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November 13, 2013

Hand Delivered and U. S. Mail
RE: FOIA Request

Ms. Sirlena Thomas, FOIA Officer
Harvey Public Schools District 152
16001 Lincoln Avenue
Harvey, IL 60426

Dear Ms. Thomas,

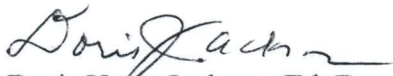
Under the Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140/1 *et seq.*), I am requesting:

- 1) The Board minutes whereby the Superintendent, Business Manager and/or designee were authorized to take action resulting in the cosmetic upgrades at the District 152 Administration Center, including, but not limited to, carpentry work (the installation of dry walls for the new offices, flooring, etc.); electrical work, etc.;
- 2) The itemized cost of the upgrades as approved by the Board;
- 3) Place, date and time whereby the Bids in consideration for said work were opened;
- 4) Name and address of the contracting company who submitted the "responsible" Bid that was accepted by the Board of Education;
- 5) A listing of the change orders approved for the completion of the work as written and approved by the Board; and
- 6) The total cost of the work that was performed to transform the Administrative Center work spaces at 16001 Lincoln Avenue, Harvey, IL 60426 to its current state.

If the foregoing work was not authorized by the Board by formal vote at an Open Board meeting, please communicate the same to me, in writing, as well.

Thank you in advance for your anticipated cooperation and response.

Very truly yours,


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RE: FOIA Request Dated October 7, 2013

Ms. Sirlena Thomas, FOIA Officer
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Dear Ms. Thomas,

I received your response to my FOIA request. Thank you. However, I need to ask a question for clarity of understanding.

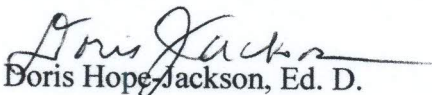
You indicated in your response that there are no Board minutes whereby Harvey Public Schools District 152 Board of Education, by formal vote/action during an Open Meeting, authorized attorney John Izzo or the Law firm, Sraga, Hauser, LLC to represent Mrs. Janet Rogers in the charges filed against her by the Illinois Attorney General, specifically the matter filed in the Circuit Court of Cook County as **The People of the State of Illinois v. Janet Rogers, Case Number: 2013CHO2713.**

Question: Is this an admission that the District 152 Board of Education is unlawfully conducting business outside the Open Meeting Act?

In addition, because the detailed cell phone records do exist, I will seek the same through another venue.

Again, thank you for your responses and I look forward to your response to my question or further direction.

Very truly yours,


Doris Hope-Jackson, Ed. D.

Cc: Office of the Illinois Attorney General