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September 11, 2017

Nick Binotti

Communicated via email to: nbinotti@gmail.com

Dear Mr. Binotti:

This letter is in response to your electronic *Freedom of Information Action* (FOIA) request received in my office on September 7, 2017.

**Request:** Related to my last request, I would like to get historical data to track the evolution of this benefit.

- Please provide the exact amount or percentage of salary that constitutes that portion the Board picks up of each teacher's required contributions to the TRS for each contract between The Board of Education of School District 90 and The River Forest Education Association back to 2000.
- If there are any contracts that specify the exact amount of this benefit, can you please provide a copy of that page of the contract?

Previous Request: Per the negotiated contract between The Board of Education of School District 90 and The River Forest Education Association 2017-2020, Section 9.7 TRS Contributions, there is a clause that states "The Board will pick up portion of each teacher's required contributions to the TRS in the same manner as it did in the 2016-17 school year..." However, that exact amount is not indicated on the previous contract, which also references its preceding contract.

Please provide the exact amount or percentage of salary that constitutes that portion the Board picks up of each teacher's required contributions to the TRS for each contract.

**Response:** 9%.

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,

Edward J. Condon, Ph.D.

Superintendent

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From: Nick Binotti nbinotti@gmail.com

Subject: FOIA Request - D90 TRS Contributions back to 2000

Date: September 6, 2017 at 10:38 PM

To: Tracy Gutierrez gutierrezt@district90.org



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On Mon, Aug 28, 2017 at 12:19 PM, Tracy Gutierrez < <u>gutierrezt@district90.org</u>> wrote: Good Afternoon,

On behalf of Dr. Ed Condon, please find the response to your Freedom of Information Act Request dated August 23, 2017.

Thank you.

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