



August 26, 2020

Ms. Danielle Lang  
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Dear Ms. Lang:

This letter is in further response to your correspondence, dated September 11, 2019, to the U.S. Census Bureau's Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Office. We received your request in this office on September 11, 2019, and have assigned to it tracking number DOC-CEN-2019-002192. You amended your request on October 10, 2019 and April 21, 2020. We are responding under the FOIA to your amended request for:

1. Written communications, including but not limited to email messages, text messages, and office memoranda—that (a) contains at least one of the following search terms: “Council on American-Islamic Relations,” “Council on American Islamic Relations,” “CAIR,” “Tucker Carlson,” and (b) was sent or received between August 27, 2019 and September 10, 2019
2. Search the devices and accounts of the following custodians:

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- Dale Kelly

On September 20, 2019, we sent you an expedited and fee waiver denial.

On October 4, 2019, we sent you a fee estimate of \$1,592.

On October 24, 2019, we sent you an amended fee estimate of \$124.80 and you agreed to the fee estimate.

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On November 7, 2019, we sent you an actual fee letter for \$54.80 and on November 25, 2019, we received check for \$54.80.

On February 10, 2020, we sent you a publically available letter stating that we have responsive records located on our FOIA Library.

Enclosed are 56 pages that are responsive to your request, with withholding determinations noted. Responsive records or portions of these records are exempt from mandatory public disclosure, and are being withheld in whole or in part, under FOIA Exemption 2, Exemption 5 and Exemption 6, Title 5 United States Code Section 552. Exemption 2 protects from disclosure documents that are "related solely to the internal personnel rules and practices of an agency." Exemption 5 exempts material consisting of opinions, recommendations, and other reflections of staff thinking integral to pre-decisional, deliberative process. Exemption 6 protects from disclosure information about individuals, the release of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Based on the above information, this constitutes a partial denial of your request. You have the right to appeal this partial denial of the FOIA request. An appeal must be received within 90 calendar days of the date of this response letter. Address your appeal to the following office:

**Assistant General Counsel for Litigation, Employment and Oversight  
Room 5896  
U.S. Department of Commerce,  
1401 and Constitution Avenue, N.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20230**

An appeal may also be sent by e-mail to FOIAAppeals@doc.gov, by facsimile (fax) to 202-482-2552, or by FOIAonline, if you have an account in FOIAonline, at <https://foiaonline.regulations.gov/foia/action/public/home#>. The appeal should include a copy of the original request and initial denial, if any. All appeals should include a statement of the reasons why the records requested should be made available and why the adverse determination was in error. The appeal letter, the envelope, the e-mail subject line, and the fax cover sheet should be clearly marked "**Freedom of Information Act Appeal.**"

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In addition, you may contact the Office of Government Information Services (OGIS) at the National Archives and Records Administration to inquire about the FOIA mediation services they offer. The contact information for OGIS is as follows:

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National Archives and Records Administration  
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e-mail at [ogis@nara.gov](mailto:ogis@nara.gov)  
telephone at 202-741-5770; toll free at 1 877-684-6448  
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We will continue to process additional records and provide interim response's to you as well as appeal rights that you are entitled to. Please contact Deloris Reed by telephone at 301-763-2127 or by email at [census.efoia@census.gov](mailto:census.efoia@census.gov) if you have any questions regarding your request.

Sincerely,

*Vernon Curry*

Vernon E. Curry, PMP, CIPP/G  
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Enclosure

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**Subject:** Coming CSAC meeting  
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Friends, I'm going to schedule us a phone call to make sure we're on the same page for the coming CSAC meeting. I can't see everyone's schedules, so chime in if there are particularly good or bad times. Here are the two presentations we submitted (tjat can be updated if need be), and an email from the CSAC chair about what they want to hear.

I think we're good for the partnership presentation -- Willette and Robin are both ready, so I just shared that for awareness. But I think we should talk about our half hour. Maria will likely be unavailable, and I will sub for her. I think the plan is for me to speak only briefly, then turn over to Jack and/or Alex. But let's talk and work out the details. BOLO for an invitation.

tx!

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**Subject:** Fwd: TALKING POINTS FOR THIS MORNING  
**Date:** Friday, August 30, 2019 9:12:28 AM  
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[AT100001.htm](#)

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Our talking points for census employees this weekend. We're thinking through how Ali and Cathy Lacy handle there appearances at ISNA tomorrow.

No guidance regarding CSAC yet.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

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Updated.

