

**FOR DISCUSSION**

**Lisle Community Unit School District 202  
Board of Education Meeting  
December 17, 2025**

**SUBJECT:** Freedom of Information Act Request

**BACKGROUND DATA:** The District received Freedom of Information Act request(s) from the following individual(s):

1. Max Binnington, Judiciocracy LLC
2. Sheri Reid, SmartProcure

The District will respond to all the request(s) within the required timeline.

**From:** foia@judiciocracy.com <foia@judiciocracy.com>

**Sent:** Friday, November 21, 2025 10:03 AM

**To:** kfilipiak@lisle202.org <kfilipiak@lisle202.org>

**Subject:** FOIA request from Judiciocracy LLC and COGS - Series 1 - November 21, 2025

To whom it may concern,

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

We are not only writing on behalf of Judiciocracy LLC but also our affiliate organization the Coalition Opposing Governmental Secrecy. We are requesting the following records under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140, preferably in electronic format:

1) All bills from external attorneys or law firms for the year 2024, and through July 18, 2025 for 2025.

2) All engagement agreements with attorneys or law firms affiliated with any of the legal bills for the time period in item #1.

3) All other engagement agreements with attorneys or law firms executed in 2024 and in 2025 through July 18, 2025 not affiliated with any legal bills produced in item #1.

4) Documents showing any and all attorneys or legal professionals (attorneys, law firms, law clerks, paralegals and the like) who appeared on behalf of, represented, advised, or otherwise counseled the entity in 2024, and for 2025 through July 18, 2025

Please let us know if you have any questions not answered on COGS' website, or by contacting COGS' attorneys whose contact information can be found at FOIASolved.com (a division of LegalSolved LLC).

Attorney for

Judiciocracy LLC

Judiciocracy.com

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Max Binnington o/b/o

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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.

Please Note: The requestor is a member of The Coalition Opposing Governmental Secrecy, a 501(c)(3) Non-Profit Missouri Corporation which assists news media companies, publications, and public advocacy groups investigate state and federal governmental agencies and leverages Freedom of Information and Sunshine Laws to pull back the curtain on government actions and help inform the American electorate. For more information, please visit <https://stopsecrecy.org/about/>

Please let me know if you have any questions,

Max Binnington,

Judiciary

**From:** Sheri Reid <[sreid@smartprocure.com](mailto:sreid@smartprocure.com)>

**Sent:** Saturday, November 29, 2025 11:00:06 PM

**To:** [kfilipiak@lisle202.org](mailto:kfilipiak@lisle202.org) <[kfilipiak@lisle202.org](mailto:kfilipiak@lisle202.org)>

**Subject:** SmartProcure FOIA Request to Lisle Community Unit School District No. 202 For PO/Vendor Information

Dear Keith Filipiak or Custodian of Public Records,

SmartProcure is submitting a commercial FOIA request to the Lisle Community Unit School District No. 202 for any and all purchasing records from 9/2/2025 to current. The request is limited to readily available records without physically copying, scanning or printing paper documents. Any editable electronic document is acceptable.

The specific information requested from your record keeping system is:

1. Purchase order number. If purchase orders are not used a comparable substitute is acceptable, i.e., invoice, encumbrance, or check number
2. Purchase date
3. Line item details (Detailed description of the purchase)
4. Line item quantity
5. Line item price
6. Vendor ID number, name, address, contact person and their email address

If you would like to let me know what type of financial software you use, I may have report samples that help to determine how, or if, you are able to respond.

As an added security and privacy measure, there will be a unique upload link for any new requests moving forward, including this one. We appreciate your assistance towards this request. You may also attach the information to this email.

<https://upload.smartprocure.com/?id=c2RqPWEyYlZQMDAwMDAwbElQY1lBTSSZzdD1JTCZvcmc9TGZlbGVDb21tdW5pdHlVbml0U2Nob29sRGZldHJpY3R0bzlwMiZvcmdpZD03MzcxMQ%3D%3D>

If this request was misrouted, please forward to the correct contact person and reply to this communication with the appropriate contact information.

If you have any questions, please feel free to respond to this email or I can be reached at the phone number below in my signature.

Regards,

Sheri Reid  
Data Acquisition Specialist  
SmartProcure  
Direct: (561) 609-6759

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