

Freedom of Information Act Request Report

DATE: September 29, 2026

Date of Request	Organization	Requestor Name	Requested Description
8/28/26	Coalition Opposing Governmental Secrecy	Catarina Mascarenhas	To Whom It May Concern, My name is Catarina Mascarenhas and I am writing to you as a news reporter from/on behalf of a news publication, and on behalf of the Coalition Opposing Governmental Secrecy. The below request is made pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140, and I request the disclosure of the records described below, preferably in electronic format. We seek the following existing records concerning teachers who retired at the end of the 2025-2026 school year and teachers newly hired for the 2026-2027 school year: 1. Existing records showing teachers who retired from the district during or at the end of the 2025-2026 school year, including but not limited to retirement lists, personnel action reports, and board-approved personnel items, and any data extract of those records showing name, position, subject or grade assignment, school, and effective date. 2. Existing records showing teachers newly hired by the district for the 2026-2027 school year, including but not limited to new-hire lists, personnel action reports, and board-approved personnel items, and any data extract of those records showing name, position, subject or grade assignment, school, and start date. Please furnish the records in the electronic format requested where feasible. Please Note: The requestor is (or is a member of) The Coalition Opposing Governmental Secrecy, a 501(c)(3) Non-Profit Missouri Corporation which assists news media companies, publications, and public advocacy groups investigate state and federal governmental agencies and leverages Freedom of Information and Sunshine Laws to pull back the curtain on government actions and help inform the American electorate. For more information, please visit https://stopsecrecy.org/about/. This request is for a non-commercial purpose and the requestor(s) is(are) subject to a fee waiver.
9/4/2026	Public Info Access LLC	CT Mills	Dear Records Officer, Pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) – 5 ILCS 140/1 et seq., I respectfully request copies of any existing records showing district-issued direct work telephone numbers, direct dial lines, or work extensions for employees currently serving in the district's Central Office / District Administration Office. This request is limited to official district work contact numbers only. I am not requesting personal cell phone numbers, home phone numbers, or privately maintained contact information. If this information is maintained in a staff directory, central office phone list, internal contact list, telecommunications record, or similar existing record, an electronic copy is sufficient. If any portion is denied, please cite the specific statutory basis and release all reasonably segregable non-exempt portions. This request is made for non-commercial, informational purposes. Electronic delivery by email is preferred. Sincerely, CT Mills Public Info Access LLC
9/10/2026	Starbridge	Justin	I am requesting public records detailing financial transactions, specifically: All purchase orders and/or payment records for non-person/vendor entities (e.g., companies, organizations, contractors) made by (Lake Bluff Elementary School District 65 from January 1, 2025, to the present, including at a minimum: • Purchase date • Vendor name • Description of purchase • Line item quantity • Line item price/amount If vendor names are coded in the file, please provide a vendor list with the corresponding codes.