## FY20 NWTRB Annual FOIA Report

#### 3. Agency Component Abbreviations

Component Abbreviation	Component Name
NWTRB	U.S. Nuclear Waste Technical Review Board

#### IV. Exemption 3 Statutes

Statute	Type of Information Withheld	Case Citation	Agency / Component	Number of Times Relied upon by Agency / Component	Total Number of Times Relied upon by Agency Overall
N/A	N/A	N/A	NWTRB	0	0

#### V.A. FOIA REQUESTS -- RECEIVED, PROCESSED AND PENDING FOIA REQUESTS

Agency / Component	Number of Requests Pending as of	Number of Requests Received in Fiscal Year	Number of Requests Processed in Fiscal Year	Number of Requests Pending as of
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	Start of Fiscal Year			End of Fiscal Year
NWTRB	0	7	6	1
AGENCY OVERALL	0	7	6	1

#### V.B.(1). DISPOSITION OF FOIA REQUESTS -- ALL PROCESSED REQUESTS

	Number of Number of			Number of Full Denials Based on Reasons Other than Exemptions									
Agency / of	Number of Full Grants	of Partial Grants / Partial Denials	Full Denials Based on Exemptions	No Records	All Records Referred to Another Component or Agency	Request Withdrawn	Fee- Related Reason	Records not Reasonably Described	Improper FOIA Request for Other Reason	Not Agency Record	Duplicate Request	Other *Explain in Chart Below	TOTAL
NWTRB	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6
AGENCY OVERALL	3	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6

#### V.B.(2). DISPOSITION OF FOIA REQUESTS -- "OTHER" REASONS FOR "FULL DENIALS BASED ON REASONS OTHER THAN EXEMPTIONS"

Agency / Component	Description of "Other" Reasons for Denials from Chart B(1)	Number of Times "Other" Reason Was	TOTAL
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		Relied Upon	
NWTRB	N/A	0	0
AGENCY OVERALL			0

#### V.B.(3). DISPOSITION OF FOIA REQUESTS -- NUMBER OF TIMES EXEMPTIONS APPLIED

Agency / Component	Ex. 1	Ex. 2	Ex. 3	Ex. 4	Ex. 5	Ex. 6	Ex. 7(A)	Ex. 7(B)	Ex. 7(C)	Ex. 7(D)	Ex. 7(E)	Ex. 7(F)	Ex. 8	Ex. 9
NWTRB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

# VI.A. ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS OF INITIAL DETERMINATIONS OF FOIA REQUESTS -- RECEIVED, PROCESSED, AND PENDING ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS

Agency / Component	Number of Appeals Pending as of Start of Fiscal Year	Number of Appeals Received in Fiscal Year	Number of Appeals Processed in Fiscal Year	Number of Appeals Pending as of End of Fiscal Year
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NWTRB	0	0	0	0
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0	0	0

#### VI.B. DISPOSITION OF ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS -- ALL PROCESSED APPEALS

Agency / Component	Number Affirmed on Appeal	Number Partially Affirmed & Partially Reversed/Remanded on Appeal	Number Completely Reversed/Remanded on Appeal	Number of Appeals Closed for Other Reasons	TOTAL	
NWTRB	0	0	0	0	0	
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0	0	0	0	

#### VI.C.(1). REASONS FOR DENIAL ON APPEAL -- NUMBER OF TIMES EXEMPTIONS APPLIED

Agency /	Ex.	Ex.	Ex.	Ex.	Ex.	Ex.	Ex.	Ex.						
Component	1	2	3	4	5	6	7(A)	7(B)	7(C)	7(D)	7(E)	7(F)	8	9
NWTRB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

AGENCY OVERALL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
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#### VI.C.(2). REASONS FOR DENIAL ON APPEAL -- REASONS OTHER THAN EXEMPTIONS

Agency / Component	No Records	Records Referred at Initial Request Level	Request Withdrawn	Fee- Related Reason	Records not Reasonably Described	Improper Request for Other Reasons	Not Agency Record	Duplicate Request or Appeal	Request in Litigation	Appeal Based Solely on Denial of Request for Expedited Processing	Other *Explain in chart below
NWTRB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

#### VI.C.(3). REASONS FOR DENIAL ON APPEAL -- "OTHER" REASONS

Agency / Component	Description of "Other" Reasons for Denial on Appeal from Chart C(2)	Number of Times "Other" Reason	TOTAL
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		Was Relied Upon	
NWTRB	N/A	0	0
AGENCY OVERALL			0

#### VI.C.(4). RESPONSE TIME FOR ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS

Agency / Component	Median Number of Days	Average Number of Days	Lowest Number of Days	Highest Number of Days
NWTRB	0	0	N/A	0
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0	N/A	0

