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September 24, 2018

Ms. Doris Nicchia
1550 Royal Oak Lane
Lake in the Hills, IL. 60156
dnic2007@yahoo.com

Dear Ms. Nicchia:

This letter responds to your Freedom of Information Act requests, received by the District on September 15, 2018, in which you request the following:

- Copies of all recordings in lieu of my daughter's IEP meetings/MDEC meetings and any and all other meetings recorded (Principle Lisa Gott and Ms. Kristen Schmidt Dec- June 2014). I have knowledge of such recordings taking place in which were instrumented on both Kelli Catini's private phone, Kirsten Schmidt's private phone, Stephanie Olsen private phone, Nurse Ann Aillio private phone and a recording device provided by the district and any and all staff members that attended our meetings that may have recorded our meetings through years 2012 to 2018. These are considered public files and addressed as a record of student services.
- I am requesting copies of all recordings in lieu of my daughter's IEP meetings/MDEC meetings and any and all other meetings recorded (Principle Lisa Gott and Ms. Kristen Schmidt Dec- June 2014). I have knowledge of such recordings taking place in which were instrumented on Kelli Catini's private phone, Kirsten Schmidt's private phone, Stephanie Olsen private phone, Nurse Ann Aillio private phone and a recording device provided by the district and any and all staff members that attended our meetings that may have recorded our meetings through years 2012 to 2018. These are considered public files and addressed as a record of student services. Please let me know the correct person in which my request is to be made to if not to you personally.

Your requests are for student records that are governed by the *Illinois School Student Records Act* (105 ILCS 10/1 *et seq.*) and will be treated as such. Your request has been forwarded to the relevant individuals who will respond in accordance with State law.

To the extent you consider this response is a denial to your request, you have the right to have the denial reviewed by the Public Access Counselor (PAC) at the Office of the Illinois Attorney General. 5 ILCS 140/9.5(a). You can file your Request for Review with the PAC with writing to: Public Access Counselor Office of the Attorney General, 500 South 2nd St., Springfield, Illinois 62706; Fax: 217-782-1396, e-mail: publicaccess@atg.state.il.us; Phone: 312-814-5526. If you choose to file a Request for Review with the PAC, you must do so within 60 calendar days after the date of the denial letter. 5 ILCS 140/9.5(a). Please note that you must include a copy of your original request for documents and the denial letter when filing

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a Request for Review with the PAC. You also have the right to seek judicial review of your denial by filing a lawsuit in the State circuit court. 5 ILCS 140/11.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me 815-788-5000.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Clare F. Bourne".

Clare F. Bourne
Freedom of Information Officer
Crystal Lake School District 47

Doris Nicchia
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Student: Rachel Nicchia State ID#: [REDACTED] Local Student ID# [REDACTED].
Student: S [REDACTED] N [REDACTED] State ID# [REDACTED] Local Student ID# [REDACTED]

September 15, 2018

To Whom This May Concern,

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This is a written Student Record Request/FOIA . I look to your response and commitment in recovering these files.

Sincerely,

Doris Nicchia