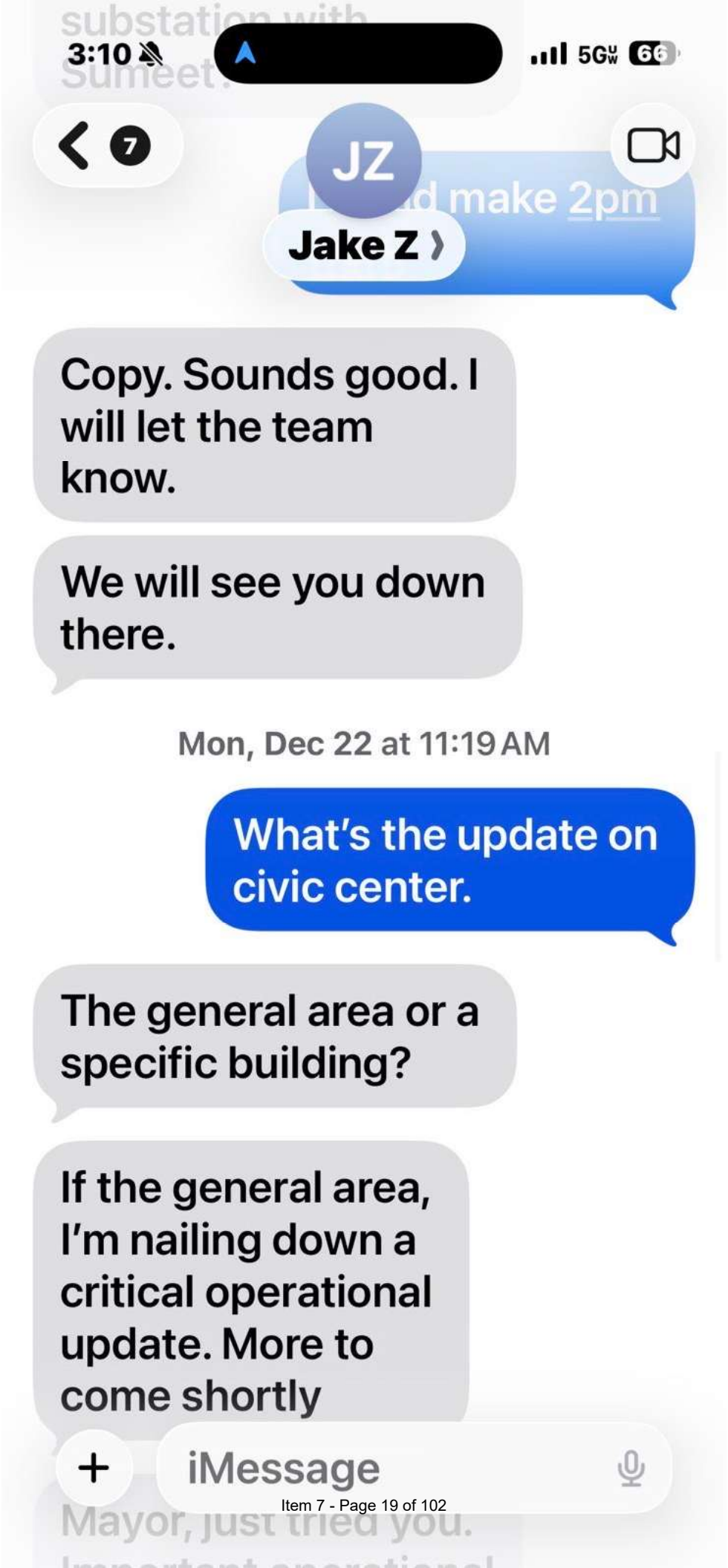

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Mon, Dec 22 at 8:38 AM
Jake, chesna from my team can schedule walk through at 2pm of substation
Jake Zigelman
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Chesna Foord
Hi Jake, we have this confirmed on the Mayor's schedule for 2pm today at 8th & Mission. Will you be onsite or is there another contact we
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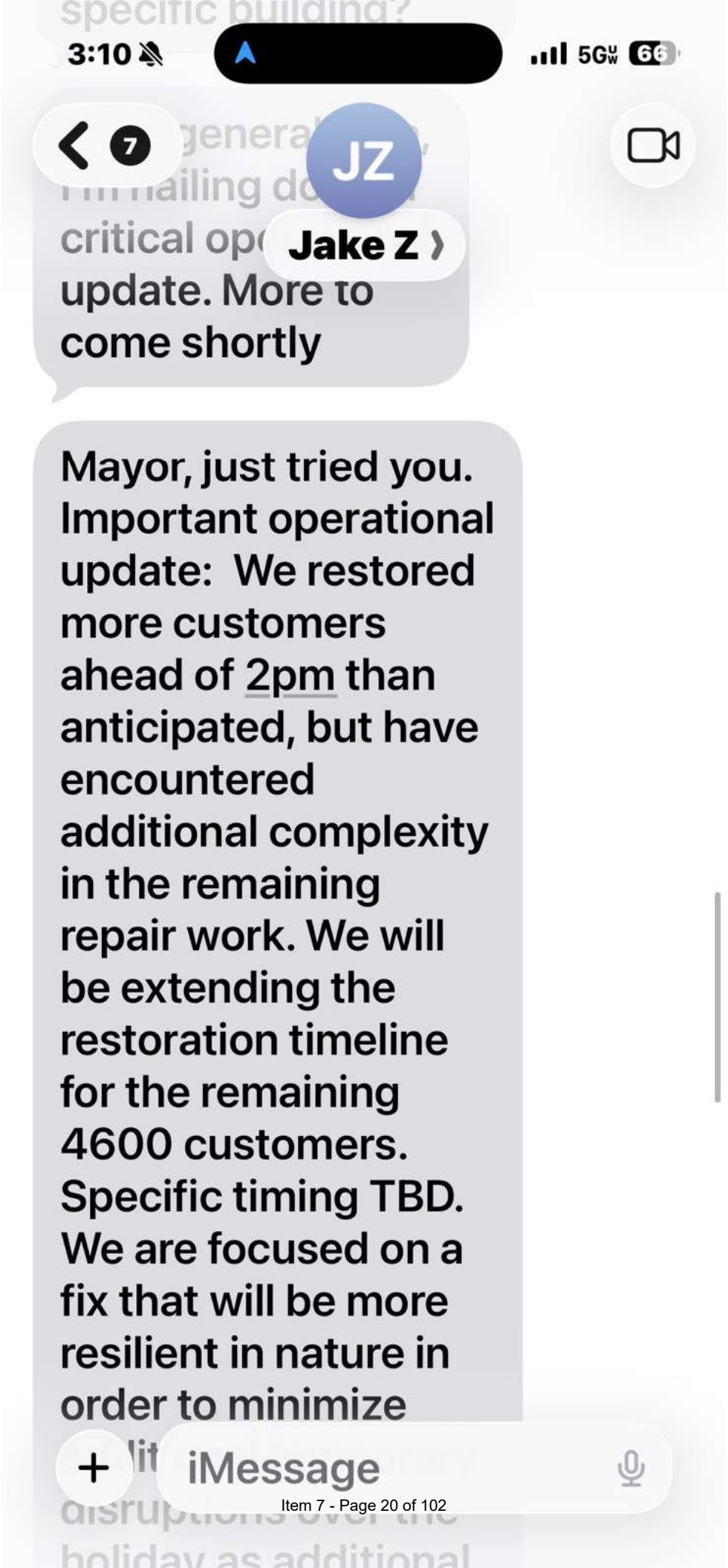

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Chesna Foord
Hi Jake, we have this confirmed on the Mayor's schedule for 2pm today at 8th & Mission. Will you be onsite or is there another contact we should note? The Mayor will be joined by a couple staff members.
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Jake Zigelman
I'll be onsite and will call you shortly to discuss.
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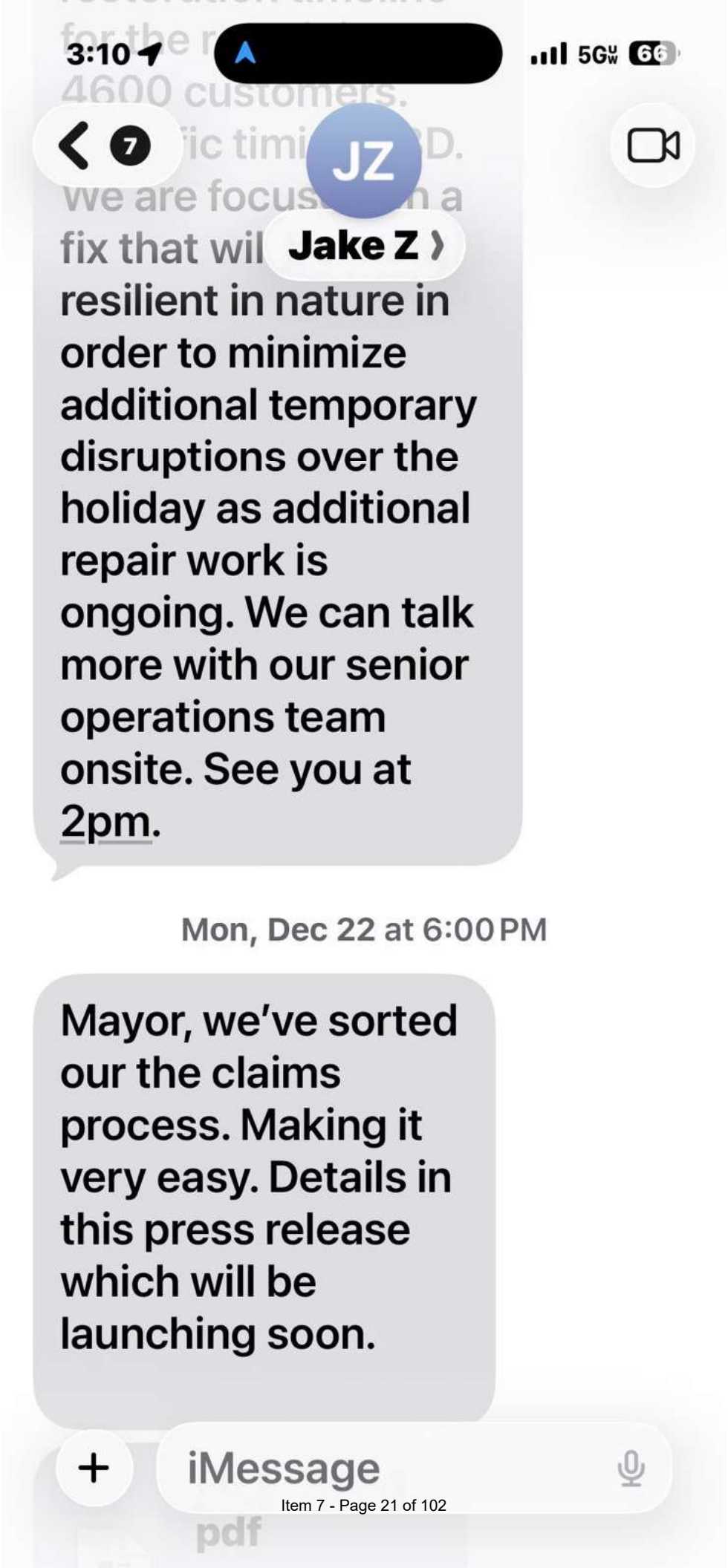

