
From: Mary Ribando
Sent: Friday, June 10, 2022 4:21 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: Corey Williamsen
Subject: Henry FOIA final response 6 10 22 - Village of Bensenville/prevailing wage

Via electronic mail
Mr. Michael Henry
[REDACTED]

Re: Freedom of Information Act request

Dear Mr. Henry,

I am pleased to help you with your request for information pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act ("FOIA"), 5 ILCS 140/1 *et seq.* Your FOIA request was received by the Village of Bensenville ("Village") on June 3, 2022. You requested copies of the records indicated below:

1. From January 2000 thru the please provide all documentation, letters, emails or letters detailing Bensenville Illinois procedures on how it verifies that each wage certification report submitted by contractors for the village actually made the wage and benefit payments as required by law.
2. Show the audit work that verifies all village contractors made the payments on a timely manner to each pension fund and Fica and Health and Welfare benefits fund.
3. Show Bensenville Illinois District Compliance with the Illinois Prevailing wage act that it verified each payment allegedly Paid By Austin Tyler Construction was actually made.
4. If Bensenville Illinois does Not Have this information please Provide a list of all Bensenville Illinois Employees responsible for this compliance and advise them that it a Class A Misdemeanor to not verify these reports under the Illinois Prevailing wage Act. Amendments, which took effect on Jan. 1, 2012, impose new criminal penalties on contractors and public bodies for IPWA violations. Contractors or subcontractors who knowingly file false certified payrolls can be guilty of a Class A misdemeanor. Likewise, any contractor or subcontractor whose duty it is to file certified payrolls who willfully fails to file, or files a materially false certified payroll, will also be guilty of a Class A misdemeanor. The law allows state, local, and federal law enforcement agencies and prosecutors to obtain relevant documents from contractors and subcontractors and makes any contractor or subcontractor who willfully fails to create, keep, and maintain or produce required documents guilty of a Class A misdemeanor. It also makes public bodies guilty of a Class A misdemeanor if they willfully fail to comply with any provision of the IPWA.

This correspondence shall serve to notify you that the Village has no existing records responsive to any part of your FOIA request.

Sincerely,

Corey Williamsen
Freedom of Information Officer
Village of Bensenville

From: Michael Henry <[REDACTED]>
Sent: Friday, June 3, 2022 4:58 PM
To: FOIA Request
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Michael Henry

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