

## **Employees' Retirement System** of Rhode Island

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North Providence, RI 02911

RE: Public Records Request

Dear

We write in response to your September 1, 2015 request for information pursuant to the Rhode Island Access to Public Records Act (APRA). Your specific request is noted below along with our corresponding response.

I am requesting all of my letters and correspondence sent to your office either by myself (Chief Steven J. Catanzaro) or by the Town of North Providence regarding the purchasing of all Volunteer/Call System Time for Firefighters between the dates of September 1998 – thru November 2006.

And your September 21, 2015 modification of your original request to include the following:

I would like to change [the dates] to September 1998- August 2015.

Pursuant to Rhode Island General Laws (RIGL) § 38-2-4(b), a charge of \$165.00 was assessed for search, retrieval and review to determine what, if any, documents were responsive to your request, and payment was received on September 21, 2015. Enclosed please find documents responsive to your request. Please be advised that pursuant to RIGL § 38-2-2(A)(I)(b) personal and personally identifiable information has been redacted from the documents.

If you contend you have been denied access to public records, pursuant to RIGL §38-2-8, you may appeal this decision to Frank J. Karpinski, Executive Director of the Employees' Retirement System of Rhode Island, 50 Service Avenue, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Warwick, RI 02886. You may also file a complaint with the Department of the Attorney General, 150 South Main Street, Providence, RI 02903 or the Rhode Island Superior Court of the county where the records are maintained.

Additional information regarding the Access to Public Records Act may be found at <a href="http://www.riag.ti.gov/civil/opengovernment">http://www.riag.ti.gov/civil/opengovernment</a>.

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