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**Sent:** 8/20/2015 11:49:38 AM  
**To:** Records Request Mailbox <opengov@ashevillenc.gov>  
**Cc:**  
**Subject:** Re: Airbnb emails

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When possible, please give me an update on this formatting issue.

Best,

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On Tue, Aug 18, 2015 at 2:27 PM, Asheville Blade <[ashevilleblade@gmail.com](mailto:ashevilleblade@gmail.com)> wrote:

We also tried to open this on one of our writers' pcs and the files still won't open, so please adjust the format to something more commonly readable. While it's not perfect, pdf has been used before to fulfill some of these requests for emails.

Thanks,

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On Tue, Aug 18, 2015 at 2:15 PM, Asheville Blade <[ashevilleblade@gmail.com](mailto:ashevilleblade@gmail.com)> wrote:

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On Tue, Aug 18, 2015 at 1:37 PM, Records Request Mailbox <[opengov@ashevillenc.gov](mailto:opengov@ashevillenc.gov)> wrote:

Good Afternoon Mr. Forbes,

I am not aware if we have that capability or not, but I have asked and will let you know once I hear back.

Cordially,

Alex Carmichael

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Specifically, converting it to .mbox should work fine.

Best,

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On Mon, Aug 17, 2015 at 4:38 PM, Asheville Blade <[ashevilleblade@gmail.com](mailto:ashevilleblade@gmail.com)> wrote:

Thanks, do you have these in a format that's readable with a mac?

Best,

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On Mon, Aug 17, 2015 at 4:31 PM, Records Request Mailbox <[opengov@ashevillenc.gov](mailto:opengov@ashevillenc.gov)> wrote:

Good Afternoon Mr. Forbes,

Thank you for your 7/14/15 records request for “emails from or to any contracted lobbyists for, or employees of, Airbnb to or from city staff and elected officials.” Please find those requested emails in the Outlook .pst file with the Dropbox link below.

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/urto1ond2sub326/AABiBA0hPZe7vAlpmfHM9pwNa?dl=0>

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**From:** Asheville Blade [mailto:[ashevilleblade@gmail.com](mailto:ashevilleblade@gmail.com)]

**Sent:** Tuesday, July 14, 2015 11:42 AM

**To:** Records Request Mailbox

**Subject:** Re: Airbnb emails

Time span of any point in the past year, i.e. from July 14, 2014 to now. Contracted lobbyists or Airbnb staff include, but are not limited to, Jeff Tippet of Targeted Persusasion and Max Pomeranc of Airbnb.

Best,

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On Tue, Jul 14, 2015 at 11:39 AM, Records Request Mailbox <[opengov@ashevillenc.gov](mailto:opengov@ashevillenc.gov)> wrote:

Good Morning Mr. Forbes,

Thank you for your 7/14/15 "Airbnb emails" records requests. In order for us to fulfill the request in a timely manner, please provide names of contracted lobbyists and a time span for our data search.

Cordially,

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**From:** Asheville Blade [mailto:[ashevilleblade@gmail.com](mailto:ashevilleblade@gmail.com)]

**Sent:** Tuesday, July 14, 2015 11:28 AM

**To:** Records Request Mailbox; Polly McDaniel; Dawa Hitch

**Subject:** Airbnb emails

Good morning y'all. Please, when possible, send over any emails from or to any contracted lobbyists for, or employees of, Airbnb to or from city staff and elected officials.

Best,

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