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Mon, Dec 22 at 7:07 AM
Morning operational update. We were able to get temporary generation online to restore about half of the customers in the Richmond who were still impacted last night. Down to 10-11k customers still impacted on long duration outages. Working to finalize temp gen that could restore another 5-6k within the next few hours.
Down to about 5k
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Your Website says 7k. Is that dated?
It's slightly behind but will catch up. Real time is 5500 out in SF, but 500 of that is more recent storm outages. Ballpark figures
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Mayor, we're holding media event at noon today with our utility CEO Sumeet Singh at the mission
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Mayor, we're
media eve
today with our utility CEO Sumeet Singh at the mission substation. Our press teams are connecting on your possible participation. Even if you don't want to participate, would you like to come down around 1:30ish for a tour of the substation with Sumeet?
I could make 2pm work
Copy. Sounds good. I will let the team know.
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Copy. Sounds good. I will let the team know.
We will see you down there.
Mon, Dec 22 at 11:19 AM
What's the update on civic center.
The general area or a specific building?
If the general area, I'm nailing down a critical operational update. More to come shortly
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Mayor, just tried you. Important operational update: We restored more customers ahead of 2pm than anticipated, but have encountered additional complexity in the remaining repair work. We will be extending the restoration timeline for the remaining 4600 customers. Specific timing TBD. We are focused on a fix that will be more resilient in nature in order to minimize
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resilient in nature in order to minimize additional temporary disruptions over the holiday as additional repair work is ongoing. We can talk more with our senior operations team onsite. See you at 2pm.
Mon, Dec 22 at 6:00 PM
Mayor, we've sorted our the claims process. Making it very easy. Details in this press release which will be launching soon.
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December 22, 2025

PG&E Announces Automatic Bill Credits for Customers Impacted by San Francisco Power Outage

Immediate financial relief — no action required — for customers affected by the December 20 outages

OAKLAND, Calif. — Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) today announced it will issue customer credits to residential and business customers affected by the power outage that occurred in San Francisco on December 20, 2025.

The intent is to provide meaningful, timely relief without requiring customers to take additional steps. In response to the outage, PG&E is making these credits available to help offset the inconvenience and disruption caused by the event. Residential customers will automatically receive a $200 bill credit, and business customers will receive an approximately $2,500 credit. Customers don't need to file a claim or take any action; credits will appear on bills as "Customer Satisfaction Adjustment." If customers choose to, they can also pursue a separate claims process for extended outages.

"We recognize the significant impact this outage had on our customers, and we are committed to providing immediate and meaningful support," said Vincent Davis, Senior Vice President and Chief Customer Officer. "We are making this as fast and easy as possible for our customers. The credits are one way we are working to restore trust and ensure our customers receive the assistance they deserve."

PG&E will also reach out directly to inform customers about the credits.

PG&E remains dedicated to the safety, reliability and well-being of the communities it serves. The company is conducting a thorough review of the outage and will continue to invest in infrastructure and response strategies to minimize future disruptions.

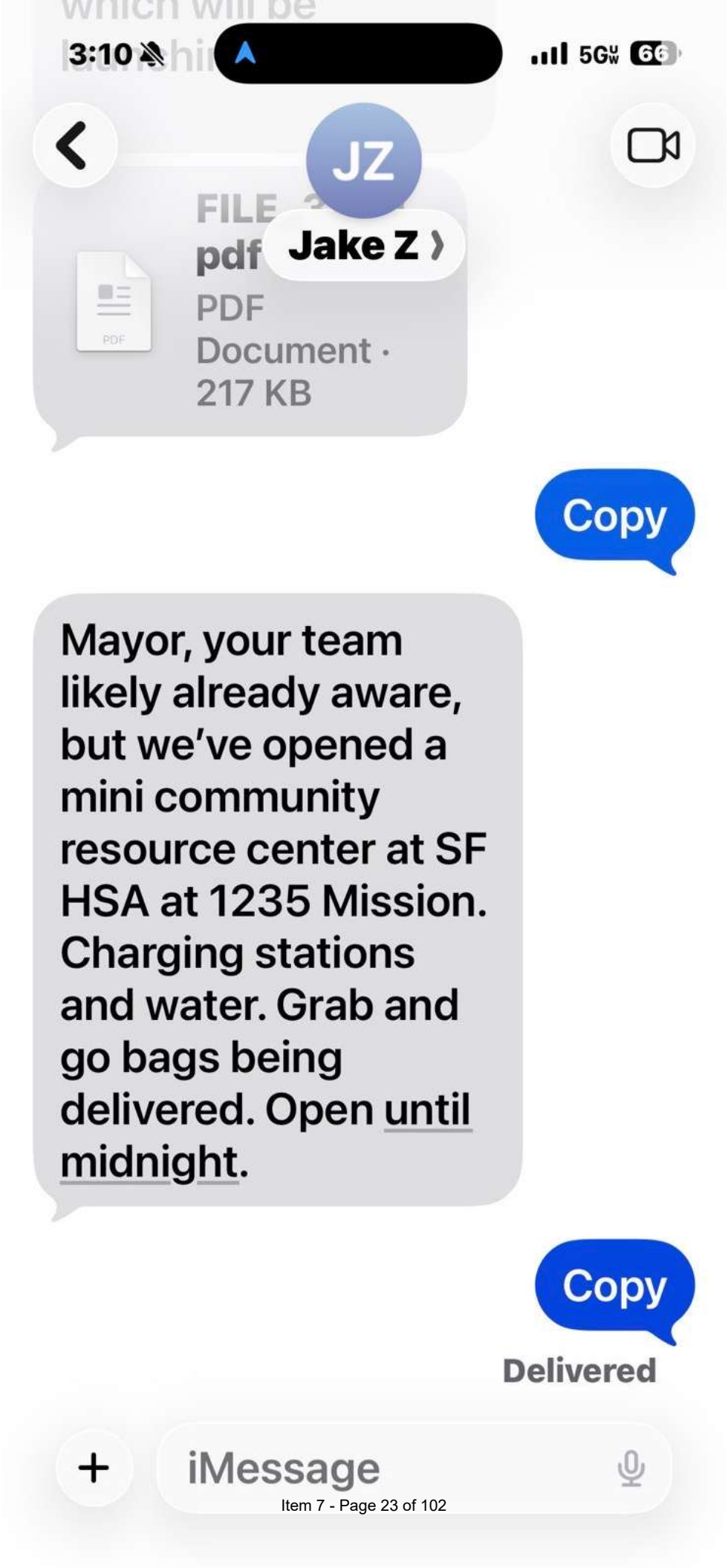
For the latest updates, customers are encouraged to visit PG&E's official website and follow the company's social media channels.

About PG&E
Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a subsidiary of PG&E Corporation (NYSE:PCG), is a combined natural gas and electric utility serving more than 16 million people across 70,000 square miles in Northern and Central California. For more information, visit pge.com and pge.com/news

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Mayor, your team likely already aware, but we've opened a mini community resource center at SF HSA at 1235 Mission. Charging stations and water. Grab and go bags being delivered. Open until midnight.
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Initial Response

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR
SAN FRANCISCO

DANIEL LURIE
MAYOR

May 14, 2026

To: Sunshine Ordinance Task Force via electronic mail

Re: File No. 26059

Dear Sunshine Ordinance Task Force Members:

The Office of the Mayor (MYR) is writing in response to file number 26059, concerning the complaint filed by Mr. Gabe Greschler with the Sunshine Ordinance Task Force (SOTF) on April 14, 2026.

The Task Force should dismiss this complaint.

The Office of the Mayor denies the allegations, in reference to File No. 26059, that MYR violating Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section(s) 67.21, by failing to respond to a public records request in a timely and/or complete manner.

