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FOIA request from Clearfront Alliance and ParentsCare and COGS - Series1e - December 8, 2025

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To whom it may concern,

I am a news reporter from Stop Secrecy, a media organization committed to providing comprehensive and accurate news coverage on local governmental affairs.

I am making this request on behalf of ClearFront Alliance and Parents Care, working in coordination with The Coalition Opposing Governmental Secrecy (COGS) - aka Stop Secrecy, a nonprofit organization dedicated to government transparency. I am requesting the following records under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140, preferably in electronic format:

- Documents identifying the individuals (administrators, Title IX coordinators, or other personnel) responsible for investigating misconduct allegations directed at students from January 1, 2020 to present;
- Verified, unverified, substantiated, and/or unsubstantiated sexual abuse allegations against district employees, volunteers, or contractors from January 1, 2020 to present, including initial reports, investigative summaries, and final determinations;
- Substantiated and unsubstantiated sexual assault allegations involving students or minors on district property or at district-sponsored events from January 1, 2020 to present;
- Internal investigation reports related to sexual misconduct, sexual abuse, or sexual assault claims, whether reported or not from January 1, 2020 to present;

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,

Stop Secrecy