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Thanks Jenn,

The attached document has a "draft" watermark embedded. Please confirm these are final and can be distributed to RDs, DRDs, etc.

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Good morning,

Please see attached talking points on CAIR for this morning for Field staff. If there are any updates, we will send them to this group. We are working on Q&As and on talking points for the 16 PS staff CRM shows have local relationships with the organization.

If anyone has any questions, please have them contact the ADCOM Issues Working Group at (b) (6)

Thanks,

Jen

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Here are the TPs that Burton just talked about in CIG, relating to CAIR.

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**When:** Friday, August 30, 2019 13:00-13:30.

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## Agenda

1. ADCAN Update

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Hi-- I'm not on the CIG invite-- Could you please send me the talking points that Burton just mentioned? Thanks very much-- Lisa H.

**Lisa Houlihan**

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Hello all,

Here is the updated weekly bureau report and the attached travel summary reports. Have a great evening!

Thanks,  
Robin

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**From:** Robin Wyvill (CENSUS/DEPDIR FED)  
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**Date:** Thursday, August 29, 2019 6:39:14 PM

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Ron

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**Subject:** AP story  
**Date:** Wednesday, September 04, 2019 10:55:05 AM

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Updated text below:

[Short-lived partnership between Census and Muslim group over](#)

The Associated Press – Mike Schneider, September 3

A partnership between the U.S. Census Bureau and an Islamic civil rights group has ended just days after it was announced, following a backlash from conservative media.

The Department of Commerce — the agency that oversees the Census Bureau — confirmed to The Associated Press on Tuesday that the Council on American-Islamic Relations would no longer be a formal partner in efforts to promote Muslim American participation in the 2020 Census. Commerce Department spokesman Kevin Manning didn't publicly offer further details.

The Muslim civil rights group, commonly referred to as CAIR, announced the partnership last Wednesday.

A nonprofit group led by journalist Steven Emerson, who has a history of making anti-CAIR statements, wrote about the partnership after it was announced. The topic was then taken up by Fox News host Tucker Carlson on his show late last week. Carlson has been the target of a boycott effort by CAIR for what the group says has been a habit of anti-Muslim statements.

Carlson said on the show that CAIR had been an unindicted co-conspirator in a Texas terrorism case more than a decade ago. CAIR and other Muslim groups have long held they were smeared by the government in the case, and a federal appeals court agreed that parts of the government's case went too far. The Washington Post, in a 2011 story evaluating the accuracy of anti-CAIR claims by Republican congressmen, concluded, "The repeated references to CAIR being an 'unindicted co-conspirator' is one of those true facts that ultimately gives a false impression."

"So, just in case you're scoring at home, here's the state of play," Carlson said on last Thursday's show. "The census is not allowed to ask anyone in our country whether they're a citizen, but they are allowed to partner with a group described as an unindicted co-conspirator to push a political agenda. Huh." Carlson then said he had been told by Commerce Department officials that the partnership was over.

The Trump administration tried to get a citizenship question on the 2020 Census, but the question was nixed by the U.S. Supreme Court and then abandoned by President Donald Trump. Civil rights groups, including CAIR, opposed the question, saying it would have discouraged participation by minorities, primarily Hispanics, who tend to support Democrats.

Ahead of next spring's head count of every person in the U.S., the Census Bureau is aiming to have 300,000 local and regional partners who will reach into hard-to-count communities and encourage participation in the 2020 census. The Census Bureau has other partners that

represent the Muslim community.

“The Department of Commerce and the Census Bureau remain committed to reaching this and other communities to fulfill the Constitutional and civic responsibility of conducting a complete and accurate count,” Manning said in a statement.

The partnerships are crucial to the Census Bureau’s outreach and have been around for the past two decennial counts, said Kenneth Prewitt, who was a director of the Census Bureau in President Bill Clinton’s administration.

“The importance of the partners is really high,” Prewitt said. “The partners function as what we call ‘trusted voices.’ They know their neighborhood. They know their population group. We take the message to them and they take it to their constituents.”

CAIR said it would continue its effort to make sure the Muslim community participates in the decennial census.

“CAIR and the American Muslim community have been the target of Islamophobic smear campaigns for decades,” Robert McCaw, CAIR’s government affairs director, said in an email. “Despite this fact, we will continue our advocacy for justice and for inclusion of all Muslims in the 2020 Census.”

FYI: Hansi....

