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## Nacogdoches County Sued to Reveal Insurance Costs Related to Jail Violence

(Nacogdoches Texas, April 11<sup>th</sup>, 2022) A Texas law firm, Paul Anderson, PLLC, has recently filed a lawsuit in Nacogdoches County Texas to require Nacogdoches County to disclose and reveal how taxpayer funds are being used for employee insurance costs.

The lawsuit was filed in the 145<sup>th</sup> District Court and alleges that Nacogdoches County refuses to provide information about the use of public funds to purchase insurance that covers county employees, specifically details about insurance policies, deductibles, aggregate limits, run/loss rates, claims and premiums.

The lawsuit claims that Anderson's Texas Public Information Act Request was referred to the Texas Attorney General's office for an opinion based on the various exceptions the County claims protect it from having to disclose the requested information. Anderson's lawsuit argues the public has a right to know if public employees, specifically Sheriff deputies and jailers, are insured and for how much, of if they are even insurable at all.

Anderson believes that there are several reasons Nacogdoches County is using Tyler – based lawyers to vigorously fight the public release of this information, including revealing gross mismanagement, exposure of serious conflicts of interests, blatant cronyism, misconduct and even criminal conduct.

Paul Anderson's lawsuit asks the Court to order the County of Nacogdoches to produce the public information requested for the benefit of the taxpaying citizens of Nacogdoches County. This includes all information related to the payments and costs of insurance premiums and deductibles, information on the number of claims, policy limits and aggregates, as well as all other information regarding Nacogdoches County's insurance policy and coverage through Texas Association of Counties Risk Management Pool.

Paul Anderson is the principal attorney in a Nacogdoches, Texas civil rights law firm specializing in public corruption, fraud and law enforcement abuse. If you have information about this case or any matter involving official oppression, malicious prosecution, abuse of process, corruption, or public fraud, call 936.305.5600 or submit a confidential consultation request via the firm's website www.paulandersonlaw.com.

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