Below is MYR's recitation of facts in this case, detailing MYR's communications with Mr. Greschler:

1. January 23, 2026: Mr. Greschler files a sunshine request with MYR seeking a variety of communications between MYR and PG&E. This follows the sunshine request of Susie Cagle, Mr. Greschler's Standard colleague, which was closed on January 20, 2026, that sought PG&E records.
2. January 27, 2026: MYR writes to Mr. Greschler that the request will be responded to within 10 days of receipt.
3. February 4, 2026: MYR invokes a 14-day extension to consult with another department.
4. February 18, 2026:
    a. MYR responds to the request with responsive documents and considers the request closed.
    b. Mr. Greschler asks if there are additional responsive documents to his request.
5. February 20, 2026: MYR writes that a diligent and reasonable search was conducted, and no outstanding documents are being withheld.
6. February 25, 2026: Davis Wright Tremaine LLP sends a letter to MYR on behalf of the Standard, claiming that documents are being improperly withheld and warns of potential litigation if additional documents that are alleged to exist are not produced.

7. March 6, 2026: Mr. Greschler files a new sunshine request with MYR seeking documents regarding PG&E, War Memorial Opera House, and the December blackouts.
8. March 9, 2026: MYR acknowledges the request and will respond within 10 days of receipt.
9. March 19, 2026: MYR responds to Mr. Greschler's March 6th request with all responsive documents. The request is considered closed.
10. May 8, 2026: MYR is notified that Mr. Greschler has filed a SOTF complaint regarding all three requests referenced above.

The Office of the Mayor responded to Mr. Greschler's request in a timely and complete manner.

This complaint involves three Sunshine requests, all of which were fully responded to and are now closed. Mrs. Cagle's January 8 request was closed on January 20. Mr. Greschler's January 23 request was closed on February 18, and his March 6 request was closed on March 19.

This complaint alleges that MYR improperly withheld text messages between Mayor Lurie and PG&E's Jake Zigelman. Mr. Greschler is using both the complaint and the Task Force to promote the false narrative that Mayor Lurie asked PG&E to prioritize restoring power to the War Memorial Opera House over residential neighborhoods. That claim is unsupported by the facts. The Standard has reviewed all responsive documents at issue and has not produced any evidence contradicting MYR's position.

Mr. Greschler also claims that The Standard has not received all responsive documents, but that claim is incorrect. MYR has provided The Standard with all documents in its possession and re-sent those materials in response to the third request, which was closed on March 19. As a result, any documents responsive to Mrs. Cagle's or Mr. Greschler's requests have been in The Standard's possession.

MYR has acted in good faith in responding to The Standard's three requests, including by continuing to work with Mr. Greschler and Mrs. Cagle after the requests had been closed. Even after receiving Davis Wright Tremaine LLP's letter threatening litigation, MYR continued engaging with The Standard to answer questions and fulfill its obligations under the Sunshine Ordinance.

For all the reasons aforementioned, the Task Force should dismiss Mr. Greschler's complaint because the Office of the Mayor has already satisfied the request in a timely and complete manner.

Thank you to the Task Force members for their time and consideration of this matter.

Sincerely,

/s/

Dexter Darmali
Legislative & Ethics Secretary
The Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie
Dexter.Darmali@sfgov.org

From: Bonde, Aly (MYR)
To: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)
Subject: Fw: PG&E request for meeting next week
Date: Tuesday, January 13, 2026 8:57:26 AM

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Subject: Re: PG&E request for meeting next week

Aaron Johnson, senior vice president of our customer organization will also be joining us tomorrow.

Thank you,
Sarah

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Subject: RE: PG&E request for meeting next week

Hi all, I wanted to respond to the technical piece of the below question. Before his recent promotion to CEO of the PG&E utility Sumeet served as Chief Operations officer here at PG&E. He has a technical background and has worked his way up through the ranks at PG&E. I've linked his Linked-in profile for more information on Sumeet's technical background. (12) Sumeet Singh, P.E. | LinkedIn

Thank you,
Sarah

From: Yoell, Sarah <SMY5@pge.com>
Sent: Wednesday, December 31, 2025 2:23 PM
To: MYR - Scheduling <scheduling@sfgov.org>
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Subject: RE: PG&E request for meeting next week

Hi Chesna, the PG&E attendees on Friday will be:

Sumeet, Singh, CEO PG&E Utility
Sarah Yoell, PG&E Government Relations, Bay Area

Thank you,
Sarah

From: MYR - Scheduling <scheduling@sfgov.org>
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Hi Sarah,

Can you please confirm who from PG&E staff will attend Friday's meeting to provide a technical briefing and answer questions from the Mayor? Adding Aly from our team here for visibility, who has been in touch with the Mayor regarding this meeting.

Thank you,
Chesna

Chesna Foord
Director of Scheduling
Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie
scheduling@sfgov.org

From: "Yoell, Sarah" <SMY5@pge.com>
Date: Monday, December 29, 2025 at 1:58 PM
To: MYR - Scheduling <scheduling@sfgov.org>, "Salfiti, Olivia (MYR)" <olivia.salfiti@sfgov.org>, "Gallardo, Andrea (MYR)" <Andrea.Gallardo.MYR@sfgov.org>, "Foord, Chesna (MYR)" <chesna.foord@sfgov.org>
Cc: "Mahe-Torres, Danielle" <DQMF@pge.com>
Subject: Re: PG&E request for meeting next week

Thank you Chesna!

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Thanks, Sarah. I'm happy to send the invite – please let me know if you have not received.

City Hall is located at 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place. The building is open to the public but visitors must go through magnetometer security. Upon entering via the Polk Street Steps, proceed to the Mayor's Office in Room 200, located on the second floor. My cell phone number is [redacted] Please feel free to reach out with any logistical questions or arrival updates.

We look forward to welcoming you both to City Hall!

Best,
Chesna

Chesna Foord
Director of Scheduling
Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

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From: "Yoell, Sarah" <SMY5@pge.com>
Date: Monday, December 29, 2025 at 1:10 PM
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Cc: "Mahe-Torres, Danielle" <DQMF@pge.com>, MYR - Scheduling <scheduling@sfgov.org>
Subject: Re: PG&E request for meeting next week

Chesna will you send an invite or shall I? Thank you all!

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Sent: Monday, December 29, 2025 1:05 PM
To: Gallardo, Andrea (MYR) <Andrea.Gallardo.MYR@sfgov.org>; Yoell, Sarah <SMY5@pge.com>; Foord, Chesna (MYR) <chesna.foord@sfgov.org>
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Confirming Staci will join as well.

Thanks everyone!

Best,
Olivia

Olivia Salfiti
Senior Confidential Assistant
Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie
olivia.salfiti@sfgov.org

From: Gallardo, Andrea (MYR) <Andrea.Gallardo.MYR@sfgov.org>
Sent: Monday, December 29, 2025 1:04 PM
To: Yoell, Sarah <SMY5@pge.com>; Foord, Chesna (MYR) <chesna.foord@sfgov.org>
Cc: Mahe-Torres, Danielle <DQMF@pge.com>; Salfiti, Olivia (MYR) <olivia.salfiti@sfgov.org>; MYR -

Scheduling <scheduling@sfgov.org>
Subject: Re: PG&E request for meeting next week

Thank you Chesna,

Alicia will join!

Best,

Andrea Gallardo Lopez
Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: Yoell, Sarah <SMY5@pge.com>
Sent: Monday, December 29, 2025 11:58 AM
To: Foord, Chesna (MYR) <chesna.foord@sfgov.org>
Cc: Mahe-Torres, Danielle <DQMF@pge.com>; Salfiti, Olivia (MYR) <olivia.salfiti@sfgov.org>; Gallardo, Andrea (MYR) <Andrea.Gallardo.MYR@sfgov.org>; MYR - Scheduling <scheduling@sfgov.org>
Subject: Re: PG&E request for meeting next week

Thank you Chesna, 1pm on Friday works for us. PG&E attendees will be Sumeet Singh and myself.

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Sent: Monday, December 29, 2025 11:33 AM
To: Yoell, Sarah <SMY5@pge.com>
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Hi Sarah,

Staci shared your below note. We'd love to find time for an in-person meeting with Mayor Lurie on Friday, January 2. Would 9:00am or 1:00pm at City Hall be possible? I've copied Olivia for Staci's

schedule and Andrea for Alicia's – they will both try to join if they are able.

Best,
Chesna

Chesna Foord
Director of Scheduling
Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie
chesna.foord@sfgov.org | [redacted]

From: Yoell, Sarah <SMY5@pge.com>
Sent: Sunday, December 28, 2025 3:58 PM
To: Slaughter, Staci (MYR) <staci.slaughter@sfgov.org>
Cc: Mahe-Torres, Danielle <DQMF@pge.com>
Subject: PG&E request for meeting next week

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Hi Staci,

Per Aaron's text, I am reaching out to request a time for a meeting with Mayor Lurie and Sumeet Singh, CEO of PG&E's utility company. The purpose of this meeting is to disuss the recovery plan from the substation fire and partnership as we create the long-term plan for grid resiliency in San Francisco. We would like to meet next week, in person if possible.

Thank you for your partnership.

