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**Sent:** Tuesday, August 27, 2019 5:17 PM  
**To:** Staton, Jennifer A  
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**To:** Dowling, John R <John.Dowling@beaufort.k12.sc.us>  
**Subject:** FOIA response: Forwarding an e-mail from Jennifer Staton

John Dowling  
27 Cypress Run  
Bluffton, SC 29909

Dear Mr. Dowling:

Attached are documents responsive to your amended FOIA request for invoices received during the 2018, 2019 and 2020 fiscal years showing payment information for the McNair Law Firm; SCAGO; Burr, Forman McNair; Frannie Heizer; Brian Nurick; and William Saunders.

In personal communications with district staff, you also have indicated an interest in any formal agreements or contracts detailing the compensation structure for the district's bond counsel. We have been unable to locate any such agreements or contracts.

Superintendent Rodriguez strongly believes that the financial compensation for any person or entity engaged in work for the school district should have the details of that compensation documented. He has directed that engagement letters become a routine component of the compensation process for bond counsel work.

Please let us know if you should need any additional information.

Sincerely,  
Jennifer Staton  
Risk Manager