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June 24, 2025

Owen Wang
West Cook News

Communicated via email to: news@westcooknews.com

Dear Owen Wang:

This letter is in response to your electronic *Freedom of Information Action* (FOIA) request received in my office on June 18, 2025.

Request: 1) A list of all graduates in the past 5 school years with the following fields:

- Graduation years
- Names
- Hometown
- Gender

Response:

Your request for all student information for graduates for a five-year period of time covering graduation years, names, hometown and gender is an unduly burdensome request for the District. Compiling this information would require the District to review, modify and aggregate many hundreds of individual student information files. The District operates with a limited administrative staff, facing other pressing priorities with the end of the fiscal year, summer projects, and the registration process.

Pursuant to FOIA, you have an opportunity to confer with us to attempt to reduce the request to manageable proportions. Please note that should you not wish to reduce your request to manageable proportions, this response is a denial of your request for information. Please note additionally that any modified request remains subject to evaluation under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act to determine whether any modified request remains unduly burdensome, the timeframe for responding to any request, and what fees may be associated with the request, as well as whether records responsive to the modified request are exempt from disclosure or subject to redaction. When a request for public records is denied, the requester has the right to seek a review by the Office of the Attorney General's Public Access Counselor, who can be contacted as follows:

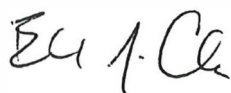
Public Access Counselor, Office of the Attorney General
500 South 2nd Street, Springfield, Illinois 62701
Phone: (877) 299-3642 / Fax: (217) 782-1396
E-mail: public.access@ilag.gov

You also have the right to judicial review of this decision under Section 11 of FOIA.

As Superintendent of the District, I am responsible for granting and denying the requests for records under the Freedom of Information Act. Please be aware that this response to your request is pursuant to my understanding of your FOIA request.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "E. J. Condon". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first and last names being more prominent.

Edward J. Condon, PhD
Superintendent

From: news@westcooknews.com
Subject: FOIA Request- Illinois School District last 5 years graduates
Date: June 18, 2025 at 10:28 AM
To: condone@district90.org



To whom it may concern,

I am a news reporter from West Cook News, a media organization committed to providing comprehensive and accurate news coverage on local governmental affairs.

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Please let me know if you have any questions,

Owen Wang,

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