Sarah Yoell
Pacific Gas & Electric Company
Government Relations Manager, Bay Area Region
Mobile: [redacted]
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Coming momentarily

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Jake Z ›

Opera house update. Our team is onsite and has been in touch with the opera folks. We've been told they have enough natural light and emergency backup power to move ahead with 2pm performance. We have a vendor mobilized to support temporary generation for the 7pm show. Not 100% on timing but working feverishly to make that happen

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RE: SF power outage

From Ruiz, Marjory <MFRO@pge.com>
Date Sat 12/20/2025 10:44 PM
To Cabrera, Erica <EACU@pge.com>; Yoell, Sarah <SMY5@pge.com>; Lutvak, Charles (MYR) <charles.lutvak@sfgov.org>; Bhardwaj, Amar (MYR) <Amar.Bhardwaj.MYR@sfgov.org>; Bockrath, Michael <M2Bo@pge.com>; Zigelman, Jake <JAZ5@pge.com>; Poltrack, Kate (MYR) <kate.poltrack@sfgov.org>
Cc John-Baptiste, Alicia (MYR) <a.john-baptiste@sfgov.org>; Jones, Ej (MYR) <ernest.e.jones@sfgov.org>; Betz, Steven (MYR) <Steven.Betz.MYR@sfgov.org>

Hello,

Closing the loop on this thread as the mayor continues to receive the latest updates from senior leadership.

We expect to restore another 10k customers within the next couple hours, primarily in the presidio and gg park areas. The remaining ~28k customers will remain out until additional damage assessments are completed and any necessary repairs. Will provide updated timing as we know more.

Thank you,

Marjory

From: Cabrera, Erica <EACU@pge.com>
Sent: Saturday, December 20, 2025 5:15 PM
To: Yoell, Sarah <SMY5@pge.com>; Lutvak, Charles (MYR) <charles.lutvak@sfgov.org>; Bhardwaj, Amar (MYR) <Amar.Bhardwaj.MYR@sfgov.org>; Bockrath, Michael <M2Bo@pge.com>; Ruiz, Marjory <MFRO@pge.com>; Zigelman, Jake <JAZ5@pge.com>; Poltrack, Kate (MYR) <kate.poltrack@sfgov.org>
Cc: John-Baptiste, Alicia (MYR) <a.john-baptiste@sfgov.org>; Jones, Ej (MYR) <ernest.e.jones@sfgov.org>; Betz, Steven (MYR) <Steven.Betz.MYR@sfgov.org>
Subject: RE: SF power outage

Good Evening,

Below a copy of the message that customers will receive and they will receive notification when estimated time of restoration is available. Our next call with operations is at 1800 and I will provide an update after.

“Hello, this is Pacific Gas & Electric Company calling with an important update about a large electric outage in San Francisco affecting about 130,000 customers. We are working closely with first responders and city officials to make the situation safe. We do not currently have an estimated time of restoration. We will continue to provide updates on the estimated time of restoration as crews assess the damage and make repairs. If you see a downed power line, assume it is energized and extremely dangerous. Do not touch or try to move the line and keep children and animals away. Report downed power lines immediately by calling 911. You can report and view outage information at pge.com/outages or by calling PG&E at 1-800-743-5002.”

Please do not hesitate to reach out if you have any questions.

Erica
Erica Cabrera | Pacific Gas and Electric Company | Local Government Affairs Manager
[redacted] (cell) | Erica.Cabrera@pge.com

From: Yoell, Sarah <SMY5@pge.com>
Sent: Saturday, December 20, 2025 3:40 PM
To: Lutvak, Charles (MYR) <charles.lutvak@sfgov.org>; Bhardwaj, Amar (MYR) <Amar.Bhardwaj.MYR@sfgov.org>; Bockrath, Michael <M2Bo@pge.com>; Ruiz, Marjory <MFRO@pge.com>; Zigelman, Jake <JAZ5@pge.com>; Poltrack, Kate (MYR) <kate.poltrack@sfgov.org>
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Subject: RE: SF power outage

We do not anticipate having to drop any additional customers at this time beyond the 136,000 currently affected

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From: Lutvak, Charles (MYR) <charles.lutvak@sfgov.org>
Sent: Saturday, December 20, 2025 3:34 PM
To: Yoell, Sarah <SMY5@pge.com>; Bhardwaj, Amar (MYR) <Amar.Bhardwaj.MYR@sfgov.org>; Bockrath, Michael <M2Bo@pge.com>; Ruiz, Marjory <MFRO@pge.com>; Zigelman, Jake <JAZ5@pge.com>; Poltrack, Kate (MYR) <kate.poltrack@sfgov.org>
Cc: John-Baptiste, Alicia (MYR) <a.john-baptiste@sfgov.org>; Jones, Ej (MYR) <ernest.e.jones@sfgov.org>; Betz, Steven (MYR) <Steven.Betz.MYR@sfgov.org>; Cabrera, Erica <EACU@pge.com>
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Adding Kate

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Subject: RE: SF power outage

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Updated customer count is 136,000 customers

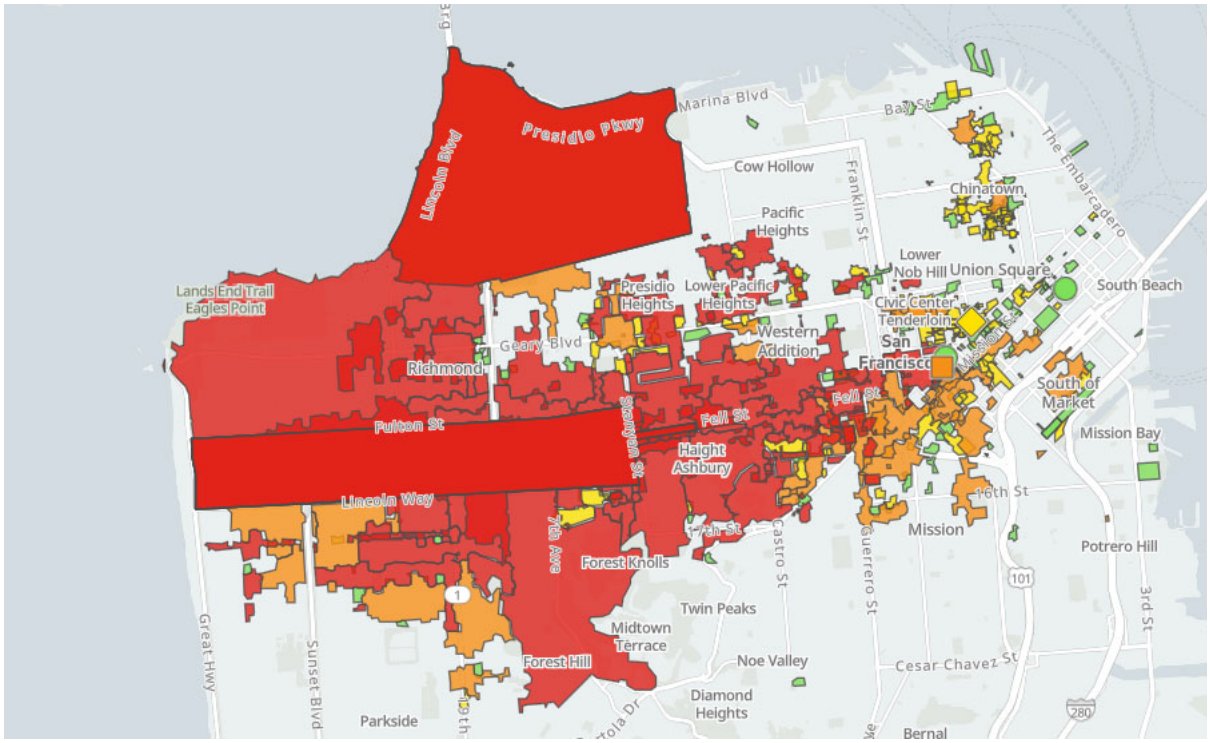
From: Yoell, Sarah
Sent: Saturday, December 20, 2025 3:18 PM
To: 'Bhardwaj, Amar (MYR)' <Amar.Bhardwaj.MYR@sfgov.org>; Bockrath, Michael <M2Bo@pge.com>; Ruiz, Marjory <MFRO@pge.com>; Zigelman, Jake <JAZ5@pge.com>
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Subject: RE: SF power outage

Hi Amar,

Following up on our call, there is currently an outage at the Mission Substation impacting approximately 127,000 customers in San Francisco. Unfortunately, an additional 50,000 customers are expected to be affected.
There is a fire at the substation, and San Francisco Fire Department is on scene. At this time, we do not have an estimated restoration time. My colleague, Erica Cabrera, will provide updates as new information becomes available. Map of outage area is below.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you,
Sarah



From: Bhardwaj, Amar (MYR) <Amar.Bhardwaj.MYR@sfgov.org>
Sent: Saturday, December 20, 2025 3:01 PM
To: Bockrath, Michael <m2bo@pge.com>; Ruiz, Marjory <mfro@pge.com>; Yoell, Sarah <smy5@pge.com>; Zigelman, Jake <jaz5@pge.com>

Cc: John-Baptiste, Alicia (MYR) <a.john-baptiste@sfgov.org>; Jones, Ej (MYR) <ernest.e.jones@sfgov.org>; Lutvak, Charles (MYR) <charles.lutvak@sfgov.org>; Betz, Steven (MYR) <Steven.Betz.MYR@sfgov.org>
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Hi PG&E team,

Seeing on the PG&E website that there are extensive outages currently - looks like 30% of the city affected. Any update you all can provide on cause and timeline?

