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Daniel D. Curry, soon-to-be-former Superintendent and de facto Records Custodian 1305 Dares Beach Road Prince Frederick, MD 20678

Daniel D. Curry:

We received "Ms. Maxey's" two 12/02 estimates for our 11/04 request for POs, invoices and payments for the Deveraux Mapleton School, and our 12/02 request for POs, invoices and payments for Gemalto Fingerprinting Systems, the Good Shepherd School and Grafton Integrated Health Network. Your estimates make no sense.

I sent in the latter request, for POs, invoices and payments for 3 vendors, this morning at 8:54 am. We received your estimate 4 hours and 45 minutes later, at 1:39 pm – a truly impressive turnaround time we have never before experienced from CCPS. The request was comprised of 5 POs and 6 sets of invoices and payments for Gemalto Fingerprinting, 4 invoices and payments for the Good Shepherd School and 17 POs and 22 sets of invoices and payments for Grafton Integrated Health Network. On 7/08 School Safety Specialist Larry Titus didn't seem too sure whether or not CCPS conducts fingerprinting and background checks according to normal policy and standards, and Gemalto has had a running contract with CCPS for Live Scan fingerprinting. Other than yourself, do you think "CCPS is hiring people who shouldn't be?" We would never begrudge any child services to which they are entitled, deserve and need, but nonetheless have questions about out-of-county living education payments, some of which have been made to the Good Shepherd School. Grafton Integrated Healthcare is the proprietary vendor of their own Ukeru "blocking tools" and consulting services. A teacher pointed out to you these blocking tools are a clear statement to students it's okay to assault their teachers. The estimate for 22 total POs and 32 total sets of invoices and POs? 8.75 hours at \$45.50/hr., for a total of \$307.13 with a \$150 deposit. Somehow, in less than 5 hours you knew it would require 8.75 hours to produce these records, but estimates for other requests are still long-outstanding. As already pointed out to you, we have received far more records for free, for at least 4 different vendors, and eFinance is comprehensive and easy to use.

Our 11/04 request for 5 POs and 31 invoices and payments for 1 vendor, the Devereaux Mapleton School, is estimated to require 10.75 hours at \$45.50/hr., for a total of \$398.13 with a \$200 deposit. We would never begrudge any child services to which they are entitled, deserve and need, but nonetheless have questions about CCPS' non-public education payments. Why did it take almost a month to provide this estimate, for 1 vendor, with 17 fewer POs, and 1 less set of invoices and payments than today's request; yet, these records supposedly will require 2 full hours *more* to produce? You can't stop contradicting yourself when it's right in your face and

nearly all of your estimates continue to be wildly inflated. Meanwhile, we still await estimates for requests far older than this one.

It's time to start doing the right thing,

Katy Blevins

John Blevins

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