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Pat Quinn, Governor Marc Miller, Director

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Freedom of Information Office Illinois State Board of Education 100 North First Street Springfield, IL 62777-0001 ATTN: FOIA Request

Dear Sir or Madam:

I am requesting a list of email addresses for the principals in all Illinois public and nonpublic schools recognized by the Illinois State Board of Education. I am requesting this information under the Freedom of Information Act.

The Illinois Department of Natural Resources' Education Section provides many Illinois-specific, supplemental resources, programs and training opportunities for teachers in our state. All of the items are developed with the Illinois Learning Standards as their foundation. However, many teachers are unaware that these enrichment tools exist. By contacting the principals in Illinois schools through email with periodic updates, we will be able to reach more teachers with our information and ultimately, more students will learn about Illinois' rich natural and cultural heritage. I will copy Matt Van Over on any messages to principals.

I appreciate your consideration of this request. Please email (valerie.keener@illinois.gov) the file to me. Thank you.

Valerie Keener /
Head
Division of Education