

Name: Michael F. Henry

Organization: N/A

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Subject: Freedom Of Information Request

Date: February 9, 2026

Dear Michael F. Henry,

Thank you for reaching out to Winfield School District 34 with your Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request, as per the Illinois FOIA statute (5 ILCS 140/1 et seq.).

Summary of Your Request (2/5/26):

You requested the following public records:

1. From 2019 Please give the firm and name of the District's Primary Attorney. if no primary Attorney Please list all Firms and Attorneys employed by
2. your School District from Jan 1, 2019 Forward
3. From 2019 thru the present please provide Documentation the District Complied with Illinois law and Performed the Background
4. checks the District Superintendent is supposed to perform of who ever is designated to perform
5. The Background Checks for Board members Prior to them being Goven the Oath Of Office.
6. Please Provide the background reports as Required under Illinois Law for each School Board elected in the State Of Illinois from 2010 Present,
7. Performed by Each of the Government Entities in this Email.

Response to Your Request:

The District has conducted a reasonable search and determined that no responsive records exist, as the District is not required to conduct background checks on Board members.

In response to the request regarding the name of the District's attorney, the District is represented by James Levy of Hodges, Loizzi, Eisenhammer, Rodick & Kohn LLP (HLERK).

This response fulfills your request within the five-business-day timeframe mandated by the Illinois FOIA. Should you have any additional questions or need further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Thank you for your inquiry.

Best regards,

Amanda Melsa

FOIA Officer

Winfield School District 34