July 8, 2014

Ms. Suzanne Grandt
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Re: FOIA Request 14-450

Dear Ms. Grandt:

I write to respond to your Freedom of Information request dated and received in my office on June 23, 2014, in which you requested:

“…to obtain records and gather information as to who provides support for the use of farrowing crates for pigs (i.e., hogs or sows) at “Piglets on Parade” Exhibit, part of the Farmer’s Little Helpers Exhibit of the Springfield Illinois State Fair (the “State Fair”). I understand that the school may provide resources, oversight and/or support to the Piglets on Parade Exhibit. I am seeking specific information regarding this exhibit, the pigs, the crates used to house the pigs and personnel servicing the exhibits.”

Information responsive to your request is available and attached. These are public documents numbering 9 pages.

Portions of these documents have been redacted pursuant to the following section(s) of the Act:

- 140/7(1)(b) that exempts from disclosure “Private information, unless disclosure is required by another provision of this Act, a State or federal law or a court order.” This includes a personal cell phone number.

Should you wish to inspect or receive a physical copy of these documents, please call Melanie Kuehn at the phone number below and she will provide you with all necessary details.

You have a right, under the law, to seek a review of this response by the Public Access Counselor (PAC) in the Office of the Attorney General. The PAC may be reached by phone at 217-782-1396, by email to publicaccess@atg.state.il.us, or by postal mail at the Public Access Bureau, 500 S. 2nd Street, Springfield, Illinois 62706. You also have the right to seek judicial review under section 11 of this Act.

If you have questions for our office, please contact 217-333-6400.

Sincerely,

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