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Mr. Jay Cassella
President
Hidden Lake Association, Inc.
PO Box 401
Higganum, CT 06441

Dear Mr. Cassella:

Under the **Connecticut Freedom of Information Act § 1-200 et seq.**, I am requesting an opportunity to inspect or obtain copies of insurance policies issued to Hidden Lake Association Inc. and certain correspondence related to those policies as indicated:

1. General Liability Insurance Policy – Effective date on or about 9/10/2021
2. Excess Liability Insurance Policy – Effective date on or about 9/10/2021
3. Directors and Officers Liability Insurance Policy – Effective date on or about 10/4/2021
4. Correspondence including emails, letters, or others, if they exist, that indicates that the General Liability Insurance Policy expiration date was extended beyond the original expiration date of the policy (9/10/2022)
5. Liability Insurance Policy, emails, letters, or any other correspondence that shows liability insurance coverage in effect for the tractor/backhoe equipment that was rented for the period that includes the date on or about 11/5/2022

Copies of these documents in PDF format may be emailed to me at the email address below. If there are any fees for searching or copying these records, please inform me if the cost will exceed \$100.00. However, I would also like to request a waiver of all fees in that the disclosure of the requested information is in the public interest and will contribute significantly to the public's understanding of the expiration date the of Hidden Lake Association Inc. liability insurance and why an email was sent out on 9/16/2022 notifying members that "all beaches are closed until further notice." This information is being requested for news gathering purpose. This information is not being sought for commercial purposes.

The Connecticut Freedom of Information Act requires a response within four business days. If access to the records I am requesting will take longer, please contact me with information about when I might expect copies or the ability to inspect the requested records.

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If you deny any or all of this request, please cite each specific exemption you feel justifies the refusal to release the information and notify me of the appeal procedures available to me under the law.

Thank you for considering my request.

Sincerely,

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