<https://twitter.com/hansilowang/status/1169008584086228992?s=20>

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**To:** (b) (6)  
**Cc:** [Steven Dillingham \(CENSUS/DEPDIR FED\)](#)  
**Subject:** CAIR  
**Date:** Thursday, August 29, 2019 6:39:13 PM

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Karen,

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Thanks

Ron

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**To:** [Steven Dillingham \(CENSUS/DEPDIR FED\)](#); [Ron S Jarmin \(CENSUS/DEPDIR FED\)](#)  
**Subject:** Fw: AP CAIR Inquiry  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 03, 2019 10:20:22 AM

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**From:** Schneider, Michael <[MSchneider@ap.org](mailto:MSchneider@ap.org)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 03, 2019 9:12 AM  
**To:** Manning, Kevin (Federal) <[KManning@doc.gov](mailto:KManning@doc.gov)>  
**Subject:** Associated Press question

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Hope you had a nice holiday weekend.

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Associated Press

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**Subject:** Fw: Press release  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 03, 2019 11:19:52 AM

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**From:** Steven Dillingham (CENSUS/DEPDIR FED)  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 3, 2019 8:51 AM  
**To:** Ali Mohammad Ahmad (CENSUS/ADCOM FED) <ali.m.ahmad@census.gov>  
**Subject:** Re: Press release

thx. As thought, the press release references formal (v. informal) partnership with agency (v. decennial census activity - i.e., complete and accurate count), thus creating confusion.

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**From:** Ali Mohammad Ahmad (CENSUS/ADCOM FED) <ali.m.ahmad@census.gov>  
**Sent:** Monday, September 2, 2019 12:39 PM  
**To:** Steven Dillingham (CENSUS/DEPDIR FED) <steven.dillingham@census.gov>  
**Subject:** Press release

[https://www.cair.com/cair\\_announces\\_formal\\_partnership\\_with\\_census\\_bureau\\_to\\_promote\\_u\\_s\\_2020\\_census](https://www.cair.com/cair_announces_formal_partnership_with_census_bureau_to_promote_u_s_2020_census)

**From:** [Steven Dillingham \(CENSUS/DEPDIR FED\)](#)  
**To:** [Joske Bautista \(CENSUS/DEPDIR FED\)](#)  
**Subject:** Fw: Transcript  
**Date:** Friday, August 30, 2019 12:57:55 PM

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**Sent:** Thursday, August 29, 2019 9:08 PM  
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**To:** [Steven Dillingham \(CENSUS/DEPDIR FED\)](#)  
**Subject:** Fwd: Partners List  
**Date:** Friday, August 30, 2019 10:33:38 AM  
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<[Stephen.L.Buckner@census.gov](mailto:Stephen.L.Buckner@census.gov)>  
**Subject: Partners List**

Please see attached and let me know any questions.

Regards,

**Zack Schwartz**

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**Hansi Lo Wang** ([@hansilowang](#))

[9/3/19, 6:05 PM](#)

NEW: Commerce Dept has ended recently announced [#2020Census](#) partnership with the largest Muslim civil rights & advocacy organization in the U.S. -- the Council on American-Islamic Relations -- [@CAIRNational](#)'s government affairs director, [@RobertSMcCaw](#), confirms to [@NPR](#).

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**Subject:** Re: AP CAIR Inquiry  
**Date:** Tuesday, September 03, 2019 10:42:44 AM

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I'll try to finish up my 11AM meeting early.

**Ron S Jarmin, PhD.**, Deputy Director  
U.S. Census Bureau  
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**To:** [Ali Mohammad Ahmad \(CENSUS/ADCOM FED\)](mailto:Ali.Mohammad.Ahmad@CENSUS/ADCOM.FED)  
**Subject:** Re: Partner as synonym of supporter - quick check  
**Date:** Saturday, August 31, 2019 1:23:02 PM

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Thx

Sent from my iPhone

On Aug 30, 2019, at 2:49 PM, Ali Mohammad Ahmad (CENSUS/ADCOM FED) <[ali.m.ahmad@census.gov](mailto:ali.m.ahmad@census.gov)> wrote:

Call with CAIR was productive- principally wanted to make sure they didn't just get prohibited from working with complete count committees at state and local and we clarified that those are efforts independent.

Can talk more later but need to update full comms team.

