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Texas Public Information Act Request - Walmart-related email communications and keyword search (01/01/2024?12/29/2025)

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1. 2025-12-30 13:59 Kyle Moring · 0 att.
2. 2026-01-15 03:01 Kyle Moring · 0 att.
3. 2026-01-15 22:33 Austin Beck · 1 att.
4. 2026-02-02 11:55 Kyle Moring · 0 att.
5. 2026-02-02 19:15 Candias Webster · 0 att.
6. 2026-02-02 20:15 Candias Webster · 2 att.
7. 2026-02-04 13:44 Kyle Moring · 3 att.

From:	Kyle Moring <[redacted]>
To:	Candias Webster <cwebster@mpcity.org>
Cc:	Austin Beck <abeck@dtrglaw.com>; Rob Vine <rvine@mpcity.org>; [redacted]; Wesley Lyon <Wlyon@mpcity.org>
Date:	2025-12-30 13:59:35+00:00
Subject:	**Texas Public Information Act Request - Walmart-related email communications and keyword search (01/01/2024–12/29/2025)**
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External (abeck@dtrglaw.com)

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Candias,

Since he has accepted the charges, the City can proceed with processing both of these requests. Once you notify him that the documents are ready, the City will need to update him about the actual cost – it may be a little more or less than the estimate.

There is no need to respond to the second part of his emails, asking for the City to answer questions about how the responsive information was located.

Regards,

Austin Beck
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San Antonio, Texas 78216
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www.dtrglaw.com

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Report This Email

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Thank you,
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02/02/2026 13:30:47 kmemije

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Payee: Kyle Moring
Payee: Mt Pleasant
Records Request

Total: 54.00
Credit Card Error 54.00
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Change Due: .00

