Dear State Records Committee: REC'D APR 01 2019 3-27-19

Re: GRAMA Appeal, UDC

On 2-25-19 I submitted a GRAMA request to UDC. On 3-12-19 Kelli Foulger responded and denied the request under the claim of protected records. I appealed the denial to UDC's Chief Administrative Officer. On 3-21-19 Deputy Director James Hudspeth responded and upheld the denial.

The records which I're requested relate to a case in which criminal charges have been filed against myself and 7 oth inmates. These records are critical to my defense and prov that UDC investigators were less than honest in their official reports. In addition to being necessary for this criminal case, these records are also needed for a civil ca The subject of which is these less than honest reports.

UCA § 63G-2-305(10) contains the provisions which UDC is claiming apply to these records which prevent their disclosure. However, a careful reading of these provisions wi show that none apply to these records. First, the investigati (UDC's part of it) has been over for some time. So release wi not interfere with any investigation. Release <u>will</u> <u>not</u> create a danger of depriving a person of a right to a fair trial or impartial hearing. But the continued refusal to release the records <u>will</u> create a danger of depriving a person (my included) of a right to a fair trial or impartial hearing. Furthe the public interest outweighs any interests favoring restriction of access, see UCA § 63G-2-406(1).