Submit a California Public Records Act Request to Carmel USD

The Carmel Unified School District (CUSD) is committed to transparency and providing easy access to public records pursuant to the California Public Records Act (CPRA). The California Public Records Act gives the public the right to access records created and maintained by public agencies in the course of their normal business.

Pursuant to Government Code Section 6252(e), a public record is defined as "any writing containing information relating to the conduct of the public's business prepared, owned, used, or retained by any state or local agency regardless of physical form or characteristics." Public records requests may be used to obtain "records," which include a wide variety of documents and other materials (including print, photographic, and electronic formats) that were created or obtained by the organization and are, at the time the request is filed, in the organization's possession and control.

Records subject to disclosure under the CPRA may include email or other communications from members of the public or which reference them. While the District reviews all responsive records to determine if this information should be disclosed, in many cases references to members of the public, or the content of their communications to the District are subject to disclosure. Permissible exemptions from disclosure include documents that invade an individual's right to privacy (e.g., privacy in certain personnel, medical, or student records) or hinder the government's need to perform its assigned functions in a reasonably efficient manner (e.g., maintaining confidentiality of investigative records, official information, records related to pending litigation, and preliminary notes or memoranda).

All requests will be posted to the District's CPRA webpage.

Name of requestor: *
First and last name
Andrew Sandoval
"Thank you for the records as required by the public records act. I am requesting the records be only be redacted with legally required redactions. Some portions of the redactions are not supposed to be redacted. Although uncomfortable for the district, they must be released. This will be my only official request, I expect the Carmel School District to provide records in accordance with the Public Records Act. Please don't waste more tax payers money by keeping unnecessary redactions. I am hopeful you law firm is more responsive and professional than Lozano Smith. My last request to Carmel school district ended up in a lawsuit filled against me. Recently I won an appellate court appeal from Hartnell College, represented by Lozano Smith, related to disciplinary records and emails. I would also like all the emails, notes and documentation related to investigation, as this was not provided."

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