

Ms. Stearns -

Attached please find correspondence from the Public Access Bureau regarding two FOIA requests from Ms. Carrey Bunda.

Warm regards,

Leah Bartelt
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KWAME RAOUL ATTORNEY GENERAL

September 20, 2024

Via electronic mail
Ms. Julie Stearns
Director of Business Services
Summit Hill District 161
20100 South Spruce Drive
Frankfort, Illinois 60423
foiaofficer@summithill.org

RE: FOIA Request for Review – 2024 PAC 82971

Requester: Ms. Carrey Bunda

Date of FOIA Request: August 25, 2024 (contract)

Dear Ms. Stearns:

The Public Access Bureau has received the above-referenced Request for Review alleging that Summit Hill District 161 has not responded to the Freedom of Information Act¹ (FOIA) request listed above. Attached is a copy of Ms. Carrey Bunda's FOIA request and her Request for Review by this office.

As required by section 9.5(c) of FOIA,² please advise this office within seven (7) business days whether you have responded to this FOIA request. If you have not yet responded, please respond to the requester and provide a copy of your response to this office. A proper response under section 3(d) of FOIA³ may resolve this matter. To the extent that the request is denied, however, the requester may file a new Request for Review challenging the denial.

¹5 ILCS 140/1 et seq. (West 2022).

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Please contact me at (773) 590-6995 or leah.bartelt@ilag.gov if you have questions or would like to discuss this matter. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

LEAH BARTELT

Public Access Counselor Public Access Bureau

Enclosure

cc: Via electronic mail

Ms. Carrey Bunda carrey79@yahoo.com

Bryant, Hattie

From: carrey bunda <carrey79@yahoo.com>
Sent: Tuesday, September 10, 2024 9:08 AM

To: Public Access

Subject: [EXTERNAL] Request for review

I submitted 2 separate FOIA requests on 8/25/24 with no response from Summit Hill 161 school District. Please let me know you received my email and what to expect from your review process.

Thank you, Carrey Bunda













carrey bunda

To: Julie Stearns >

8/25/24

Foia

Dear freedom of information officer,

Please send me electronic copies of the 2023/24 Safeway Bussing contract and the 12 months of billing for the last year. Also please provide me any and all quotes/contract/ agreements for the new school year 24/25 that Safeway has provided.

Sincerely,
Carrey Bunda











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RE: FOIA Request for Review – 2024 PAC 82972

Requester: Ms. Carrey Bunda

Date of FOIA Request: August 25, 2024 (correspondence)

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8/25/24

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FOIA

Dear freedom of information officer,
I would like all communication
between Paul McDermott and
Safeway Bussing Company from from
June 1, 2024- current. Please send all
correspondence electronically to my
email address above.

Sincerely,
Carrey Bunda