### VI.C.(5). TEN OLDEST PENDING ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS

Agency / Component		10th Oldest Appeal	9th	8th	7th	6th	5th	4th	3rd	2nd	Oldest Appeal
NWTRB	Date of Appeal	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

	Number of Days Pending	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGENCY	Date of Appeal	N/A									
OVERALL	Number of Days Pending	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

#### VII.A. FOIA REQUESTS -- RESPONSE TIME FOR ALL PROCESSED PERFECTED REQUESTS

		SIM	PLE			COM	PLEX		E	XPEDITED F	PROCESSIN	G
Agency / Component	Median Number of Days	Average Number of Days	Lowest Number of Days	Highest Number of Days	Median Number of Days	Average Number of Days	Lowest Number of Days	Highest Number of Days	Median Number of Days	Average Number of Days	Lowest Number of Days	Highest Number of Days
NWTRB	12	18	3	35	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
AGENCY OVERALL	12	18	3	35	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

VII.B. PROCESSED REQUESTS -- RESPONSE TIME FOR PERFECTED REQUESTS IN WHICH INFORMATION WAS GRANTED

		SIM	PLE			COM	IPLEX		E	XPEDITED I	PROCESSIN	G
Agency / Component	Median Number of Days	Average Number of Days	Lowest Number of Days	Highest Number of Days	Median Number of Days	Average Number of Days	Lowest Number of Days	Highest Number of Days	Median Number of Days	Average Number of Days	Lowest Number of Days	Highest Number of Days
NWTRB	12	18	3	35	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
AGENCY OVERALL	12	18	3	35	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

#### VII.C. PROCESSED SIMPLE REQUESTS -- RESPONSE TIME IN DAY INCREMENTS

Agency / Component	<1- 20 Days	21- 40 Days	41- 60 Days	61- 80 Days	81- 100 Days	101- 120 Days	121- 140 Days	141- 160 Days	161- 180 Days	181- 200 Days	201- 300 Days	301- 400 Days	401+ Days	TOTAL
NWTRB	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5
AGENCY OVERALL	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5

#### VII.C. PROCESSED COMPLEX REQUESTS -- RESPONSE TIME IN DAY INCREMENTS

Agency / Component	<1- 20 Days	21- 40 Days	41- 60 Days	61- 80 Days	81- 100 Days	101- 120 Days	121- 140 Days	141- 160 Days	161- 180 Days	181- 200 Days	201- 300 Days	301- 400 Days	401+ Days	TOTAL
NWTRB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

#### VII.C. PROCESSED REQUESTS GRANTED EXPEDITED PROCESSING -- RESPONSE TIME IN DAY INCREMENTS

Agency / Component	<1- 20 Days	21- 40 Days	41- 60 Days	61- 80 Days	81- 100 Days	101- 120 Days	121- 140 Days	141- 160 Days	161- 180 Days	181- 200 Days	201- 300 Days	301- 400 Days	401+ Days	TOTAL
NWTRB	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

#### VII.D. PENDING REQUESTS -- ALL PENDING PERFECTED REQUESTS

SIMPLE COMPLEX EXPEDITED PROCESSING		SIMPLE	COMPLEX	EXPEDITED PROCESSING
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Agency / Component	Number Pending	Median Number of Days	Average Number of Days	Number Pending	Median Number of Days	Average Number of Days	Number Pending	Median Number of Days	Average Number of Days
NWTRB	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A
AGENCY OVERALL	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	0	N/A	N/A

#### VII.E. PENDING REQUESTS -- TEN OLDEST PENDING PERFECTED REQUESTS

Agency / Component		10th Oldest Request	9th	8th	7th	6th	5th	4th	3rd	2nd	Oldest Request
	Date of Receipt	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2020- 08-24
NWTRB	Number of Days Pending	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30
AGENCY	Date of Receipt	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2020- 08-25
OVERALL	Number of Days Pending	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30

#### VIII.A. REQUESTS FOR EXPEDITED PROCESSING

Agency / Component	Number Granted	Number Denied	Median Number of Days to Adjudicate	Average Number of Days to Adjudicate	Number Adjudicated Within Ten Calendar Days
NWTRB	0	0	N/A	N/A	0
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0	N/A	N/A	0

#### VIII.B. Requests for Fee Waiver

Agency / Component	Number Granted	Number Denied	Median Number of Days to Adjudicate	Average Number of Days to Adjudicate
NWTRB	0	0	N/A	N/A
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0	N/A	N/A

