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November 14, 2016

Betsy Cross
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Dear Ms. Cross,

The Wall Township Board of Education received your Open Public Records Act (OPRA) request on November 14, 2016.

Your OPRA request sought access to the following:

"...a copy of letter sent to Cheryl Dyer from the DOE regarding the upcoming audit from the DOE, Office of Fiscal Accountability and Compliance. ...a copy of any correspondence Cheryl Dyer sent to Wall BOE members or Admin regarding the audit since she received the letter from the DOE, Office of Fiscal Accountability and Compliance."

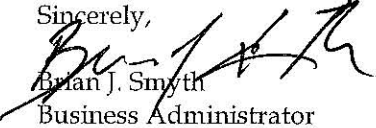
In response to your request, attached please find correspondence dated October 31, 2016, from the State Department of Education, Office of Fiscal Accountability and Compliance.

With regard to your request of "...a copy of any correspondence Cheryl Dyer sent to Wall BOE members or Admin regarding the audit since she received the letter from the DOE, Office of Fiscal Accountability and Compliance." Please know that in accordance with N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1.1, these documents are exempt from disclosure as "advisory, consultative, and/or deliberative material." Once the deliberative process is complete, you may resubmit an OPRA request.

These records are being transmitted to you via e-mail, as per your request. Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 47:1A-5.b., the cost associated with this request is \$0.00.

If your request for access to a government record has been denied or unfilled within the seven (7) business days required by law, you have a right to challenge the decision by the Wall Township Board of Education to deny access. At your option, you may either institute a proceeding in the Superior Court of New Jersey or file a complaint with the Government Records Council (GRC) by completing the Denial of Access Complaint Form. You may contact the GRC by toll-free telephone at 866-850-0511, by mail at P.O. Box 819, Trenton, NJ 08625, by e-mail at grc@dca.state.nj.us, or at their web site at www.state.nj.us/grc. The GRC can also answer other questions about the law. All questions regarding complaints filed in Superior Court should be directed to the Court Clerk in your County.

Sincerely,


Brian J. Smyth
Business Administrator

Enclosure

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Cc: Cheryl Dyer, Superintendent