

“There are two letters the Cobb group, Citizens for Governmental Transparency (CGT), sent to the Cobb Board of Commissioners. The first requesting a delay in the initial vote regarding the Braves MOU, in order to get many questions answered. The second contains a list of the questions, subsequent to the affirmative vote. Neither letter was responded to adequately and the Cobb BOC continues to operate, in regards to the Braves deal, without adequate transparency or accountability.

CGT continues to press the BOC and will be taking further steps to get these and other questions, which have since arisen, answered. A town hall meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, February 18th. Various member groups are also considering filing ethics complaints and taking legal action. The Cobb Public Safety Director and a Parks & Recreation Board Member have resigned due in part to the drain in resources which the public funding of the Braves move will cause. Allegations of conflicts of interest are surfacing.”