

From: [Eric Rhodes](#)
To: [Kron Michael C](#)
Subject: Re: Public Records Task Force - Wednesday Public Hearing
Date: Friday, January 15, 2016 8:22:14 PM

So while I might not be able to attend, it should be webcast for the Public to see. I have a hard time believing that cannot happen with all the resources available to the State today. If this is about public access and transparency in Government, this is a great way to start, webcast all public meetings and we might get somewhere. What a concept, public cable access is another resource for wide distribution over all the cable services we have today, there simply is no excuse to not do so. We get the government we deserve, we were meant to be running this country, and now we can with public meetings being broadcast on Cable, and the internet, we can do so with out the professional politicians that are there for the ride. If we knew more about what went on behind closed doors, we wouldn't be in the jam we are today as a Nation.

Thank you,

Eric Rhodes

On 1/11/16, Kron Michael C <michael.c.kron@doj.state.or.us> wrote:

> This was formally noticed last week, but in case you have not heard about
> it, I thought it might be of interest to you.

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> PUBLIC MEETING NOTICE

> Attorney General's Public Records Law Reform Task Force

> Wednesday, January 13th, 2016

> 4:00 – 6:00 PM

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> Members of the Attorney General's Public Records Law Reform Task Force will

> be accepting public comments on the Oregon Public Records Law, and the work

> of the task force, on Wednesday, January 13, from 4:00 to 6:00 PM. Please

> join us next door to the Oregon State Capitol to share your experiences,

> suggestions, or other thoughts with task force members.

> Location:

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> Department of Administrative Services Executive Building

> 155 Cottage Street NE

> Salem, OR 97301

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> All are welcome to attend.

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> Information about the work of the task force is available on the Public

> Records Law Reform Task

> Force<http://www.doj.state.or.us/public_records/Pages/task_force.aspx>

> website. Currently, that work is focused primarily on the hundreds of

> disclosure exemptions that keep information out of public hands – and can

> make the law difficult to implement. Other issues that the task force

> expects to examine include the cost and timeliness of public records

> disclosures. The task force wants to hear from Oregonians on these and other

> public records law subjects.
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> Questions about this announcement, and requests for accommodations by
> individuals with disabilities, can be directed to Michael Kron,
> Michael.C.Kron@doj.state.or.us<<mailto:Michael.C.Kron@doj.state.or.us>>.

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" I believe that banking institutions are more dangerous to our
liberties than standing armies. If the American people ever allow
private banks to control the issue of their currency, first by
inflation, then by deflation, the banks and the corporations that will
grow up around [the banks] will deprive the people of all property
until their children wake up homeless on the continent their fathers
conquered. The issuing power should be taken from the banks and
restored to the People to whom it properly belongs"

Thomas Jefferson, the third President of the United States in a letter
to the Secretary of the Treasury, Albert Gallatin (1802).

Does this not ring true?