



KKCO 11 News | KJCT News 8 2531 Blichmann Ave Grand Junction, CO 81505

September 6, 2018

Emily Shockley, Communications Specialist Mesa County Valley School District 51 2115 Grand Ave. Grand Junction, CO 81502

Dear Emily,

Pursuant to the Colorado Open Records Act § 24-72-201 et seq., I request that you make available for inspection and copying the following public records:

The names and employment history along with connections (current or previous employment) to Mesa County Valley School district 51 for the finalists being considered by the board for the position of interim superintendent. In addition we request a job description for the position, including but not limited to compensation for the position.

If you are not the custodian of records for this request, please forward this letter to the appropriate person or let me know which person(s) has custody of these records.

I request a waiver of all fees for searching or copying these records in that the disclosure of the requested information is in the public interest and will contribute significantly to the public's understanding of this issue. I am a member of the news media and this request is being submitted for news-gathering purposes. This information is not being sought for commercial purposes. If there are any fees for searching or copying these records, please inform me if the cost will exceed \$100.00.

Please set a date and hour, within three working days following receipt of this letter, at which time the records will be made available for inspection, as required by § 24-72-203(2), C.R.S. If access to these records will take longer, please cite the extenuating circumstances and let me know when I should expect copies or the ability to inspect the requested records.

I ask that records available in electronic format be transmitted by email to megan.mcneil@kkco11news.com. If you deny any portion, or all, of this request, please provide me with a written explanation of the reason(s) for your denial, including a citation to each specific statutory exemption you feel justifies the refusal to release the information and notify me of the appeal procedures available to me under the law. If you conclude that portions of the records that I request are exempt from disclosure, please release the remainder of such records for inspection and copying, redacting only the portion or portions that you claim are exempt. Thank you for considering my request.

Sincerely,

Megan McNeil Megan.mcneil@kkco11news.com 970-234-1114 2115 Grand Avenue, Grand Junction, CO 81501 * 970-254-5100

Megan McNeil, Reporter KKCO 11 News 2531 Blichmann Ave. Grand Junction, CO 81505

Via email: megan.mcneil@kkco11news.com

Sep. 11, 2018

RE: CORA Request received via email on Sep. 6, 2018

Dear Ms. McNeil:

This letter shall respond to your Colorado Open Records Act requests sent via email and received by the District on Sep. 6, 2018. Our responses to each of your requests are set out below:

 The names and employment history along with connections (current or previous employment) to Mesa County Valley School District 51 for the finalists being considered by the board for the position of interim superintendent.

Response: The names of the announced finalists being considered by the board for the position of interim superintendent are Matt Diers, Norman Ridder and Diana Sirko. We interpret your request for their respective employment histories and connections to the District to be a request for their resumes, copies of which are attached to this letter. The District has no other documents responsive to this request.

Job description for the position including but not limited to compensation for the position.

Response: The job description for the District's superintendent of schools is set forth in Board Policy CBA/CBC, a copy of which is also attached. Compensation for the interim superintendent position has not yet been determined.

If you have any questions regarding the foregoing responses, please contact me directly at 254-5152.

Sincerely,

Charles Delano
Director of Communications
Mesa County Valley School District 51

Attach:

Mr. Matt Diers Resume Dr. Norman Ridder Resume Dr. Diana Sirko Resume Board Policy CBA/CBC