

Order

Michigan Supreme Court
Lansing, Michigan

July 10, 2026

SC: 169571
COA: 373417
Kent CC: 23-008846-CZ

Megan K. Cavanagh,
Chief Justice

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Justices

AMERICAN CIVIL LIBERTIES UNION OF
MICHIGAN and PETER ARMSTRONG, SR.,
Plaintiffs-Appellants,

v

CITY OF GRAND RAPIDS,
Defendant-Appellee.

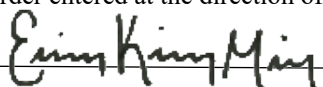
On order of the Court, the application for leave to appeal the December 11, 2025 judgment of the Court of Appeals is considered. We direct the Clerk to schedule oral argument on the application. MCR 7.305(I)(1). The parties shall file supplemental briefs in accordance with MCR 7.312(E), addressing: (1) whether under Michigan's Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), MCL 15.231 *et seq.*, a public body is required to fulfill a FOIA request within a reasonable time; (2) if so, whether defendant's fulfillment of plaintiffs' FOIA request 13 months after payment of the good-faith deposit constitutes a reasonable time under the circumstances presented in this case; and (3) whether the case was rendered moot by defendant's fulfillment of the FOIA request.

Amici who appeared at the application stage are invited to file supplemental briefs amicus curiae. The State Bar of Michigan Government Law Section is invited to file a brief amicus curiae. Other persons or groups interested in the determination of the issues presented in this case who are not exempt from the motion requirement under MCR 7.312(H) may move the Court for permission to file briefs amicus curiae.



I, Elizabeth Kingston-Miller, Clerk of the Michigan Supreme Court, certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of the order entered at the direction of the Court.

July 10, 2026


Clerk