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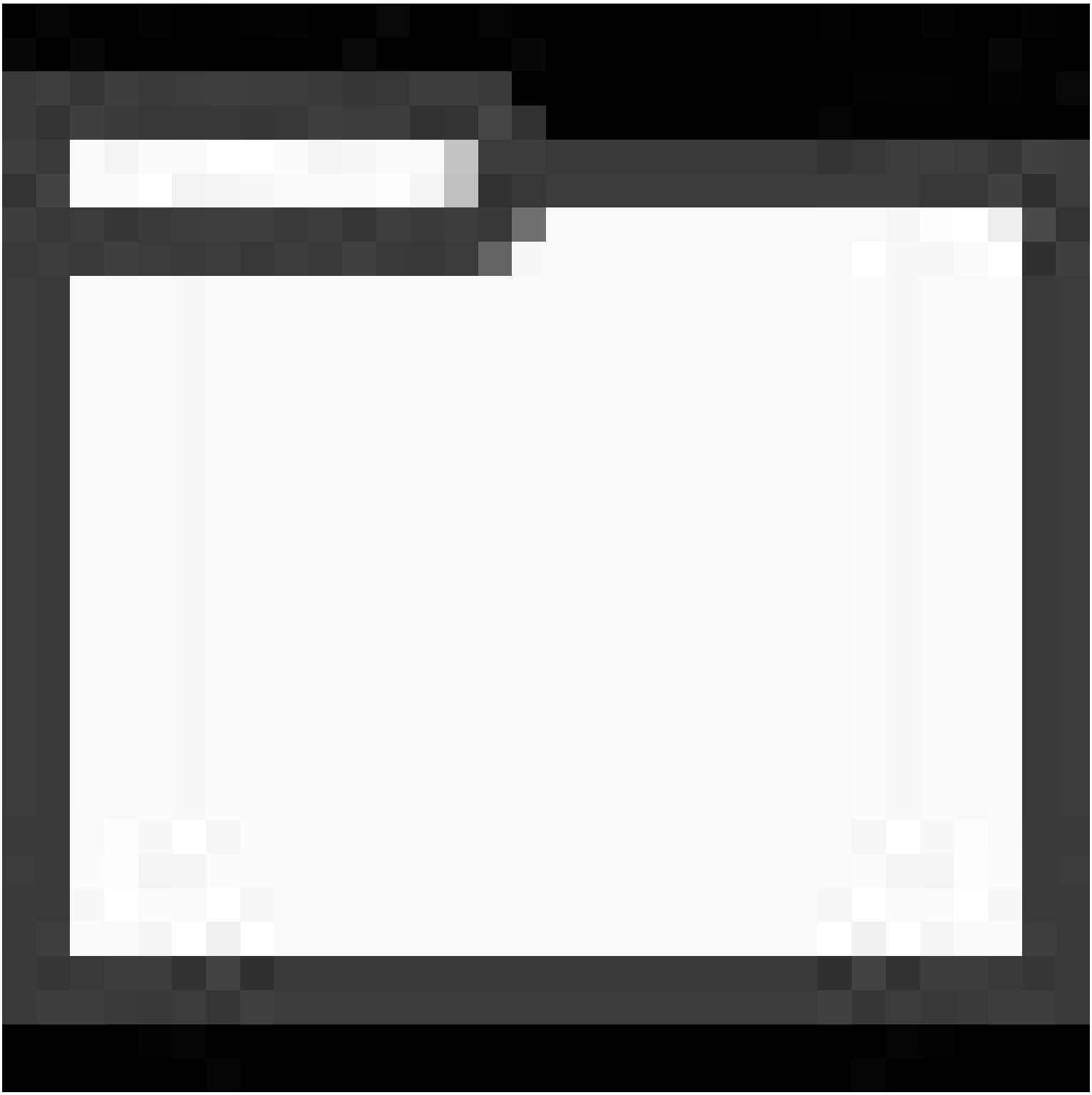
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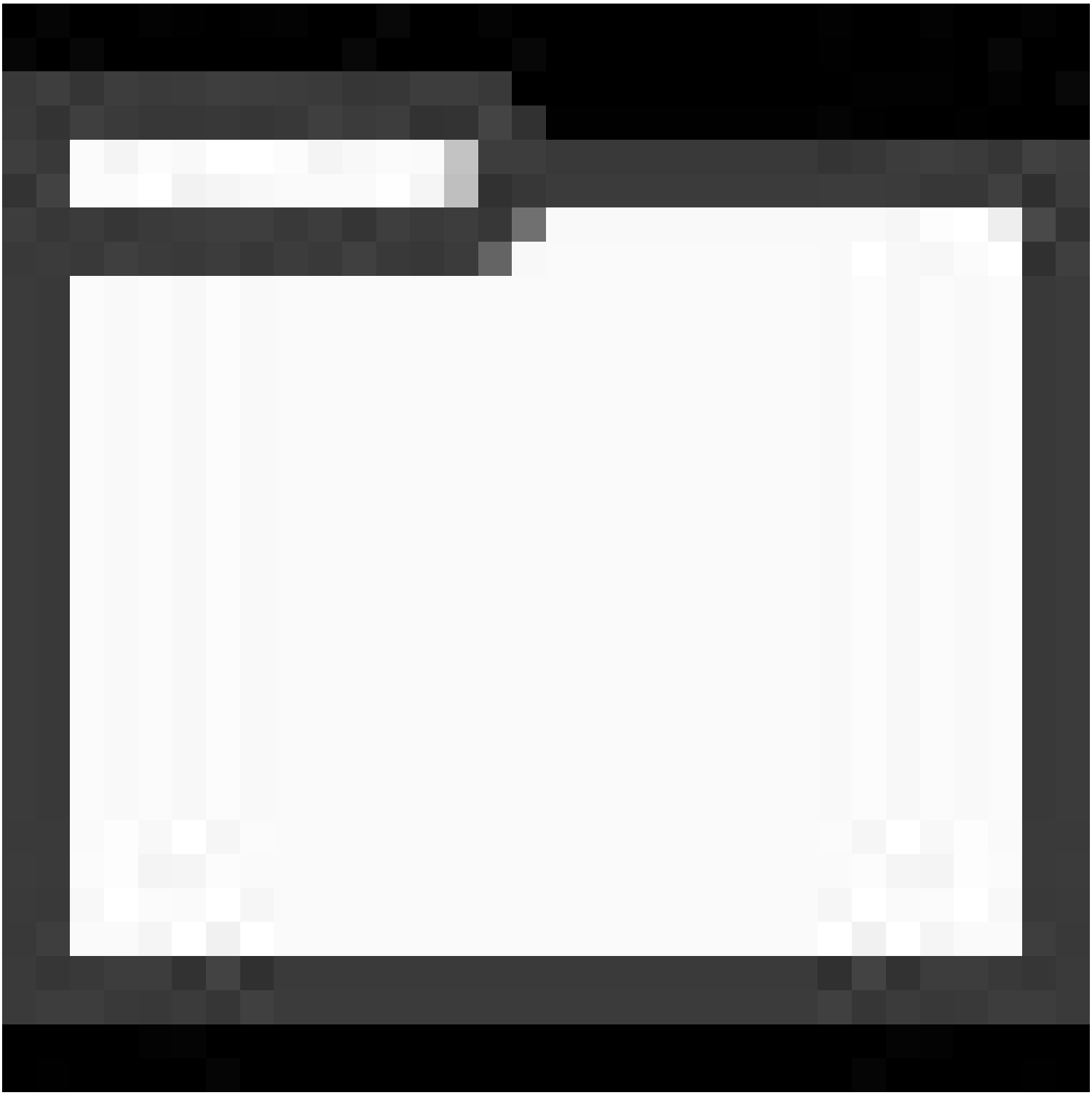
With gratitude,

Kyle Moring

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Attachment "City of Mount PleasantOCR.pdf" ? the City's Local Government Records Control Schedule filings with the Texas State Library and Archives Commission (144 pages: 1991 TSLAC schedule forms and the 2022 SLR 508 Declaration of Compliance) ? is not reproduced in this thread copy; it is a public record that will be linked separately on the site.

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