Thanks,
Amar

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Amar Bhardwaj
Assistant Chief of Infrastructure, Climate & Mobility
Office of San Francisco Mayor Daniel Lurie
[redacted]

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Mon, Dec 22 at 8:38 AM

Jake, chesna from my team can schedule walk through at 2pm of substation

Jake Zigelman

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Chesna Foord

Hi Jake, we have this confirmed on the Mayor's schedule for 2pm today at 8th & Mission. Will you be onsite or is there another contact we s

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Chesna Foord

Hi Jake, we have this confirmed on the Mayor's schedule for 2pm today at 8th & Mission. Will you be onsite or is there another contact we should note? The Mayor will be joined by a couple staff members.

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Jake Zigelman

I'll be onsite and will call you shortly to discuss.

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Jake Z ›

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Mon, Dec 22 at 7:07 AM

Morning operational update. We were able to get temporary generation online to restore about half of the customers in the Richmond who were still impacted last night. Down to 10-11k customers still impacted on long duration outages. Working to finalize temp gen that could restore another 5-6k within the next few hours.

Down to about 5k

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Jake Z

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Your Website says 7k. Is that dated?

It's slightly behind but will catch up. Real time is 5500 out in SF, but 500 of that is more recent storm outages. Ballpark figures

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Mayor, we're holding media event at noon today with our utility CEO Sumeet Singh at the mission

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Mayor, we're ing media eve today with our utility CEO Sumeet Singh at the mission substation. Our press teams are connecting on your possible participation. Even if you don't want to participate, would you like to come down around 1:30ish for a tour of the substation with Sumeet?

I could make 2pm work

Copy. Sounds good. I will let the team know.

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make 2pm

Jake Z

Copy. Sounds good. I will let the team know.

We will see you down there.

Mon, Dec 22 at 11:19 AM

What's the update on civic center.

The general area or a specific building?

If the general area, I'm nailing down a critical operational update. More to come shortly

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specific building?

update. More to come shortly

Mayor, just tried you. Important operational update: We restored more customers ahead of 2pm than anticipated, but have encountered additional complexity in the remaining repair work. We will be extending the restoration timeline for the remaining 4600 customers. Specific timing TBD. We are focused on a fix that will be more resilient in nature in order to minimize

resilient in nature in order to minimize additional temporary disruptions over the holiday as additional repair work is ongoing. We can talk more with our senior operations team onsite. See you at 2pm.

Mon, Dec 22 at 6:00 PM

Mayor, we've sorted our the claims process. Making it very easy. Details in this press release which will be launching soon.

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December 22, 2025

PG&E Announces Automatic Bill Credits for Customers Impacted by San Francisco Power Outage

Immediate financial relief — no action required — for customers affected by the December 20 outages

OAKLAND, Calif. — Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) today announced it will issue customer credits to residential and business customers affected by the power outage that occurred in San Francisco on December 20, 2025.

The intent is to provide meaningful, timely relief without requiring customers to take additional steps. In response to the outage, PG&E is making these credits available to help offset the inconvenience and disruption caused by the event. Residential customers will automatically receive a $200 bill credit, and business customers will receive an approximately $2,500 credit. Customers don't need to file a claim or take any action; credits will appear on bills as "Customer Satisfaction Adjustment." If customers choose to, they can also pursue a separate claims process for extended outages.

"We recognize the significant impact this outage had on our customers, and we are committed to providing immediate and meaningful support," said Vincent Davis, Senior Vice President and Chief Customer Officer. "We are making this as fast and easy as possible for our customers. The credits are one way we are working to restore trust and ensure our customers receive the assistance they deserve."

PG&E will also reach out directly to inform customers about the credits.

PG&E remains dedicated to the safety, reliability and well-being of the communities it serves. The company is conducting a thorough review of the outage and will continue to invest in infrastructure and response strategies to minimize future disruptions.

For the latest updates, customers are encouraged to visit PG&E's official website and follow the company's social media channels.

About PG&E
Pacific Gas and Electric Company, a subsidiary of PG&E Corporation (NYSE:PCG), is a combined natural gas and electric utility serving more than 16 million people across 70,000 square miles in Northern and Central California. For more information, visit pge.com and pge.com/news

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Mayor, your team likely already aware, but we've opened a mini community resource center at SF HSA at 1235 Mission. Charging stations and water. Grab and go bags being delivered. Open until midnight.

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February 25, 2026

VIA EMAIL

Dexter Darmali
Legislative & Ethics Secretary
Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie
mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org

Re: The San Francisco Standard's Requests For Records

Dear Mr. Darmali:

This law firm represents The San Francisco Standard and its reporters Susie Cagle and Gabriel Greschler (together, "The Standard") in connection with their January 8, 2026 and January 23, 2026 requests to the Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie ("Mayor' Office") for release of public records pursuant to the California Public Records Act, Cal. Gov't Code § 7920.000 *et seq*. ("CPRA") and the San Francisco Sunshine Ordinance, S.F. Admin. Code § 67.21.

This letter is to draw your attention to deficiencies in the Mayor's Office's response to The Standard's public records requests which, without prompt resolution, will draw the Mayor's Office into litigation. Although it confirmed receipt of The Standard's Requests and produced some responsive records, it has yet to produce other responsive records, and on February 20, 2026, claimed its production was final.

By way of background, the Requests seek records related to the enormous blackouts that plagued San Francisco beginning on December 20, 2025. At a Board of Supervisors hearing, PG&E CEO Sumeet Singh was asked why restoring power to the San Francisco Opera House was prioritized, given that no one lived there, and other areas of the City where people who live remained without power. In response, Mr. Singh testified that Mayor Daniel Lurie had asked the utility to do so. Notably, Mayor Lurie's daughter was set to perform in a production of The Nutcracker at the opera house that weekend. The Mayor's Office has denied that Mayor Lurie asked or directed PG&E to restore power to the opera house.

Seeking to illuminate the City of San Francisco's response to the power outages, on January 8, 2026, Ms. Cagle requested the following on behalf of The Standard:[1]

[1] For reference, a copy of this request is attached hereto as **Exhibit A.**

- Any and all written materials and communications, including but not limited to e-mails, text messages, and any and all other correspondence and written materials between the mayor and office staff and PG&E pertaining to outages dated between December 20, 2025 and the date this request is filled.

The Mayor's Office confirmed receipt of Ms. Cagle's request on January 9, 2026 and on January 20, 2026 produced some (but not all, as explained below) responsive records.

Mr. Greschler submitted his request on behalf of The Standard on January 23, 2026 seeking the following[2]:

- All text messages between Mayor Daniel Lurie and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.
- All text messages between Alicia John-Baptiste and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.
- All emails between Mayor Daniel Lurie and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.
- All emails between Alicia John-Baptiste and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.
- All text messages between Mayor Daniel Lurie and PG&E's Patti Poppe between Dec. 19, 2025 and Jan. 23, 2025.

On February 18, 2026, the Mayor's Office produced some records responsive to the first portion of the request, for texts between Mayor Lurie and Jake Zigelman. At the same time, it claimed that "[n]o additional records were found to correspond with the other portions of your request" and closed the request. Mr. Greschler followed up the same day and pointed out that his request sought records from December 19, 2025 to December 25, 2025, but that the agency had only produced records from December 22, 2025 onwards. In response, the Mayor's Office claimed it had "conducted a diligent and reasonable search and has produced all responsive documents" and that it was not withholding any responsive records.

The Mayor's Office claim that it possesses no further responsive records simply is not credible, for multiple reasons.

First, the Mayor's Office, in response to the January 8, 2026 request, produced a text message between Mayor Lurie and PG&E Vice President Jake Zigelman likely dated December 21, 2026[3] that it failed to produce in response to the January 23, 2026 request, even though that message also was responsive to that request. *Second*, the Mayor's Office produced records in

[2] For reference, a copy of this request and the Mayor's Office response is attached hereto as **Exhibit B.**

[3] A copy of this record is attached here as **Exhibit C**.

response to the January 23, 2026 request that it did not produce in response to the earlier request that also were responsive to that request. *Third*, the screenshot of the message produced in Exhibit D shows there are other messages immediately before and after the produced record which are grayed out and which have not been produced. *Fourth*, the produced message lacks a date stamp, which typically means the relevant parties were texting immediately before and.or after the produced message. *Fifth*, the Mayor's Office has not produced any communications (text messages or otherwise) showing Mayor Lurie communicating with PG&E about the Opera House before the text produced in Exhibit D, which plainly references previous correspondence, by referring to an "opera house **update**" (emphasis added). It simply is not credible that there are no additional communications between Mayor Lurie and Mr. Zigelman. *Finally*, it also is not credible that Mayor Lurie would not have been communicating with PG&E before December 22, 2026, which is the date of the earliest records the agency produced in response to the second request, and which was two days after the blackouts began.

Under these circumstances, The Standard would be entitled to seek a declaratory judgment finding the Mayor's Office violated the CPRA – and recovery of its resulting attorneys' fees and costs. *See* Gov't Code § 6259(d) (successful CPRA petitioner entitled to mandatory award of attorneys' fees and costs); *Community Youth Athletic Center v. City of National City*, 220 Cal. App. 4th 1385, 1418, 1447 (2013) (requester prevailed in CPRA action and was entitled to fee-shifting for obtaining declaratory judgment that there were search-related CPRA violations by public agency). If the Mayor's Office does not promptly produce the requested records as required by law, The Standard will seek a court order compelling disclosure. We hope that such action will not be necessary.

The Standard looks forward to receiving your response no later than **5:00 p.m. on February 27, 2026**. If you have any questions, you may contact me at (415) 276-6552, or via email at thomasburke@dwt.com.

