

April 26, 2019

Clarence Moriwaki  
221 West Winslow Way, #306  
Bainbridge Island, WA 98110

RE: Public Records Request 19-353 from Richard Lee Rynearson

Dear Mr. Moriwaki:

The City of Bainbridge Island (“City”) has received a request under the state Public Records Act (“PRA”), chapter 42.56 RCW, for the following records:

All documents, photos, emails, texts, videos, data, police reports and other records concerning myself and relating to any complaints or investigations related to me from October 24, 2018 until the present day to include any information that may be related to Houston Wade's claim from earlier this week on the "Emerald City Antifa" Facebook page that I am "wanted for questioning for breaking into someone's home and rearranging everything while they slept and smearing some sort of 'organic material' all over their walls."

The City has released incident report I18-1639 to the requester, but we have not released the associated photographs, although we believe they are public records subject to disclosure, because the photographs have information that could potentially be exempt under the PRA based on privacy. However, it is unclear to the City whether the information is exempt due to the wording of the PRA and the case law interpreting it, and the City is required by the PRA to construe such exemptions narrowly. We can provide a copy of the photographs to you for your review if you don't already have them.

If you have concerns regarding the release of these records, you have the option of seeking to enjoin (i.e., prevent) disclosure of some or all of these records following the procedure provided in RCW 42.56.540 (see below). In order to give you time to consider that option, the City will withhold release of the documents on the basis of third-party notification until 4:00 PM on May 24, 2019. In accordance with the procedures in RCW 42.56.540, if we don't receive a phone call or email from you indicating that you are seeking to enjoin release of the records by the established deadline (4:00 PM on May 24, 2019), the City will release the records to the requester following review for any material that may be exempt from release.

The statutory provision above referenced, RCW 42.56.540 (relating to court protection of public records), states:

The examination of any specific public record may be enjoined if, upon motion and affidavit by an agency or its representative or a person who is named in the record or to whom the record specifically pertains, the superior court for the county in which the movant resides or in which the record is maintained, finds

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that such examination would clearly not be in the public interest and would substantially and irreparably damage any person, or would substantially and irreparably damage vital governmental functions. An agency has the option of notifying persons named in the record or to whom a record specifically pertains, that release of a record has been requested. However, this option does not exist where the agency is required by law to provide such notice.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the City's Deputy City Attorney at (206) 780-8623 or the City's Public Records Officer at (206) 780-8618 (or via email at [publicrecords@bainbridgewa.gov](mailto:publicrecords@bainbridgewa.gov)).

Sincerely,

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Senior Police Clerk

**Date : 5/29/19 11:31:56 PM**

**From : "Christine Brown"**

**From : "Christine Brown" cbrown@bainbridgewa.gov**

**To : "clarencemoriwaki@gmail.com" clarencemoriwaki@gmail.com**

**Cc : "Robbie Sepler" rsepler@bainbridgewa.gov**

**Subject : Public Records Request 19-353 from Richard Lee Rynearson**

**Attachment : image001.jpg;**

Dear Mr. Moriwaki,

Further to our telephone conversation on Friday afternoon, we acknowledge notice of your intent to seek an injunction from a court to enjoin the release of certain requested public records, as allowed under RCW 42.56.540. The City will withhold release of the requested public records until 4:00 PM on June 28, 2019.

If the City does not receive a copy of a court order enjoining release of the requested public records by 4:00 PM on June 28, 2019, the City is fully prepared to proceed with the production of the requested public records, in accordance with the requirements of the Washington State Public Records Act, Chapter 42.56 RCW.

Please let me know immediately in writing if you require additional time and, if so, please provide a description of the reasons additional time is needed.

