

Shawwna Rule

From: Todd Hellrigel
Sent: Monday, June 29, 2026 3:33 PM
To: Shawwna Rule
Subject: Fw: FOIA Request - Midwest Central CUSD 191 [Ref: Alex Forsythe]

For the BOE book.

From: Todd Hellrigel <toddh@midwestcentral.org>
Sent: Monday, June 29, 2026 3:32 PM
To: efim@databranchus.com <efim@databranchus.com>
Cc: alex.forsythe@thedatabranch.com <alex.forsythe@thedatabranch.com>; Shawwna Rule <rule@midwestcentral.org>
Subject: Re: FOIA Request - Midwest Central CUSD 191 [Ref: Alex Forsythe]

Hello,
Midwest Central CUSD has no records pertaining to your FOIA request below. We do not work with any of these companies.
Todd

From: Efim Kensington <efim@databranchus.com>
Sent: Thursday, June 25, 2026 10:00 AM
To: Todd Hellrigel <toddh@midwestcentral.org>
Cc: alex.forsythe@thedatabranch.com <alex.forsythe@thedatabranch.com>
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Dear Records Custodian,

The Data Branch is submitting a public records request for records pertaining to vendor procurement and purchasing activity.

Pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140)

Scope of Request:

All purchasing records from vendors (if existing): Verkada, Triton Sensors, Soter Tech, Motorola, IPVideo Corporation, [Vocabulary.com](#).

We aim to find records from 2022 to now that would reflect the pricing structure of any engagement with the above vendors. This may include subscription or licensing terms, implementation fees, and/or per-unit costs.

Relevant records may include:

- Contracts, service agreements, and order forms
- Purchase orders involving the above vendors
- RFP or solicitation documents
- Task orders issued under cooperative purchasing agreements

We are glad to accept records in whatever format your office finds easiest to produce, including:

- Spreadsheet exports (preferred)

- PDF or Word documents
- Standard ERP or finance system reports
- Any summary-level purchasing records already maintained by your office

To the extent any portion of the requested records is exempt from disclosure, we ask that the remaining non-exempt segregable portions be released.

For full transparency, this request *is* for commercial purposes. We will gladly adhere to any policies or procedures Midwest Central CUSD 191 has in place for public records requests, and are open to narrowing, clarifying, or modifying the request to make fulfillment easier on your end.

All responsive records may be directed to Alex Forsythe, our record intake contact, at the following:

Email: alex.forsythe@thedatabranch.com

Phone: (302) 585-3132

Address: 1111B S Governors Ave STE 21033, Dover, DE 19904

We appreciate your attention to this matter and look forward to your prompt response. If this request has been directed to the wrong agency or department, kindly advise or forward it to the appropriate custodian. Thank you for your cooperation.

Thank you,

Efim Kensington

The Data Branch Research Team