Sincerely,

Davis Wright Tremaine LLP

Thomas R. Burke

cc: Susie Cagle, The San Francisco Standard
Gabe Greschler, The San Francisco Standard

EXHIBIT A

The San Francisco Standard

Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>

Fwd: Public records request re: PG&E outage R. 255

Susie Cagle <scagle@sfstandard.com> Wed, Jan 21, 2026 at 9:54 AM
To: Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>, Joe Fitzgerald <joefitz@sfstandard.com>, Han Li <han@sfstandard.com>, Jon Steinberg <jsteinberg@sfstandard.com>

---------- Forwarded message ---------
From: **MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)** <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Date: Tue, Jan 20, 2026 at 6:01 PM
Subject: RE: Public records request re: PG&E outage R. 255
To: Susie Cagle <scagle@sfstandard.com>
Cc: Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>

Dear Susie,

The Office of the Mayor is responding to your request dated 1/8/26. Thank you for your patience as yesterday was a city holiday. The responsive documents to your request area attached. Please note that personal information has been redacted per Cal. Govt. Code §§ 6250, Cal. Const., Art. I, §§ 1, 3(b); Admin. Code §67.1(g); Admin. Code Chapter 12M.

Please let us know if you have any questions. We now consider your request closed.

Thank You,

Office of the Mayor of San Francisco

Sunshine Requests

mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Sent: Friday, January 9, 2026 4:29 PM
To: Susie Cagle <scagle@sfstandard.com>
Cc: Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>
Subject: RE: Public records request re: PG&E outage R. 255

Dear Susie,

Thank you for contacting the Office of the Mayor. We have received your request and will respond in 10 days (1/19/26). Please let us know if you have any questions.

Thank You,

Office of the Mayor of San Francisco

Sunshine Requests

mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org

From: Susie Cagle <scagle@sfstandard.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 8, 2026 10:15 AM
To: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Subject: Public records request re: PG&E outage

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To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the state open records law Cal. Gov't Code Secs. 6250 to 6277, I request the following records:

· Any and all written materials and communications, including but not limited to e-mails, text messages, and any and all other correspondence and written materials between the mayor and office staff and PG&E pertaining to outages dated between December 20, 2025 and the date this request is filled.

If your agency does not maintain these public records, please let me know who does and include the proper custodian's name and address.

As a journalist acting in the public interest, I request a fee waiver (under 5 U.S.C. 552(a)(4)(A)(iii)). In the event that there are fees, I would be grateful if you would inform me of the total charges in advance of fulfilling my request. In the interest of saving taxpayer funds, I would prefer all data and documents be communicated electronically, by e-mail attachment if available or CD-ROM if not.

If specific portions of any documents are exempt from disclosure, please provide the non-exempt portions and please provide a statutory reason as to why those records are exempt. If you choose to deny this request, please provide a written explanation for the denial including a reference to the specific statutory exemption(s) upon which you rely. Also, please provide all segregable portions of otherwise exempt material.

If you require clarification on this request or its scope, please don’t hesitate to contact me by email or phone. Thanks so much for your help.

Sincerely,
Susie Cagle
Enterprise editor, The SF Standard

510-516-4998

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EXHIBIT B

The San Francisco Standard

Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>

RE: Public records request Jan. 23, 2026 R. 281

MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org> Wed, Feb 18, 2026 at 1:29 PM
To: Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Cc: Joe Fitzgerald <joefitz@sfstandard.com>, "Press Office, Mayor (MYR)" <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>

Dear Gabe,

The Office of the Mayor is responding to your request. Thank you for your patience. The responsive documents are attached for the 1st portion of your request (Mayor Lurie texts with Jake Zigelman). No additional records were found to correspond with the other portions of your request. Please let us know if you have any questions. We now consider your request closed.

Thank you,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*

Legislative & Ethics Secretary

Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)
Sent: Wednesday, February 4, 2026 6:23 PM
To: 'Gabe Greschler' <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Cc: 'Joe Fitzgerald' <joefitz@sfstandard.com>; Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>
Subject: RE: Public records request Jan. 23, 2026 R. 281

Dear Gabe,

Thank you for your request again. Pursuant to San Francisco Administrative Code Section 67.25(b) and California Government Code Section 6253(c), we are invoking an extension of up to 14 days (until 2/16/26) because of the need to consult with another department. We will endeavor to complete our response before that date.

Thank you,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*

Legislative & Ethics Secretary

Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)
Sent: Tuesday, January 27, 2026 4:13 PM
To: 'Gabe Greschler' <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Cc: Joe Fitzgerald <joefitz@sfstandard.com>; Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>
Subject: RE: Public records request Jan. 23, 2026 R. 281

Dear Gabe,

Thank you for contacting the Office of the Mayor. We have received your request and will respond within 10 days of receipt.

Best,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*

Legislative & Ethics Secretary

Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Sent: Friday, January 23, 2026 1:08 PM
To: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Cc: Joe Fitzgerald <joefitz@sfstandard.com>
Subject: Public records request Jan. 23, 2026

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Hi there, I am submitting the following public records request:

-All text messages between Mayor Daniel Lurie and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.

-All text messages between Alicia John-Baptiste and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.

--All emails between Mayor Daniel Lurie and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.

-All emails between Alicia John-Baptiste and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.

-All text messages between Mayor Daniel Lurie and PG&E's Patti Poppe between Dec, 19, 2025 and Jan. 23, 2025.

Thank you,

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Gabriel Lorenzo Greschler

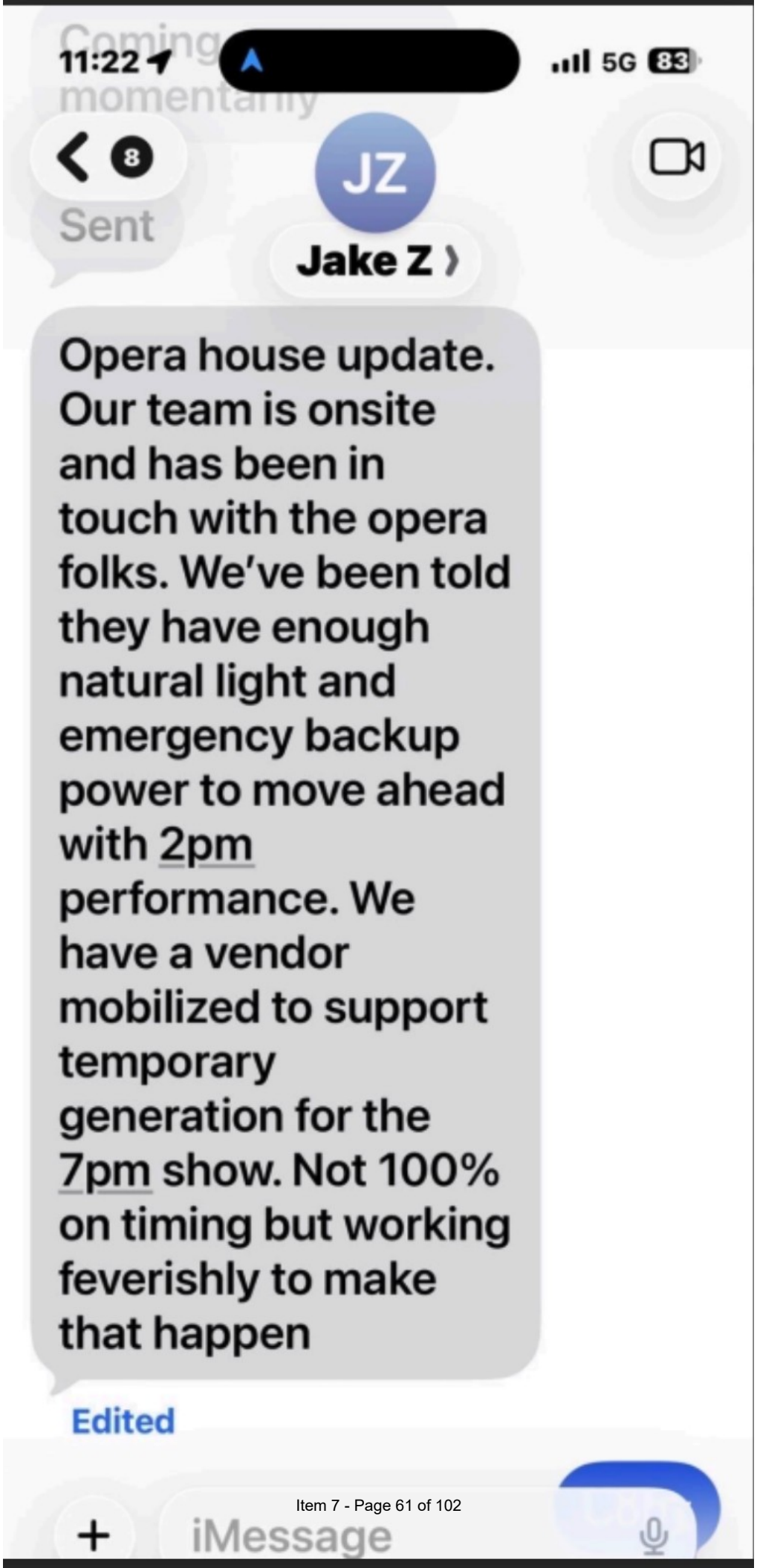
Local Government Reporter, The San Francisco Standard

ggreschler@sfstandard.com

Direct cell: 339-364-4030

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EXHIBIT C


11:22
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JZ
Jake Z
Coming momentarily
Sent
Opera house update. Our team is onsite and has been in touch with the opera folks. We've been told they have enough natural light and emergency backup power to move ahead with 2pm performance. We have a vendor mobilized to support temporary generation for the 7pm show. Not 100% on timing but working feverishly to make that happen
Edited
iMessage

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)
To: "Gabe Greschler"
Cc: "Burns, Sarah"; PRADHAN, MANU (CAT); Press Office, Mayor (MYR)
Subject: RE: PRA request March 6 2026 R. 341
Date: Thursday, March 19, 2026 6:16:00 PM
Attachments: Jan. 8 R. 255.pdf
Jan. 23 R. 281.pdf

Dear Gabe,

The Office of the Mayor is responding to your request dated 3/9/26. Your request asks for a variety of documents from December 2025. The responsive documents are attached. Please note that personal information has been redacted per Cal. Govt. Code §§ 6250, Cal. Const., Art. I, §§ 1, 3(b); Admin. Code §67.1(g); Admin. Code Chapter 12M.
No documents are being withheld. Please let me know if you have any questions. We now consider your request closed.

