

Catherine Chang

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**From:** Catherine Chang  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 23, 2015 9:31 PM  
**To:** 'Patrick McCraney'  
**Subject:** RE: FOIA  
**Attachments:** Negotiated Contract 2010-2015.pdf; Administrators Contract.pdf; SDB2016FORM.pdf; Employees as of 092315.pdf

Dear Mr. McCraney,

Thank you for writing to Pleasantdale School District 107 with your request for information, dated September 16, 2015, pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 et seq. Specifically, you requested copies of:

- 1) Any and all current collective bargaining agreements, including but not limited to union contracts with teachers.
- 2) Any and all employment/personnel agreements and contracts with current administrators, including but not limited to superintendents and principals.
- 3) The approved operating and capital budgets for the 2015-16 school year.
- 4) Any and all legal settlements entered into, signed, or otherwise adopted from January 1, 2014 to present.
- 5) Documents sufficient to show the names and corresponding job titles and salaries of any and all employees and board members as of today. (In other words, the current payroll records that include names, positions and pay for all employees, not just teachers and administrators).

Attached please find copies of the Professional Agreement for 2010-2015 (the Union is still operating under an expired contract), all contracts with current administrators, the approved budget for the 2015-2016 school year, and a pdf file showing the names of all employees and their corresponding job titles and salaries as of today. Pleasantdale School District 107 does not have any legal settlements entered into, signed, or otherwise adopted from January 1, 2014 to present.

Sincerely,  
Catherine Chang  
Freedom of Information Officer  
Pleasantdale School District 107  
708-784-2172

cc: Board of Education  
Dr. Palzet, Superintendent

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**From:** Patrick McCraney [mailto:pmccraney@bettergov.org]  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 16, 2015 2:34 PM  
**To:** foia officer  
**Subject:** FOIA

Dear FOIA officer,

This is Patrick McCraney at the Better Government Association with a request for documents under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act.

Specifically, under FOIA, I am requesting copies of:

- 1.) Collective Bargaining Agreements:** Any and all current collective bargaining agreements, including but not limited to union contracts with teachers. If a union is currently operating under an expired contract, please include it.
- 2.) Administrator Contracts:** Any and all employment/personnel agreements and contracts with current administrators, including but not limited to superintendents and principals.
- 3.) Budget:** The approved operating and capital budgets for the 2015-16 school year.

**4.) Legal Settlements:** Any and all legal settlements entered into, signed, or otherwise adopted from January 1, 2014 to present.

**5.) Payroll:** Documents sufficient to show the **names and corresponding job titles and salaries of any and all district employees and board members** as of today (In other words, the current payroll records that include names, positions and pay for all employees, **not just teachers and administrators**).

Please provide all documents in PDF format.

I am making this request on behalf of the Better Government Association (BGA). The BGA is a registered-non profit organization in the State of Illinois.

The principal purpose of this request is to access and disseminate information concerning news and current or passing events for articles of opinion or features of interest to the public regarding the health, safety and welfare or the legal rights of the general public. The information sought will not be used for sale, resale, or solicitation or advertisement for sales or services.

This request is not made for commercial or personal purposes. More information about the BGA is available on the BGA website, [www.bettergov.org](http://www.bettergov.org), and on file with the Illinois Secretary of State. I ask that you waive fees as the law allows.

For any written correspondence, please use this address: Patrick McCraney, 7756 Green Valley Ct, Darien, IL 60561. **However, in the interest of saving money and paper, I ask that you send all responses to my email address:**[pmccraney@bettergov.org](mailto:pmccraney@bettergov.org).

Please call or email with any questions. I look forward to your response within five business days as required by law.

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