

**GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE MAYOR**



Mayor's Office of Legal Counsel

November 2, 2017

VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL

William Matzelevich

RE: FOIA Appeal 2018-0024

Dear Mr. Matzelevich:

This letter responds to the administrative appeal you submitted to the Mayor under the District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act, D.C. Official Code § 2-537 ("DC FOIA"), on the grounds that the District of Columbia Public Schools ("DCPS") failed to respond to your request for certain memoranda of understanding and agreements.

This Office contacted DCPS on October 26, 2017, and notified the agency of your appeal. DCPS advised us on November 1, 2017, that it provided you with responsive documents on October 31, 2017.¹

Since your appeal was based on DCPS' failure to respond to your request, and DCPS has now responded, we consider your appeal to be moot. Your appeal is hereby dismissed; however, the dismissal shall be without prejudice. You are free to assert any challenge, by separate appeal to this Office, to DCPS' substantive response.

If you are dissatisfied with this decision, you may commence a civil action against the District of Columbia government in the Superior Court of the District of Columbia in accordance with DC FOIA.

Respectfully,

Mayor's Office of Legal Counsel

cc: Eboni J. Govan, Attorney Advisor/FOIA Officer, DCPS (via email)

¹ DCPS' response is attached.