Thank you,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*
Legislative & Ethics Secretary
Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)
Sent: Monday, March 9, 2026 5:15 PM
To: 'Gabe Greschler' <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Cc: Burns, Sarah <SarahBurns@dwt.com>; PRADHAN, MANU (CAT) <Manu.Pradhan@sfcityatty.org>
Subject: RE: PRA request March 6 2026 R. 341

Dear Gabe,

Thank you for contacting the Office of the Mayor. We have received your request and will respond within 10 days but will work diligently to respond sooner. Please note that we are only able to provide records in the possession or control of the Office of the Mayor.

Thank you,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*
Legislative & Ethics Secretary
Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>

Sent: Friday, March 6, 2026 5:28 PM
To: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Cc: Burns, Sarah <SarahBurns@dwt.com>
Subject: PRA request March 6 2026

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Hi Dexter, this is Gabriel from The Standard. hope you are well.

I am sending in a clarifying request for some public records we have been pursuing in recent months. I believe all of this was pretty clearly spelled out in our original request, but understand that the Mayor's Office has asked for additional information.

Here is what we are looking for:

1--All text messages between Mayor Daniel Lurie and PG&E's Jake Zigelman between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.

2- A group chat — as described in a Feb. 14, 2026 SF Chronicle article — initiated by policy chief Ned Segal on the afternoon of Saturday, Dec. 20, 2025, concerning the citywide blackout and the War Memorial Opera House, which included ballet director Branislav Henselmann and to which DEM executive director Mary Ellen Carroll later added War Memorial Managing Director Kate Sofis on the morning of Sunday, Dec. 21, 2025. Please provide the contents of this group message thread from its inception through Dec. 26, 2025.

3-All emails that were sent by anyone in the mayor's office about the December blackouts between Dec. 19, 2025 and Dec. 25, 2025.

Considering that we have been waiting for these documents for some time, we would appreciate production by Monday, especially of the text messages.

Thanks,

Gabriel Lorenzo Greschler
Local Government Reporter, The San Francisco Standard
ggreschler@sfstandard.com
Direct cell: 339-364-4030

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)
To: Gabe Greschler
Cc: Joe Fitzgerald; Press Office, Mayor (MYR)
Subject: RE: Public records request Jan. 23, 2026 R. 281
Date: Friday, February 20, 2026 2:49:00 PM

Dear Gabe,

Thank you for your message. The Office of the Mayor has conducted a diligent and reasonable search and has produced all responsive documents. No documents are being withheld. Please let us know if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*
Legislative & Ethics Secretary
Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Sent: Wednesday, February 18, 2026 7:08 PM
To: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Cc: Joe Fitzgerald <joefitz@sfstandard.com>; Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>
Subject: Re: Public records request Jan. 23, 2026 R. 281

Hi Dexter, thank you for the reply.

I have a couple of questions about this production:

- The records you provided show text messages between Mayor Lurie and Jake Zigelman from Dec. 22, 2025 onwards. ***But the records I asked for date back to Dec. 19, 2025,*** meaning that multiple days are missing from this production. Why is it that these records were not produced?
- Do you plan on producing the records that date back to Dec. 19, 2025?
- Are you withholding any records subject to exemptions, and if so, can you identify those exemptions?

I would appreciate a response within the next day or two considering you already made a 14 day extension to this request.

Thanks,

On Wed, Feb 18, 2026 at 1:30 PM MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org> wrote:

Dear Gabe,

The Office of the Mayor is responding to your request. Thank you for your patience. The responsive documents are attached for the 1st portion of your request (Mayor Lurie texts with Jake Zigelman). No additional records were found to correspond with the other portions of your request. Please let us know if you have any questions. We now consider your request closed.

Thank you,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*
Legislative & Ethics Secretary
Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)
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To: 'Gabe Greschler' <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Cc: 'Joe Fitzgerald' <joefitz@sfstandard.com>; Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>
Subject: RE: Public records request Jan. 23, 2026 R. 281

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Thank you,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*
Legislative & Ethics Secretary
Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)
Sent: Tuesday, January 27, 2026 4:13 PM
To: 'Gabe Greschler' <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Cc: Joe Fitzgerald <joefitz@sfstandard.com>; Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>
Subject: RE: Public records request Jan. 23, 2026 R. 281

Dear Gabe,

Thank you for contacting the Office of the Mayor. We have received your request and will respond within 10 days of receipt.

Best,

Dexter Darmali *(he/him)*
Legislative & Ethics Secretary
Office of Mayor Daniel Lurie

From: Gabe Greschler <ggreschler@sfstandard.com>
Sent: Friday, January 23, 2026 1:08 PM
To: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
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Thank you,

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Gabriel Lorenzo Greschler
Local Government Reporter, The San Francisco Standard
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Direct cell: 339-364-4030

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)
To: Susie Cagle
Cc: Press Office, Mayor (MYR)
Subject: RE: Public records request re: PG&E outage R. 255
Date: Wednesday, January 21, 2026 5:00:56 PM

Dear Susie,

The text message with Jake Z (PG&E representative) is from Mayor Lurie. We have responded fully to your request with all documents that were found to be responsive. Please let us know if you have any more questions.

Thank You,

Office of the Mayor of San Francisco
Sunshine Requests
mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org

From: Susie Cagle <scagle@sfstandard.com>
Sent: Wednesday, January 21, 2026 10:13 AM
To: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Cc: Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>
Subject: Re: Public records request re: PG&E outage R. 255

Thank you for your response.

Could you please provide more complete identifying information for the text message with "Jake Z"? Who is the sender and the recipient of this text?

I also want to clarify that my request was for communications through the date the request was filled, which would be January 20, 2026. The most recent document in the binder is dated January 1, 2026. Would you confirm that the mayor's office has had no written communication with PG&E since January 1? Or would you consider reopening and researching for additional documents?

Thanks so much for your help.

Best,
Susie Cagle

On Tue, Jan 20, 2026 at 6:01 PM MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR)

<mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org> wrote:

Dear Susie,

The Office of the Mayor is responding to your request dated 1/8/26. Thank you for your patience as yesterday was a city holiday. The responsive documents to your request area attached. Please note that personal information has been redacted per Cal. Govt. Code §§ 6250, Cal. Const., Art. I, §§ 1, 3(b); Admin. Code §67.1(g); Admin. Code Chapter 12M. Please let us know if you have any questions. We now consider your request closed.

Thank You,

Office of the Mayor of San Francisco
Sunshine Requests
mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org

From: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Sent: Friday, January 9, 2026 4:29 PM
To: Susie Cagle <scagle@sfstandard.com>
Cc: Press Office, Mayor (MYR) <mayorspressoffice@sfgov.org>
Subject: RE: Public records request re: PG&E outage R. 255

Dear Susie,

Thank you for contacting the Office of the Mayor. We have received your request and will respond in 10 days (1/19/26). Please let us know if you have any questions.

Thank You,

Office of the Mayor of San Francisco
Sunshine Requests
mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org

From: Susie Cagle <scagle@sfstandard.com>
Sent: Thursday, January 8, 2026 10:15 AM
To: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR) <mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org>
Subject: Public records request re: PG&E outage

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Sincerely,
Susie Cagle
Enterprise editor, The SF Standard
510-516-4998

From: Pradhan, Manu (CAT)
To: Burke, Thomas
Cc: Burns, Sarah
Subject: RE: SF Standard record requests
Date: Thursday, March 12, 2026 11:04:12 AM
Attachments: image002.png

They produced responsive records weeks ago when the first set of requests came in. They are now doing a diligent search to see if they have any further records, beyond what your client already has received. I will let them know that your client is keen on getting a response soon.

Manu Pradhan
Deputy City Attorney
Office of City Attorney David Chiu
(415) 554-4658 Direct
www.sfcityattorney.org

From: Burke, Thomas <THOMASBURKE@dwt.com>
Sent: Thursday, March 12, 2026 10:39 AM
To: Pradhan, Manu (CAT) <Manu.Pradhan@sfcityatty.org>
Cc: Burns, Sarah <SarahBurns@dwt.com>
Subject: RE: SF Standard record requests

I spoke with my client yesterday and learned that he provided additional information about the Mayor's texts as was requested.

It's now Thursday and he's still awaiting new records from the Mayor's Office.

I understand that the office is again insisting on an additional 10 days to provide responsive records. This does not seem remotely reasonable. The responsive records were requested weeks ago. It would literally take 5 minutes to produce them.

Please let me know if anything can be done to speed this process along.

Thank you.

