



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
Washington, DC 20463

MEMORANDUM

TO: The Commission

FROM: Office of the Commission Secretary *LC*

DATE: July 26, 2022

SUBJECT: AO 2022-14 (Google LLC) 11 Individual Comments

Attached are 11 individual comments on AO 2022-14 (Google LLC).

Attachment

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By Office of the Commission Secretary at 11:32 am, Jul 26, 2022

From: [Mickey Moman](#)
To: [AO](#)
Subject: AO 2022-14
Date: Monday, July 25, 2022 11:37:48 PM

I am opposed to Google's request regarding spam emails.
Enough already!!!

Mickey Moman


From: [Tawney Mazek](#)
To: [AO](#)
Subject: AO 2022-14
Date: Tuesday, July 26, 2022 10:01:01 AM

Re: AO 2022-14

Unsolicited political emails ARE spam. They are advertising. All the stupid phone calls are a thousand times more than enough. Please don't allow Google to send such emails to my inbox.

Tawney Mazek

From: [Cyndi Allen](#)
To: [AQ](#)
Subject: AO 2022-14
Date: Tuesday, July 26, 2022 10:12:38 AM

This is an appalling idea. I cannot imagine opening my Gmail account and seeing LITERALLY hundreds of political emails - potentially every day. I'm sure you're aware that these political parties will augment their email addresses continuously to bypass the "opt out" choice.

Such an awful idea. It doesn't matter which political party - I don't want to get emails from them.

Should this crazy idea be implemented I will delete ALL of my google accounts, files, photos, and stop using any Google products.

Please, for all that is good in this world, do not allow this to happen.

Cyndi Allen



IAABC Member, AKC CGC Evaluator

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From: [RITA ORT](#)
To: [AO](#)
Subject: AO 2022-14
Date: Tuesday, July 26, 2022 10:22:43 AM

GMAIL is for MAIL not political views or comments. There are enough platforms that they are using already like Facebook, twitter, tik tok, etc. VOTE no on this -- AO 2022-14

Thank you,

Rita Ort

From: [NRP](#)
To: [AO](#)
Subject: AO 2022-14
Date: Monday, July 25, 2022 10:02:07 PM

I oppose Google's plan to have an automated "no spam" policy for political emails. I do not want ANY political emails in my inbox. Please send all to spam.
Thanks.

From: [Andrea Kearns](#)
To: [AQ](#)
Date: Tuesday, July 26, 2022 9:02:56 AM

Dear FEC, we as a society are living daily and without any choice a constant invasion of our privacy and a constant feeding of purely harmful information. We all new decades ago the power that this type of technology has if it became our only source for information in especially when it is now in every single aspect of our lives. It was rolled out without properly informing the public of it's capabilities and sold as a toy an amusement as though there could be no consequence with it's use along with this direct knowledge it was allowed to operate without parameters without rules and above all ethics. The other issue is it's burden of cost to us all, we pay exorbitant prices for what is now to us a necessity for any and all forms of communication. In addition are it's uses.....it's wiped out employment without thought for the society it would effect and for the most part has been used and produced so products would have to keep on being produced over unacceptable short life spans, a constant burden and all this production does not amount to enough employment prospects for a society. The environmental impact and the inhumane practices to produce what is requires d to make and create these mostly useless goods is a monumental flaw which all governments need to share responsibility. Sincerely, the vast majority.....

From: [Evie Kosower](#)
To: [AQ](#)
Subject: No unsolicited Google spam, please. No to AO 2022 -14
Date: Tuesday, July 26, 2022 10:23:15 AM

Sent from [Mail](#) for Windows

From: [Kerry Rego](#)
To: [AO](#)
Subject: Re: Google's request AO 2022-14
Date: Monday, July 25, 2022 8:38:55 PM

I'd like to register my concern about Google's request AO 2022-14. Allowing political emails into inboxes of Gmail seems like an unfair prioritization of politics in communication.

Citizens have the right to vote and consumers have the right to privacy. Allowing political campaigns to circumvent the spam folder out of fear that it's impinging on citizens' rights to know is farfetched. The FTC's protection of consumers is the more important issue at stake because citizens still have plenty of access to information so that they can be informed voters and they still have CHOICE. They do not need the spam override to become educated.

Please consider consumer privacy and keep politicians out of Gmail inboxes.

Sincerely,
Kerry Rego

Kerry Rego



From: [Ehren Borg](#)
To: [AQ](#)
Subject: Ref #: AO 2022-14
Date: Monday, July 25, 2022 5:09:27 PM

I already receive too much political email where senders do not honor (or are very slow to) unsubscribe requests, share mailing lists, and other actions that do not ask permission from me to opt in to receive these emails.

The worst part of this really terrible proposal is that it could potentially give one political party unfair and dangerous advantage over any and all others. This is clearly an example of yet another giant corporation crafting anti-democratic legislation to inject into our lives. Profits go up for Gmail, and we the people are left with a raging dumpster fire.

Please say NO to this awful, terrible proposal. Thank you.

Sincerely,
Ehren Borg

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Ehren Borg



From: [Richard Steele](#)
To: [AQ](#)
Subject: Stop Gmail's political spam
Date: Monday, July 25, 2022 7:20:32 PM

Request that you take the necessary actions to stop Gmail's political spam. Thank you it will relieve me of unwanted spam.
Thank You

Sent from my iPad

From: Cindy Sellati
To: [AO](#)
Subject: AO 2022-14
Date: Tuesday, July 26, 2022 6:36:58 AM

I, Cindy Sellati Nimmer, strongly oppose the FEC to override spam settings which would potentially flood my inbox with political messages. I am a registered Republican and I still do not want this. My inbox is already overrun with spam bot emails trying to steal my soul... ok, maybe just my identity and money but it's exhausting nonetheless.

Please heed the overwhelming wants of the public and not just the politicians.

-Cindy Sellati Nimmer