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Nancy Garbrecht
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Re: FOIA Request 14-520

Dear Mr. Garbrecht:

I write to respond to your Freedom of Information request dated and received in my office on July 29, 2014, in which you requested:

“The Indiana, Illinois, Iowa Foundation for Fair Contracting (“III FFC”) is seeking information concerning compliance with the Illinois Prevailing Wage Act, 820 ILCS 130/1 et seq., and other information regarding the above-captioned project. The III FFC requests information pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act (“FOIA”), 5 ILCS 140/1 et seq., including:

- 1) A copy of the bid specifications for the project including all specifications calling for prevailing wage payments and any addendums thereto;
- 2) A copy of any written notification provided by the public body to contractor(s) that the project requires payment of prevailing wage rates;
- 3) A copy of any and all contracts for the above referenced project. Where available, please provide a copy of the fully executed contract(s);
- 4) A copy of the certified payrolls submitted by the above referenced contractor for the above referenced project. If the Certified Payroll has not been submitted by the contractor please provide a statement to that effect in your response;
- 5) A copy of any and all documents describing the type of funding used to pay for the project.”

Information responsive to your request is available and attached. These are public documents numbering 165 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 social security numbers and private financial information.
- 140/7(1)(c) that exempts from disclosure “Personal information contained within public records, the disclosure of which, if disclosed, would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy, unless the disclosure is consented to in writing by the individual subjects of the information.” This includes private financial information.

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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,

Thomas P. Hardy
Executive Director
and Chief Records Officer