

## OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL STATE OF ILLINOIS

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July 19, 2013

Via electronic mail
Ms. Julie Clark
FOIA Officer
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RE: FOIA Request for Review – 2013 PAC 24985

Dear Ms. Clark:

The Public Access Bureau has received your e-mail correspondence dated July 19, 2013 in regards to the Request for Review submitted by Mr. Will Brumleve of the *Paxton Record* on June 12, 2013 pursuant to section 9.5(a) of the Freedom of Information Act. 5 ILCS 140/9.5(a) (West 2011 Supp.). The e-mail noted you have provided the requester, Mr. Will Brumleve, with Mr. Doug Corbett's resume. Thank you for your correspondence.

We require further information before we can close this file, however. Mr. Brumleve questions whether the document is responsive to his FOIA request for the resume "on file" for Mr. Corbett because it contains Mr. Corbett's current position with the Ford-Iroquois Public Health Department, and therefore is likely not the resume originally submitted in the application process and normally "on file" with an employer. Mr. Brumleve's assertion, a copy of which is enclosed for your information, and your indication in the e-mail that "Mr. Corbett has provided a redacted copy of his resume to me," requires further inquiry as to the method of search for records responsive to Mr. Brumleve's request and in the Department's possession or control.

Please describe the nature and extent of the search performed by the Department for any resume of Mr. Corbett's "on file," and whether that search included Mr. Corbett's personnel file or other locations likely to contain a resume.

As required under section 9.5(c) of FOIA, please provide this information to our office within seven (7) business days after receipt of this letter. 5 ILCS 140/9.5(c) (West 2011

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Supp.). As we review this matter, we will advise you if we require additional information. If you believe that other documents or information would help us as we review these issues, you may submit additional records or affidavits with the requested information.

Please note that, under FOIA, we are required to forward a copy of any response from a public body to the requester and provide the requester with an opportunity to reply (5 ILCS 140/9.5(d) (West 2011 Supp.)). The Act provides, however, that "[t]o the extent that records or documents produced by a public body contain information that is claimed to be exempt from disclosure under Section 7 of [the] Act, the Public Access Counselor shall not further disclose that information." 5 ILCS 140/9.5(c) (West 2011 Supp.). The Act also requires that we redact "any alleged confidential information to which the request pertains" when providing a copy of your written response to the requester (5 ILCS 140/9.5(d) (West 2011 Supp.)). If your response contains information or documents you believe are confidential, you must clearly identify that specific information in your response.

Please contact me at (312) 814-8413 or <u>rolmstead@atg.state.il.us</u> if you have questions or would like to discuss this matter. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

**ROB OLMSTEAD** 

Assistant Attorney General

Public Access Bureau

Via electronic mail

cc: Mr. Will Brumleve (will receive letter only)

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## Olmstead, Robert

From:

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Sent:

Friday, July 19, 2013 1:38 PM

To:

Olmstead, Robert

Subject:

RE: Corbett resume

**Attachments:** 

untitled-[1.2].html; Julie Clark.vcf; Corbett\_resume\_June 2011 redacted.pdf

## Mr. Olmstead,

I received Doug Corbett's resume in response to the request for review I made with the attorney general's office, but it does not appear to be the resume that I requested. I requested the resume that the health department had "on file" for Mr. Corbett, which I had assumed would be the one that he submitted with his application for the job. But the resume I received today included Mr. Corbett's current work history with the Ford-Iroquois Public Health Department, so I wonder whether this resume is really the one on file at the health department. Unless the agency requires Mr. Corbett to update his resume periodically and submit a new one every so often, this can't be the resume I requested. I question whether it contains the exact same information that his old resume did.

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------ Original Message -----

Subject: resume

From: "Julie Clark" < JClark@fiphd.org> Date: Fri, July 19, 2013 12:50 pm

"Will Brumleve" <wbcumleve@news-gazette.com> To:

"Doug Corbett" < DCorbett@fiphd.org> Cc: jdevine@co.iroquois.il.us

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Mr. Brumleve: Please find attached a copy of Mr. Corbett's resume. Please respond to this email so I have verification of receipt of the resume.

Julie Clark, FOIA Officer

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