



River Forest
Public Schools

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June 27, 2023

VIA E-MAIL TO foia@prairiestatewire.com

Dear Mr. Chatterton:

On June 23, 2023, the School District received your *Freedom of Information Act* (FOIA) request as follows:

REQUEST: *I am a news reporter from Prairie State Wire, a media organization committed to providing comprehensive and accurate news coverage on local government and community affairs. I am requesting the following records under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140, preferably in electronic format:*

Current school board members, with the following data points if available:

- Full name (First, middle, last)*
- Date of Birth*
- Home address*
- First day of service*
- Was this board member appointed or elected*

As a member of the media, I am involved in gathering and reporting news to the public. Access to public records is essential for me to fulfill my professional responsibilities, which include holding public institutions accountable and providing transparency to the public. Given my role in disseminating information, I believe I am eligible for a fee waiver as a media professional.

RESPONSE: Please refer to the following link on the District 90 website for applicable responsive information about members of the Board of Education: <https://www.district90.org/boe>


The District is not in possession of any documents that specifically list Board member first dates of service and nature of appointment. Please note that a person's home address is defined as private information under FOIA that is exempt from disclosure pursuant to Section 7(1)(b). The Attorney General has "consistently determined" that disclosure of Date of Birth (DOB) would constitute an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy under Section 7(1)(c).

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If you have any questions regarding the content of this correspondence, please contact the School District's Administrative Office for assistance.

Sincerely,

RIVER FOREST SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 90

Handwritten signature of Edward J. Condon in black ink.

By: _____

Edward J. Condon, Ph.D.
Superintendent of Schools and
Freedom of Information Act Officer

From: Josiah Chatterton foia@prairiestatewire.com
Subject: Public Records Request - School Board
Date: June 23, 2023 at 6:36 PM
To: CondonE@district90.org



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Please let me know if you have any questions,
Josiah Chatterton
Prairie State Wire