On Aug 30, 2019, at 2:45 PM, Steven Dillingham (CENSUS/DEPDIR FED) <[steven.dillingham@census.gov](mailto:steven.dillingham@census.gov)> wrote:

### **Selected Definitions and Uses of “Partner” or “Partnership”**

**(According to various dictionaries, the terms above frequently are used synonymously with “supporter” or in the same context.)**

#### **Among the definitions:**

- **One associated with another especially in an action: e.g., [associate, colleague](https://www.merriam-webster.com/dictionary/partner) our military partners throughout the world (Merriam Webster) <https://www.merriam-webster.com/dictionary/partner>**

[Merriam-Webster also lists “**partner**” and “**encourager**” as words *related to* “**supporter**”

- **One of two people who do something together or are *closely involved in some way*: e.g., Children, hold your partner’s hand when you cross the street (Cambridge dictionary) <https://dictionary.cambridge.org/us/dictionary/english/partner>**

- **1. Either of a pair of people engaged together in the same activity: e.g.,**

‘arrange the children in pairs so that each person has a partner’

‘the striker looked sharp and eager as Jackson's partner in attack’

‘she and her dance partner were on the show for seven weeks’

- 1.1 **A person or group that takes part with another or others in doing something:** e.g.,

‘he began to call potential coalition partners about forming a new government’

‘Scotland is the rest of the UK's second biggest trading partner’ (Oxford dictionaries)

<https://www.lexico.com/en/definition/partner>

[Thesarus.com](https://www.thesaurus.com/browse/partner/3) lists “**supporter**” among synonyms for “**partner**”  
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### **Synonyms of 'partner':**

[\*Explore 'partner' in the dictionary\*](#)

1 (noun) in the sense of spouse. Definition: either member of a couple in a relationship; e.g.,

**His partner has been an important source of support.**

<https://www.collinsdictionary.com/us/dictionary/english-thesaurus/partner>

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**Subject:** The Director's Weekly Bureau Report (8/26)

Hi Steve,

On behalf of Christa...

Here is this week's bureau report and the attached travel summary reports.

Thanks,  
Robin

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**From:** [Ali Mohammad Ahmad \(CENSUS/ADCOM FED\)](#)  
**To:** [DEPDIR 2020 Hot Topics List](#)  
**Subject:** Fwd: Tweet by Hansi Lo Wang on Twitter  
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NEW: Commerce Dept has ended recently announced [#2020Census](#) partnership with the largest Muslim civil rights & advocacy organization in the U.S. -- the Council on American-Islamic Relations -- [@CAIRNational](#)'s government affairs director, [@RobertSMcCaw](#), confirms to [@NPR](#).

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**Subject:** NEW TALKING POINTS FOR THIS MORNING  
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All, yesterday evening there was a news story on the Tucker Carlson regarding the Census Bureau ending its partnership with CAIR. Attached are talking points from ADCOM. Please see the message below. This information will be disseminated to Partnership Staff.

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**Subject:** TALKING POINTS FOR THIS MORNING

Good morning,

Please see attached talking points on CAIR for this morning for Field staff. If there are any updates, we will send them to this group. We are working on Q&As and on talking points for the 16 PS staff CRM shows have local relationships with the organization.

If anyone has any questions, please have them contact the ADCOM Issues Working Group at

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Thanks,

Jen

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Here are the TPs that Burton just talked about in CIG, relating to CAIR.

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**Subject:** Re: Follow-up CAIR News-Partners  
**Date:** Friday, August 30, 2019 6:31:16 PM

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Thanks for the loop, Dale. If anything comes of any of this please let us know but it sounds benign.

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On Aug 30, 2019, at 18:25, Dale C Kelly (CENSUS/FLD FED) <[Dale.C.Kelly@census.gov](mailto:Dale.C.Kelly@census.gov)> wrote:

Julie, looping in the the right people via the email list.

On Aug 30, 2019, at 6:19 PM, Julie A Lam (CENSUS/LA FED) <[julie.a.lam@2020census.gov](mailto:julie.a.lam@2020census.gov)> wrote:

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Please see a light inquiry of the CAIR story.

This did not yield an official response

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Hi Virginia,

I spoke to the Partnership Specialist, Sharlette Poe, in Hawaii who brought the CAIR inquiry to my attention. It turns out that the two groups that asked her about the CAIR story -- Hui Kulike Kakou and Kupuna (elders) -- were doing so informally (See email below.)

Sharlette has had a relationship with the groups prior to joining the Census but is now engaging them to become 2020 Census partners. So they are currently not formal collaborators.

Let me know if you need anything else on this.

