January 9, 2017

FOIA Officer
Metra Railroad
547 W. Jackson BLVD
Chicago, IL 60661

Re: Illinois Freedom of Information Act Request

Dear FOIA Officer:

Under the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140, I am requesting an opportunity to inspect or obtain copies of public records that contain the resolution or contract authorizing entry into an agreement with the commuter rail division of the regional Transportation Authority, A division of and Illinois municipal corporation (Metra), for the operation and maintenance of the commuter rail facility's in the following villages or towns:

Metra Rock Island District

(Front Street Train Station) Mokena, IL
(Hickory Creek Train Station) Mokena, IL
(New Lenox Train Station) New Lenox, IL
(Midlothian Train Station) Midlothian, IL
(Joliet Union Depot) Joliet, IL

Metra Southwest Service

(Palos Park Train Station) Palos Park, IL
(Palos Heights Train Station) Palos Heights, IL
(143rd Orland Park Train Station) Orland Park, IL
(Manhattan Train Station) Manhattan, IL
(Laraway Road Train Station) New Lenox, IL

I understand that the Act permits a public body to charge a reasonable copying fee not to exceed the actual cost of reproduction and not including the costs of any search or review of the records. 5 ILCS 140/6.

I look forward to hearing from you in writing within five working days, as required by the Act 5 ILCS 140(3). Thank you for considering and responding to this request.

Sincerely,

Brian Shanahan