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January 28, 2022

Re: 1.27.2022 Public Records Request

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Dear Matt McKee

In your email dated 01.27.2022, you requested the following items:

All contracts and funding communications relating to the Peninsula School District receipt of Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief Fund (ESSER Fund) monies including all specifications for receiving these funds from the government.

The district has interpreted this to mean providing you any ESSER funding contracts the District has retained regarding ESSER funds. Those in electronic form will be collected and provided to you. Those in hardcopy form, will need to be reviewed in person, or incur .05/per page for copies.

The District did a search of all emails with the word ESSER. This broad scope has produced over 13,516 potential records from May 2021 to January 27, 2022. Please help us narrow your request by providing a clearer idea of what you are seeking. PSD, like many school districts has received information from OSPI, state agencies, federal agencies, and many vendors and spam type emails that contain the keyword ESSER.

For "all specifications" on how to receive ESSER funds, the District would be required to follow the same guidelines as other public school districts, and that information can be found directly at the following OSPI links.

https://www.k12.wa.us/sites/default/files/public/communications/ESSER%20Funds%20QA June%20202 0.pdf

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 $\underline{https://www.k12.wa.us/sites/default/files/public/communications/SideBySideofStateFundsandLocalFunds.}\\pdf$

https://www.k12.wa.us/sites/default/files/public/communications/OSPI%20Priorities%20for%20ESSER%20Funds.pdf

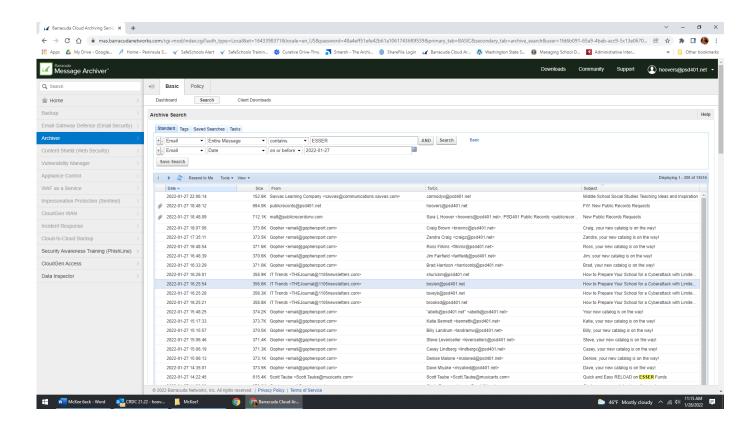
Basic information can be found on the main page:

https://www.k12.wa.us/about-ospi/press-releases/novel-coronavirus-covid-19-guidance-resources

Pursuant to RCW 42.56.520, the Peninsula School District is providing you with notice that it needs additional time to complete your request. The additional time is necessary to locate and assemble the materials requested and to determine whether any of the documents are exempt from disclosure or require redaction.

The District will begin collecting the electronic and hard copies of the requested contracts and will

strive to provide these to you on or before February 28, 2022. We will await your clarification for email correspondences.



Sincerely,

Sara Hoover

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