

Via electronic mail

February 28, 2022

Dr. Kristin Kopta
Designated FOIA Officer
5200 N. Cumberland Ave.,
Norridge, IL 60706

Dear Dr. Kopta:

The following is a formal request for public records under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act (“FOIA”), 5 ILCS §§ 140/1 et seq. The request is not for any personal or commercial purpose, and I do not seek individually identifiable information.

I am requesting that the following data for the 2019-2020 and 2020-2021 school years for District 79. In responding to this request, please divide the data into Fall and Spring semesters for each of the given school years. I believe these documents should be readily obtainable from the administrative staff at each respective school listed below.

Pennoyer School

- The number of parent(s), guardian(s), pupil(s), or other educational rights holder(s) who signed an agreement to transfer a student to an alternative school instead of proceeding to an expulsion hearing.

Please e-mail the records requested to James Naughton at: jimnaughton2@gmail.com. I ask that the data requested be provided electronically in Microsoft Excel form.

I look forward to hearing from you in writing within 5 working days, as required by 5 ILCS § 140(3). Please contact James Naughton at 847-440-6114 or jimnaughton2@gmail.com if you have any questions regarding this request.

Sincerely,

/s/

James P. Naughton