## MID VALLEY SPECIAL EDUCATION COOPERATIVE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUESTS

## REPORT TO THE EXECUTIVE ADVISORY BOARD March 6, 2013

Mid Valley has responded to three (3) Freedom of Information requests.

- 1) On February 22, 2013, Invo Healthcare Associates, Inc. requested the following information:
  - a. A list of all bidding vendors and rates per hour per discipline
  - b. Proposals submitted by all awarded vendors

**RESPONSE:** Denied. The information being requested is exempt from disclosure under Section 7(h) of the Act (5 ILCS 140/7(h)). Proposals and bids for any contract, grant or agreement, including information which, if it were disclosed, would frustrate procurement or give an advantage to any person proposing to enter into a contractor agreement with the body, until an award or final selection is made, is exempt from disclosure. Information prepared by the public body in preparation of a bid solicitation shall be exempt until an award of final selection is made.

Personnel time: .5 hours - \$24 Attorney: TBD (will be reported at next board meeting)

- 2) On February 20, 2013, *TASC (Therapy Association for Special Children)* requested the following information:
  - a. A complete list of all/any companies solicited for bids related in any way to sub-contracting OT and PT services within the past year.

**RESPONSE:** Denied. The information being requested is exempt from disclosure under Section 7(h) of the Act (5 ILCS 140/7(h)). Proposals and bids for any contract, grant or agreement, including information which, if it were disclosed, would frustrate procurement or give an advantage to any person proposing to enter into a contractor agreement with the body, until an award or final selection is made, is exempt from disclosure. Information prepared by the public body in preparation of a bid solicitation shall be exempt until an award of final selection is made.

Personnel time: .5 hours - \$24 Attorney: TBD (will be reported at next board meeting)

- 3) On February 20, 2013, *TASC (Therapy Association for Special Children)* requested the following information:
  - a. A list of any/all items included in the equipment line item in the 2013-14 OT/PT Proposed Budget.
  - b. A break down of administrative overhead charges.
  - c. A copy of any/all OT and/or PT contracts for services between MV and any/all agencies for the 11-12 and 12-13 school years.
  - A complete copy of all Mid Valley Administrator contracts with any/all supporting appendices and any/all supporting documents pertaining to the contracts for the 12-13 and 13-14 school years.

- e. Copy of contracts or any/all written agreements between Mid Valley and NIA currently existing or having existed within the past 3 years.
- f. Copy of any/all currently contracted OT/PT's current Illinois Therapy License
- g. List of all Mid Valley OT/PTs along with the step they are currently on on the pay scale
- h. List of all supplies including vendors and dollar amounts for items purchased for the OT/PT department for the 11-12 and 12-13 school years.

**RESPONSE:** All responsive documents submitted to TASC.

Personnel time: 3 hours - \$140 Attorney: No attorney involvement

Updated cost information from prior reports:

Attorney costs for FOIA requests reported to Board in January and February: \$1,405

Respectfully submitted,

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