Thomas R. Burke
Partner | Davis Wright Tremaine LLP
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From: Pradhan, Manu (CAT) <Manu.Pradhan@sfcityatty.org>
Sent: Monday, March 9, 2026 9:01 AM
To: Burke, Thomas <THOMASBURKE@dwt.com>; Burns, Sarah <SarahBurns@dwt.com>
Subject: RE: SF Standard record requests

[EXTERNAL]

Hi Tom. I actually spoke to Sarah this past Wednesday. I understand that the mayors office was going to wait for your client to submit another request.

Manu Pradhan
Deputy City Attorney
Office of City Attorney David Chiu
(415) 554-4658 Direct
www.sfcityattorney.org

From: Burke, Thomas <THOMASBURKE@dwt.com>
Sent: Friday, March 6, 2026 1:27 PM
To: Pradhan, Manu (CAT) <Manu.Pradhan@sfcityatty.org>; Burns, Sarah <SarahBurns@dwt.com>
Subject: RE: SF Standard record requests

Manu,

We had expected an update from you about the items discussed in our call earlier this week. Please provide an update at your earliest convenience. The subject of this CPRA request is time sensitive.

Thomas R. Burke
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From: Pradhan, Manu (CAT) <Manu.Pradhan@sfcityatty.org>
Sent: Friday, February 27, 2026 11:42 AM
To: Burke, Thomas <THOMASBURKE@dwt.com>; Burns, Sarah <SarahBurns@dwt.com>
Subject: Re: SF Standard record requests

[EXTERNAL]

Yes that time works for me. Thank you.

From: Burke, Thomas <THOMASBURKE@dwt.com>
Sent: Friday, February 27, 2026 11:36 AM
To: Pradhan, Manu (CAT) <Manu.Pradhan@sfcityatty.org>; Burns, Sarah <SarahBurns@dwt.com>
Subject: RE: SF Standard record requests

I will be in Seattle for a Ninth Circuit matter in the morning, but I should have time to speak about this matter by mid-afternoon. Can we shoot for 3:00? PST.

I'm adding my DWT colleague Sarah Burns, who I hope will join us.

Thomas R. Burke
Partner | Davis Wright Tremaine LLP
P 415.276.6552 **C** 415.519.3406 **E** thomasburke@dwt.com
A 50 California Street, 23rd Floor, San Francisco, CA 94111

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From: Pradhan, Manu (CAT) <Manu.Pradhan@sfcityatty.org>
Sent: Friday, February 27, 2026 11:34 AM
To: Burke, Thomas <THOMASBURKE@dwt.com>
Subject: SF Standard record requests

[EXTERNAL]

Dear Mr Burke,

I am writing to acknowledge receipt of your Feb 25 letter to the Mayor's Office about the SF Standard's record requests dated Jan 8 and January 23. Could we find a time to

connect on Monday? I should be pretty flexible in the morning so please let me know what works for you. Thank you-

Manu Pradhan
Deputy City Attorney
Office of City Attorney David Chiu
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Complaint Summary

Sunshine Ordinance Task Force
Complaint Summary

File No. 26059

Gabriel Greschler against the Office of the Mayor

Date filed with SOTF: 4/14/2026

Contact information:

Party	Name(s)	Email(s)	Telephone
Petitioner	Gabriel Greschler	ggreschler@sfstandard.com	
Respondent	Office of the Mayor; Dexter Darmali	mayorsunshinerequests@sfgov.org; dexter.darmali@sfgov.org	

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Administrator's Notes

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Subject: New Response Complaint Form
Date: Tuesday, April 14, 2026 9:59:22 AM

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Complaint against which Department or Commission	Mayor's office
Name of individual contacted at Department or Commission	Dexter Darmali
Alleged Violation	Public Records
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Date	April 14, 2026
Name	Gabriel Greschler
Address	290 Division Street, Floor 3
City	San Francisco
Zip	94103
Telephone	339-364-4030
Email	ggreschler@sfstandard.com

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Date: Monday, May 11, 2026 12:39:31 PM
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Date:	Tuesday, April 14, 2026 5:06:25 PM
Attachments:	image001.png 26059 Complainant 20260414 Complaint.pdf

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- Copy of the original response(s), with date and timestamps, that you have received, if any, from the Office of the Mayor

Please provide the requested documents as PDFs within **five (5) business days**.

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To provide the SOTF information in an easy-to-understand format the SOTF has prepared a revised request format for responding to complaints (see below). The SOTF requests that you submit your response to our office regarding the allegations including any and all supporting documents, recordings, electronic media, etc., to the SOTF within five (5) business days of this notice. In developing and submitting your response, please use the attached instructions, "Preparing San Francisco Sunshine Ordinance Task Force Respondents Materials" to address your response to the complaint. This is your opportunity to provide a detailed explanation to allow the SOTF to be fully informed in considering your response prior to the meeting.

The following Complaint is attached.

> **File No. 26059 - Complaint filed by Gabriel Greschler against the Office of the Mayor for allegedly violating Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section(s) 67.21, by failing to respond to a public records request in a timely and/or complete manner.**

SOTF Complaint Procedures: https://www.sf.gov/complaint-procedures.

Please review the attached complaint as described above and acknowledge your department's position regarding the alleged violation of the Sunshine Ordinance and/or other related Codes by choosing ONE of the following responses:

a) acknowledge noncompliance for all allegations below
b) department/agency declares no-contest to all allegations below
c) deny one or more allegations (please state an additional explanation which of the allegations you deny, and supporting evidence and/or argument)

You may, if you wish, also attach any additional explanation and supporting documentation.

If you or your entity acknowledges noncompliance or declares no-contest, the SOTF may, at its discretion, issue an Order of Determination against you or your entity for the allegations listed above without a hearing, and thereafter refer the matter to the Compliance & Amendments Committee for monitoring as needed.

Please refer to the File Number when submitting any new information and/or supporting documents pertaining to this complaint.

Thank you.

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From: Gabe Greschler
To: SOTF (BOS)
Cc: MayorSunshineRequests, MYR (MYR); Darmali, Dexter (MYR); Somera, Alisa (BOS); Dean Schmidt (dschmi4@aol.com)
Subject: Re: Notice of Hearing: Sunshine Ordinance Task Force - Complaint Committee, 5/19/2026, 5:30 p.m. (File No. 26059)
Date: Friday, May 8, 2026 4:42:00 PM
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Thank you,

On Fri, May 8, 2026 at 4:39 PM SOTF (BOS) <sotf@sfgov.org> wrote:

> Hello –
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> The following Sunshine Ordinance Task Force matters have been scheduled for hearing as follows:
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> Date: Tuesday, May 19, 2026 (Hybrid Meeting in-person/remote)
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> Committee: Complaint Committee
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> Location: Hearing Room 408, City Hall, San Francisco, CA 94102
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> Time: Meeting Convenes – 5:30 p.m.
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> Information regarding how to participate via telephone or via teleconference (Webex) will be listed on the Agenda. Agendas are available online and at the San Francisco Public Library at least 72 hours before the meeting.
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> **Why Am I Receiving This Notice?**
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> You are receiving this notice because you are named as a Complainant or Respondent in one of the following complaints scheduled for hearing to: 1) hear the merits of the complaint; 2) issue a determination; and/or 3) consider referrals from a Task Force Committee,
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> *or*
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> You are receiving this notice because you are named as a Complainant or Respondent in one of the following complaints for a hearing to: 1) determine if the Task Force has jurisdiction; 2) review the merits of the complaints; and/or 3) issue a report and/or recommendation to the SOTF.
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> **Must I Attend?**
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> **Complainants**: Your attendance is required for this meeting/hearing.

Respondents/Departments: Pursuant to Section 67.21 (e) of the Ordinance the custodian of records, or a representative of your department who can speak to the matter, is required at the meeting/hearing.

IMPORTANT - CONFIRM YOUR ATTENDANCE

■ Petitioner's Failure to Appear at the meeting without prior notice will result in the file being **Closed**.

■ Respondent's Failure to Appear will result in additional violations of the Sunshine Ordinance.

Confirm your attendance and submit any additional supplemental/support documents for inclusion into the agenda packet by **12:00 p.m., Thursday, May 14, 2026,**

Which Matters Will be Heard?

File No. 25119 (25-279) - Complaint filed by Aaron Wilson against the Department of Homelessness and Supportive Housing for allegedly violating Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section(s) 67.21, by failing to respond to a public records request in a timely and/or complete manner.

File No. 26036 - Grant Review against Department of Public Health

File No. 26041: Complaint filed by Anmarie against the Fine Arts Museums Board of Trustees for allegedly violating Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section(s) 67.21 and 67.25, by failing to respond to an Immediate Disclosure Request in a timely and/or complete manner.

File No. 26059 - Complaint filed by Gabriel Greschler against the Office of the Mayor for allegedly violating Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section(s) 67.21, by failing to respond to a public records request in a timely and/or complete manner.

File No. 26062: Complaint filed by Eddie Kim against Department of Emergency Management for allegedly violating Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section(s) 67.21, by failing to respond to a public records request in a timely and/or complete manner, and Section(s) 67.26, by failing to keep

withholdings to a minimum.

File No. 26063 (26-1538): Complaint filed by James Cassiol against the Department of Public Works for allegedly violating Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section(s) 67.21, by failing to respond to a public records request in a timely and/or complete manner.

File No. 26064 (26-1540) : Complaint filed by James Cassiol against the Department of Public Works for allegedly violating Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section(s) 67.21, by failing to respond to a public records request in a timely and/or complete manner.

File No. 26065: Complaint filed by j.l.research against San Francisco Recreation and Parks Department for allegedly violating Administrative Code (Sunshine Ordinance), Section(s) 67.21, by failing to respond to a public records request in a timely and/or complete manner.

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Thank you.

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