

August 20, 2020

Donna Giertz  
[REDACTED]

RE: Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear Ms. Giertz:

This is to acknowledge that Parkland College District No. 505 received your request for a list of the 34 positions in the college that will not be replaced as referenced in the president's communication to the college on August 18, 2020.

At this time, the college has made no final determinations regarding the positions that will not be replaced and the number of positions cited publicly are estimates still undergoing further review by college administration. Any associated documents are preliminary drafts and therefore exempt from disclosure and withheld pursuant to 5 ILCS 140/7(l)(f).

As Vice President for Communications and External Affairs, I am responsible for granting and denying the requests for records under the *Freedom of Information Act*. Please be aware that this response to your request is pursuant to my understanding of your FOIA request. If I have misunderstood your request, please let me know as soon as possible so I may provide the correct information.

Finally, if you believe that this response constitutes a denial of your request, you have the right to have this response 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 by writing to:

Public Access Counselor  
Office of the Attorney General  
500 South 2nd Street  
Springfield, Illinois 62706  
Fax: 217-782-1396  
E-mail: [publicaccess@atg.state.il.us](mailto:publicaccess@atg.state.il.us)

You also have the right to seek judicial review of this response by filing a lawsuit in the State circuit court. 5 ILCS 140/11.

If you choose to file a Request for Review with the Public Access Counselor or State court, you will need to include a copy of this letter for the review.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Sincerely,



Stephanie L. Stuart  
Vice President for Communications and External Affairs

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