Thanks,

Peter

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**Subject:** Re: Census news

Aloha Peter,

As I explained on the phone both were very informal quick inquiries, non confrontational and not in a challenging way either. But I thought it was a great time to stay as ahead of the questions as we are able so no one is caught off guard or flat footed.

One was from a good friend of mine in a Hawaiian group called Hui Kulike Kakou, and the other was from Kupuna (elders) that gather every Friday mornings at our local Burger King to talk story, play music, do Hawaiian arts and crafts sometimes, and interact with one another (they are from different community groups), with visitors and with younger generations. Sometimes even our pre-schools go there on field trips for intergenerational activities.

I hope this helps.  
Mahalo,  
Shar

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On August 30, 2019 at 8:08:33 AM HST, Peter A Griffith (CENSUS/LA FED) <[peter.a.griffith@2020census.gov](mailto:peter.a.griffith@2020census.gov)> wrote:

Hi Shar,

Can you please let me know exactly which partners inquired about the CAIR story? PIO would like to know as they are tracking this issue.

Thanks,

Peter

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Jeffrey C Enos (CENSUS/LA FED) <[jeffrey.c.enos@2020census.gov](mailto:jeffrey.c.enos@2020census.gov)>  
**Subject:** Fwd: Follow-up CAIR News-Partners

Please see a light inquiry of the CAIR story.

This did not yield an official response

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<[peter.a.griffith@2020census.gov](mailto:peter.a.griffith@2020census.gov)>  
**Date:** August 30, 2019 at 11:57:43 AM PDT  
**Subject:** Follow-up CAIR News-Partners  
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**Cc:** Donald C Bendz (CENSUS/LA FED)  
<[donald.c.bendz@2020census.gov](mailto:donald.c.bendz@2020census.gov)>

Hi Virginia,

I spoke to the Partnership Specialist, Sharlette Poe, in Hawaii who brought the CAIR inquiry to my attention. It turns out that the two groups that asked her about the CAIR story -- Hui Kulike Kakou and Kupuna (elders) -- were doing so informally (See email below.)

Sharlette has had a relationship with the groups prior to joining the Census but is now engaging them to become 2020 Census partners. So they are currently not formal collaborators.

Let me know if you need anything else on this.

Thanks,

Peter

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**To:** Peter A Griffith (CENSUS/LA FED) <[peter.a.griffith@2020census.gov](mailto:peter.a.griffith@2020census.gov)>

**Subject:** Re: Census news

Aloha Peter,

As I explained on the phone both were very informal quick inquiries, non confrontational and not in a challenging way either. But I thought it was a great time to stay as ahead of the questions as we are able so no one is caught off guard or flat footed.

One was from a good friend of mine in a Hawaiian group called Hui Kulike Kakou, and the other was from Kupuna (elders) that gather every Friday mornings at our local Burger King to talk story, play music, do Hawaiian arts and crafts sometimes, and interact with one another (they are from different community groups), with visitors and with younger generations. Sometimes even our pre-schools go there on field trips for intergenerational activities.

I hope this helps.

Mahalo,

Shar

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On August 30, 2019 at 8:08:33 AM HST, Peter A Griffith (CENSUS/LA FED) <[peter.a.griffith@2020census.gov](mailto:peter.a.griffith@2020census.gov)> wrote:

Hi Shar,

Can you please let me know exactly which partners inquired about the CAIR story? PIO would like to know as they are tracking this issue.

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Smart move.

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On Aug 31, 2019, at 2:05 PM, James T Christy (CENSUS/LA FED)  
<[James.T.Christy@census.gov](mailto:James.T.Christy@census.gov)> wrote:

Just FYI that we are looping in the Philadelphia region on hurricane prep also.  
Storm is moving sharply north.

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**Subject:** Transcript  
**Date:** Thursday, August 29, 2019 9:08:53 PM

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This is a rough transcript of what happened tonight. It was longer and talked about some of the organizations past-but this is the relevant part. Full transcript or a clip sent when avail

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Station: Fox News

Date: 8/29/2019 8:47:39 PM - 8:57:39 PM

Tucker: CAIR pops up and announces in a press release the census are partnering with them to promote participation in the 2020 census... Here the census isn't allowed ask if you are a citizen but they're allowed to group with a partner like CAIR, an unindicted coconspirator to push political agenda. When we brought this to the attention of the Commerce Department, it reconsidered. They gave us this statement, "based on further review, the census bureau is no longer partnering with CAIR" That's about as welcome a response as we could help for...