



Re: Public Record Requests

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Fri, Jan 19, 2024 at 5:28 PM

To: Tess O'Brien-Heinzen <tobrien@boardmanclark.com>

Cc: "Meyer, Dan" <dmeyer@kiel.k12.wi.us>, "Ebert, Brad" <bebert@kiel.k12.wi.us>

Good afternoon Tess O'Brien-Heinzen,

For the record, it took over a month for KASD to respond that the District possesses 8,398 emails from two anonymous internet trolls and four other political activists, only one or two of whom have children in KASD schools.

I would like to narrow the open records request below to the keywords "Kim Konen" and "Shane Konen", individuals who have no children in the district but have left confirmed evidence of thier political activism in at least one KASD school already.

How much will Dr. Brad Ebert charge the tax payers to see the full extent of the Konen's Madison funded political conduct in the KASD? Price items #1 and #2 separately please.

To avoid the appearance of campaign interference, this year please provide the requested information in compliance with state law, long before the April elections.

Thank you,
Matt

On Mon, Jan 15, 2024 at 10:25 AM Tess O'Brien-Heinzen <tobrien@boardmanclark.com> wrote:

Good morning Mr. Piper,

On behalf of the Kiel Area School District, I am responding to your requests on December 5, 2023, for the following records:

1) In 2022, all emails and correspondences (but not those including pupil records) in possession of the KASD including the following key words, including attachments:

Kim Konen

Shane Konen

Karl Huber

Michael Curry

Mike Samuel

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

2) In 2023 to the date this request is responded to, all emails and correspondences (but not those including pupil records) in possession of the KASD including the key words in #1 above, including attachments.

The District has located 8,398 records possibly responsive to your requests. The District has also determined that the cost to determine which records are responsive to your requests would be \$14,696.50 based upon the following calculation:

- 8,398 emails multiplied by three minutes per email = 25,194 minutes
- 25,194 minutes divided by 60 min per hour = 419.19 hours
- 419.19 hours x \$35 hourly rate of staff qualified to review to determine which records include those actual search terms and are not student records = \$14,696.50

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Please note that pursuant to the Wisconsin Open Records Law, this amount does not include the cost of redaction once all responsive records are located.

The District will require you to prepay these location costs before the processing your request. If you would like the District to move forward, please send a check payable to KASD to Sheila Lefeber at 416 Payne Street, Kiel, WI 53042.

Please contact me if you have any questions about the above information.

Thank you.



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