



# PUBLIC INTEREST DECLASSIFICATION BOARD

Thursday, December 8, 2016

9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

National Archives and Records Administration

Archivists Reception Room

## Public Meeting

- 9:00 – 9:05      Welcome from PIDB Chair Trevor W. Morrison & Vice Chair William Leary
- 9:05 – 9:15      Remarks from The Honorable David Ferriero, Archivist of the United States
- 9:15 – 9:35      Keynote Address: Alexander W. Joel, Chief of the Office of Civil Liberties, Privacy and Transparency for the Office of the Director of National Intelligence
- 9:35 – 9:45      *Building on the Successes of the National Declassification Center*  
Sheryl Shenberger, Director, National Declassification Center, National Archives and Records Administration
- 9:45 – 10:25      *Transforming the Security Classification System by Reducing Over-classification, Improving Declassification, and Ensuring a Credible and Transparent System: Proposed Changes to the Executive Order*
- Remarks from Civil Society Participants  
(Participant White Papers Available: <https://transforming-classification.blogs.archives.gov/>)
- Patrice McDermott, OpenTheGovernment.org  
Nate Jones, National Security Archive  
Elizabeth Goitein, The Brennan Center for Justice  
Steven Aftergood, Federation of American Scientists
- 10:25 – 11:00      Open Dialog      PIDB Members and the Audience
- 11:00      Adjournment