#### **IX. FOIA Personnel and Costs**

		PERSONNEL		COSTS			
Agency / Component	Number of "Full-Time FOIA Employees"	Number of "Equivalent Full-Time FOIA Employees"	Total Number of "Full-Time FOIA Staff"	Processing Costs	Litigation- Related Costs	Total Costs	
NWTRB	1	0.00	1.00	3420.00	0.00	3420.00	
AGENCY OVERALL	1	0.00	1.00	3420.00	0.00	3420.00	

#### X. Fees Collected for Processing Requests

Agency / Component	Total Amount of Fees Collected	Percentage of Total Costs
NWTRB	0.00	0.0000
AGENCY OVERALL	0.00	0.0000

#### XI.A. Number of Times Subsection (C) Used

Agency / Component	Number of Times Subsection Used
NWTRB	0
AGENCY OVERALL	0

### XI.B. Number of Subsection (A)(2) Postings

Agency / Component	Number of Records Posted by the FOIA Office	Number of Records Posted by Program Offices
NWTRB	0	0
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0

XII.A. Backlogs of FOIA Requests and Administrative Appeals

Agency / Component	Number of Backlogged Requests as of End of Fiscal Year	Number of Backlogged Appeals as of End of Fiscal Year	
NWTRB	0	0	
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0	

#### XII.B. CONSULTATIONS ON FOIA REQUESTS -- RECEIVED, PROCESSED, AND PENDING CONSULTATIONS

Agency / Component	Number of Consultations Received from Other Agencies that were <u>Pending</u> at the Agency as of <u>Start</u> of the Fiscal Year	Number of Consultations <u>Received</u> from Other Agencies During the Fiscal Year	Number of Consultations Received from Other Agencies that were <u>Processed</u> by the Agency During the Fiscal Year	Number of Consultations Received from Other Agencies that were <u>Pending</u> at the Agency as of <u>End</u> of the Fiscal Year
NWTRB	0	1	0	1

AGENCY OVERALL	0	1	0	1
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#### XII.C. CONSULTATIONS ON FOIA REQUESTS -- TEN OLDEST CONSULTATIONS RECEIVED FROM OTHER AGENCIES AND PENDING AT THE AGENCY

Agency / Component		10th Oldest Consultation	9th	8th	7th	6th	5th	4th	3rd	2nd	Oldest Consultation
	Date	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2020-08-25
NWTRB	Number of Days	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	107
AGENCY	Date	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2020-08-25
OVERALL	Number of Days	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	30

# XII.D.(1). COMPARISON OF NUMBERS OF REQUESTS FROM PREVIOUS AND CURRENT ANNUAL REPORT -- REQUESTS RECEIVED AND PROCESSED

Agency /	NUMBER OF REC	UESTS <u>RECEIVED</u>	NUMBER OF REQUESTS <u>PROCESSED</u>		
Component	Number	Number	Number	Number	
	<b>Received During</b>	<b>Received During</b>	Processed	Processed	
	Fiscal Year from	Fiscal Year from	During Fiscal	During Fiscal	

	Last Year's Annual Report	Current Annual Report	Year from Last Year's Annual Report	Year from Current Annual Report
NWTRB	9	7	9	6
AGENCY OVERALL	9	7	9	6

#### XII.D.(2). COMPARISON OF NUMBERS OF REQUESTS FROM PREVIOUS AND CURRENT ANNUAL REPORT -- BACKLOGGED REQUESTS

Agency / Component	Number of Backlogged Requests as of End of the Fiscal Year from Previous Annual Report	Number of Backlogged Requests as of End of the Fiscal Year from Current Annual Report
NWTRB	0	0
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0

XII.E.(1). COMPARISON OF NUMBERS OF ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS FROM PREVIOUS AND CURRENT ANNUAL REPORT -- APPEALS RECEIVED AND PROCESSED

	NUMBER OF AP	PEALS <u>RECEIVED</u>	NUMBER OF APPEALS <u>PROCESSED</u>		
Agency / Component	Number Received During Fiscal Year from Last Year's Annual Report	Number Received During Fiscal Year from Current Annual Report	Number Processed During Fiscal Year from Last Year's Annual Report	Number Processed During Fiscal Year from Current Annual Report	
NWTRB	0	0	0	0	
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0	0	0	

XII.E.(2). COMPARISON OF NUMBERS OF ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS FROM PREVIOUS AND CURRENT ANNUAL REPORT -- BACKLOGGED APPEALS

Agency / Component	Number of Backlogged Appeals as of End of the Fiscal Year from Previous Annual Report	Number of Backlogged Appeals as of End of the Fiscal Year from Current Annual Report
NWTRB	0	0
AGENCY OVERALL	0	0