Best regards,



**Christine Brown, CMC**

City Clerk

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206.780.8618

**Date :** 5/11/19 3:16:49 AM  
**From :** "Ryan Norton"  
**From :** "Ryan Norton" [rnorton@bainbridgewa.gov](mailto:rnorton@bainbridgewa.gov)  
**To :** "Clarence Moriwaki" [clarencemoriwaki@gmail.com](mailto:clarencemoriwaki@gmail.com)  
**Subject :** RE: Update and information  
**Attachment :** image001.jpg;image002.png;image003.png;image004.png;

Clarence Moriwaki,

My understanding is that Richard Ryneerson requested every report that involved him in any way, including him being mentioned in your December incident. Contact with Ryneerson in regards to a criminal investigation has yet to be made and none of the numbers provided below yielded any fruit. In any correspondence that Ryneerson had with the city of Bainbridge Island or the Police Department to do a public records request, he never would have been in contact with anyone with the authority to do or the knowledge of any ongoing criminal investigation. At the time of writing this email I have again attempted to contact Ryneerson by phone at all given numbers without success. If the fingerprints return identifying Ryneerson as having been in your apartment, that would be one matter, but until then there is nothing that would legally involve him in this matter.

Respectfully,

**Ryan Norton, Officer**  
Bainbridge Island Police Department  
625 Winslow Way East  
Bainbridge Island, WA 98110  
[www.bainbridgewa.gov](http://www.bainbridgewa.gov)  
206.842.5211 (Office)  
206.780.4683 (Desk)  
206.730.8270 (Mobile)



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**From:** Clarence Moriwaki <[clarencemoriwaki@gmail.com](mailto:clarencemoriwaki@gmail.com)>  
**Sent:** Thursday, May 09, 2019 12:24 PM  
**To:** Ryan Norton <[rnorton@bainbridgewa.gov](mailto:rnorton@bainbridgewa.gov)>  
**Subject:** Update and information

Hi Ryan,

I hope that this message finds you well.

I assume that you're aware Ryneerson has requested and received a copy of your report of my break-in, and I suspect that the city attorney was the appropriate official to inform me of that news.

I'm also guessing that Ryneerson has not yet returned your messages, texts and/or emails. Is my not-surprised-at-all assumption correct?

Since Ryneerson had to contact COBI somehow via email or regular mail for his request for your report, when the COBI replied to him was there also a mention that he has yet to return messages from BIPD? If not, why not?

If you have his contact information from which he made his request, have you tried again to reach him?

You probably have some if not all of these listings I've attached below of Ryneerson's contact information, but I'm forwarding them to you anyway in the hope that you will be successful in reaching him.

Thank you for all that you do. Have a great weekend!

Clarence Moriwaki

## Clarence Moriwaki

Speakers Bureau Member

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## Richard L Rynearson Age 45



### Current & Past Addresses

Home address, apartment, business, and rental property addresses for Richard Rynearson

[9821 Mabel Ave Youngstown, FL 32466-1926](#)

[9450 SW Gemini Dr #8182 Beaverton, OR 97008-7105](#)

[10810 Las Vegas St Youngstown, FL 32466-2218](#)

[217 Shepard Way NW #404 Bainbridge Island, WA 98110-1721](#)

[8414 Zodiac Dr Universal City, TX 78148-2611](#)



### Phone Numbers

Cell/mobile/wireless phone number and home telephone numbers for Richard Rynearson

[\(210\) 846-5865](#), [\(850\) 722-1190](#), [\(501\) 988-1141](#), [\(512\) 988-1141](#), [\(325\) 795-2732](#), [\(915\) 795-2732](#), [795-2732](#)

Richard Rynearson

City, State or Zip



### Associated Names

Akas, alternate spellings, misspellings, maiden and married names for Richard Rynearson

[I Richard Rynearson](#), [Cadet Richard Lrynearson](#), [Richard Lee Rynearson](#), [Richard Rynearson](#)



### Possible Relatives

Brothers, sisters, mother, father, wife, husband and exes for Richard Rynearson

[Barbara J Rynearson](#), [Cathy S Rynearson](#), [Kristina B Rynearson](#), [Richard S Lee](#), [Richard L Rynearson](#)



### Possible Associates

Current and old roommates, friends, and extended family for Richard Rynearson

[Hunt Hyland](#), [Dwight W Morrison](#), [Daniel J Prescher](#), [Denny G Thompson](#), [Erik Jordon Seidel](#), [Richard M Candey](#), [Ruby J Candey](#), [Arnel T Lee](#)

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