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**SENT VIA MAIL AND FAX
(502) 564-2517**

The Honorable Steve Beshear
Governor of Kentucky
700 Capitol Avenue, Suite 100
Frankfort, Kentucky 40601

Re: Open Records Request

Dear Governor Beshear:

Pursuant to Kentucky's Open Records Act (KRS §§61.870-61.884), I request copies of the following:

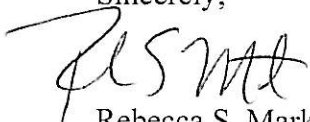
1. Any financial records — purchase orders, invoices, receipts, or other similar documents — pertaining to the expenses and costs for the 2014 Governor's Prayer Breakfast.
2. Any financial records — purchase orders, invoices, receipts, or other similar documents — pertaining to the expenses and costs for the 2013 Governor's Prayer Breakfast.
3. Any financial records — purchase orders, invoices, receipts, or other similar documents — pertaining to the expenses and costs for the 2012 Governor's Prayer Breakfast.
4. Any financial records — purchase orders, invoices, receipts, or other similar documents — pertaining to the expenses and costs for the 2011 Governor's Prayer Breakfast.
5. Copies of any correspondence from state employees — including but not limited to emails, letters, and call records — regarding the 2014 Governor's Prayer Breakfast to and from the Governor's office and any other state employee working on or coordinating the event. This request excludes the email invitation sent to all state employees on Feb. 21, 2014.
6. Copies of any correspondence from state employees — including but not limited to emails, letters, and call records — regarding the 2013 Governor's Prayer Breakfast to and from the Governor's office and any other state employee working on or coordinating the event. Only one copy of an email invitation from the Governor to all state employees is requested as part of this query.

7. Copies of any correspondence from state employees – including but not limited to emails, letters, and call records – regarding the 2012 Governor's Prayer Breakfast to and from the Governor's office and any other state employee working on or coordinating the event. This request excludes the email invitation sent to all state employees on Feb. 25, 2012.
8. Copies of any correspondence from state employees – including but not limited to emails, letters, and call records – regarding the 2011 Governor's Prayer Breakfast to and from the Governor's office and any other state employee working on or coordinating the event. This request excludes the email invitation sent to all state employees on February 11, 2011.
9. Copies of invitations or other correspondence to and from speakers for the 2014 event.
10. Copies of invitations or other correspondence to and from speakers for the 2013 event.
11. Copies of invitations or other correspondence to and from speakers for the 2012 event.
12. Copies of invitations or other correspondence to and from speakers for the 2011 event.

Please respond as soon as possible to this request. If you choose to deny this request, please respond with a written explanation of the denial including any references to statutory exemptions or other case law upon which you rely. If your agency does not maintain these public records, please forward this request and let me know the proper custodians of these records.

If I can provide any clarification that will help expedite your attention to my request, please contact me at 608-256-8900. If any records are available in electronic format, they may be emailed to rmarkert@ffrf.org. Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R S Markert', written in a cursive style.

Rebecca S. Markert
Staff Attorney