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Johnathan Hettinger
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Re: FOIA 15-408

Dear Mr. Hettinger:

I write to respond to your Freedom of Information request of May 19, in which you requested:

“the names of all people on the no-trespassing lists for the university. I would also like to request the reasons these people were banned and the date the ban started.”

Information responsive to your request is available and attached. These are public documents numbering 12 pages.

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

- 140/7(1)(a) that exempts from disclosure “Information specifically prohibited from disclosure by federal or State law or rules and regulations implementing adopted under federal or State law.” This includes information prohibited from being released under the Juvenile Court Act (705 ILCS 405/1).

- 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 information that can lead to the re-identification of personal medical 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 information that can lead to the re-identification of personal medical information.

Please note that names are not available on the attached report as that information is not kept in the database of records. It would be unduly burdensome for the University to gather all the police reports associated with this listing and review the same for any information that may be exempt from production. Pursuant to Section 3(g) of the Act, we would like to extend to you an opportunity to modify this portion of your request to make it of more manageable proportions. The case number for each occurrence is contained in the attached listing. If you
seek information about a specific case, we recommend you resubmit your request listing the cases for which you seek more information about. If you do not reduce this portion of your request, it shall be treated as a denial.

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