To Whom It May Concern:

Pursuant to the Illinois Freedom of Information Act (5 ILCS 140), the Better Government Association requests all current payroll employee payroll records on file. This request includes, but is not limited to, the following information:

- Last name

- First name

- Middle name (or initial, if available)

- Suffix (e.g. Jr., if available)

- Title

- Department

- Salary

- Start date

Records should include annual salaries (not year-to-date pay). Please provide hourly rates only for employees who are paid as such. Please include any and all elected officials as well.

Please provide these records electronically in a spreadsheet or delimited text format (such as xlsx, xls, csv or txt file extensions). Please do not respond with paper, scanned/photocopied or pdf documents if at all avoidable. (Section 6(a) of the Illinois Freedom of Information Act states: "When a person requests a copy of a record maintained in an electronic format, the public body shall furnish it in the electronic format specified by the requester, if feasible.")

Finally, please respond by replying directly to this email with the requested files attached.

Sincerely,

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