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Dear FOIA Officer,

I respectfully request under the Freedom of Information Act the following information:

1. All copies of documentation sent to the ISBE from Mid-Valley Special Education Cooperative and the Kane County Regional Office of Education establishing an ALOP for Mid-Valley Special Education Cooperative.

2. Date ISBE approved Mid-Valley Special Education Cooperative ALOP. Date Mid-Valley Special Education Cooperative enrolled students in ALOP funded programs. Amount of funding received for each student currently enrolled in an ALOP program. Amount of funding that will be received per student for 2013/2014 school year.

3. Copies of emails, or any other form of communication related to the establishing of ALOP funding sent to Mid-Valley Special Education Cooperative from the ISBE. Who will be responsible for the accountability of funds received and how they are spent? What is the criteria for students to be claimed under ALOP? How does Mid-Valley Special Education Cooperative get approval to claim students under ALOP? List the programs and the number of students in each program that will be claimed and the full funding amount per student to be paid under ALOP.

4. Requirements to claim staff and list of job titles, service providers, licensed/certified teachers, therapists, social workers or any other staff member that may be paid under ALOP? How much funding can be used towards salaries? Does ALOP funding cover any other expenses i.e. supplies, technology, transportation, purchase of vehicles, maintenance and gas?

5. Are ALOP funds prorated and considered General State Aid? Do these funds flow through the Kane County ROE twice a month? Date funding disbursements begin? What is the total amount of revenue to be disbursed through ALOP to Mid-Valley Special Education Cooperative?

6. What happens to unspent ALOP funds at the end of year?


Thank you for your assistance in fulfilling my FOIA request. I request an electronic response via this e-mail address.

Sincerely,
Patti Lopuszanski