

**From:** [President Waded Cruzado](#)  
**To:** [Gillilan, Kevin](#)  
**Cc:** [Ellig, Tracy](#); [Peterson, Kellie](#); [Leist, Terry](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Mandates  
**Date:** Friday, September 17, 2021 4:28:20 PM

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Thank you

On Sep 17, 2021, at 4:14 PM, Gillilan, Kevin <[kevin.gillilan@montana.edu](mailto:kevin.gillilan@montana.edu)> wrote:

Thanks President Cruzado. I do have some evidence that there are insiders stirring the pot and feeding info from faculty/staff. Unfortunate.

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Dr. Kevin Gillilan  
Chief of Police  
Montana State University  
406-994-4788

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**From:** President Waded Cruzado <[wacruzado@montana.edu](mailto:wacruzado@montana.edu)>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 17, 2021 4:13:05 PM  
**To:** Gillilan, Kevin <[kevin.gillilan@montana.edu](mailto:kevin.gillilan@montana.edu)>  
**Cc:** Ellig, Tracy <[tellig@montana.edu](mailto:tellig@montana.edu)>; Peterson, Kellie <[kellie.peterson@montana.edu](mailto:kellie.peterson@montana.edu)>; Leist, Terry <[tleist@montana.edu](mailto:tleist@montana.edu)>  
**Subject:** Re: Mandates

Chief,

I am not sure he would send it to all Faculty Senators, but only those whom he thinks al will be sympathetic to his cause. My humble opinion.

Waded

On Sep 17, 2021, at 4:10 PM, Gillilan, Kevin <[kevin.gillilan@montana.edu](mailto:kevin.gillilan@montana.edu)> wrote:

My thoughts exactly.

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**From:** Ellig, Tracy <[tellig@montana.edu](mailto:tellig@montana.edu)>  
**Sent:** Friday, September 17, 2021 4:09:25 PM  
**To:** Gillilan, Kevin <[kevin.gillilan@montana.edu](mailto:kevin.gillilan@montana.edu)>; President Waded Cruzado

<wcruzado@montana.edu>; Peterson, Kellie <kellie.peterson@montana.edu>; Leist, Terry <tleist@montana.edu>

**Subject:** RE: Mandates

Received. This suggest to me he is sending the same message to all the members of the Faculty Senate.

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**From:** Gillilan, Kevin <kevin.gillilan@montana.edu>

**Sent:** Friday, September 17, 2021 4:08 PM

**To:** President Waded Cruzado <wcruzado@montana.edu>; Ellig, Tracy <tellig@montana.edu>; Peterson, Kellie <kellie.peterson@montana.edu>; Leist, Terry <tleist@montana.edu>

**Subject:** Fwd: Mandates

FYI...

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**From:** Dylan Dean <[dylan.dean@yaliberty.org](mailto:dylan.dean@yaliberty.org)>

**Sent:** Friday, September 17, 2021 4:01 PM

**To:** [REDACTED]

**Subject:** Mandates

[REDACTED]

Since you're on the faculty senate, I was wondering your stance on the vaccine mandate being proposed currently.

Thanks,

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Dylan Dean  
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## Mandates

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[REDACTED] <[REDACTED]>  
To: Dylan Dean <dylan.dean@yaliberty.org>

Mon, Jun 20, 2022 at 7:10 AM

Dylan,  
I did not forward your email to anyone.  
Please keep in touch.



On Sun, Jun 19, 2022, 9:08 PM Dylan Dean <dylan.dean@yaliberty.org> wrote:

**\*\*External Sender\*\***



Here's the email I mentioned today. If you could let me know whether you did forward this to anyone, that would be very helpful for my dealings with the Office of Legal Counsel.

Thanks,

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On Fri, Sep 17, 2021, 4:00 PM Dylan Dean <dylan.dean@yaliberty.org> wrote:



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Thanks,

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## University Police Email Access

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**Knutson, Ryan** <rknutson@montana.edu>  
To: Dylan Dean <dylan.dean@yaliberty.org>

Fri, Oct 7, 2022 at 10:28 AM

Dylan,

I can only speak to the authority granted by the Policy that allows access to University resources of which email is included. Utilization of the access granted by policy would be specific to each individual event.

Thank you,

**Ryan Knutson Ed.D**

Vice President, Information Technology/CIO

Montana State University

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**From:** Dylan Dean <dylan.dean@yaliberty.org>  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 6, 2022 4:51 PM  
**To:** Knutson, Ryan <rknutson@montana.edu>  
**Subject:** Re: University Police Email Access

**\*\*External Sender\*\***

Thank you for that, I had been looking for the relevant policy. Can you tell me if an email being forwarded by someone other than the recipient is consistent with that type of monitoring?

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On Thu, Oct 6, 2022, 4:30 PM Knutson, Ryan <[rknutson@montana.edu](mailto:rknutson@montana.edu)> wrote:

Dylan,

I cannot speak to the specifics of the situation as this precedes my time at MSU. However, I can tell you that our policy allows for such monitoring of our email system. Please see [Board of Regents Policy 1302](#). Under the Requirements section, the policy provides:

*The data contained on those computers and transmitted on those networks are presumed to be MUS property unless MUS's rights are otherwise limited by law, policy, or contract. In any case, the data contained on those computers and transmitted on those networks is subject to monitoring and/or copying by the MUS. That is, in order to meet its obligations, the MUS, through individuals operating within the course of their legitimate job duties, may periodically, routinely, or for a specific purpose monitor activity on its computers and network.*

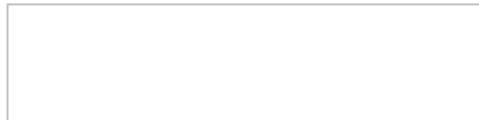
Each time an employee logs on to a University Computer they are provided with a similar notice that the use of the system is for government purposes and subject to monitoring. University employees have no reasonable expectation of privacy in emails sent or received on the MSU system.

**Ryan Knutson Ed.D**

Vice President, Information Technology/CIO

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**From:** Dylan Dean <[dylan.dean@yaliberty.org](mailto:dylan.dean@yaliberty.org)>

**Sent:** Thursday, October 6, 2022 8:00 AM

**To:** Knutson, Ryan <[rknutson@montana.edu](mailto:rknutson@montana.edu)>

**Subject:** University Police Email Access

**\*\*External Sender\*\***

Dr. Knutson,

I'm emailing for any information you have regarding University Police accessing an email between myself and a professor on September 17, 2021. I've attached a record of the email in question.

Thanks,

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