

State of Washington PUBLIC DISCLOSURE COMMISSION

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Delivered electronically to "smitha@rsd407.org"

Subject: PDC Case 94420

Dear Riverview School District Officials, Anthony Smith, Superintendent:

Enclosed is a copy of an electronic letter sent to Bert Mills concerning a complaint filed with the Public Disclosure Commission (PDC).

As noted in the enclosed letter to Bert Mills, the PDC has dismissed this matter in accordance with RCW 42.17A.755(1) and will not be conducting a more formal investigation into these allegations or taking further enforcement action in this matter.

However, PDC staff is reminding you about the importance of not using District facilities in a manner that could result in assisting the campaign of an individual seeking election to public office. Although staff did not find evidence the nomination of Sabrina Parnell for The Bridge-Builder pin award in May 2021 was done for the purpose of assisting her 2021 campaign for re-election to the Riverview Scholl Board, staff encourages District officials to postpone such awards in the future to a time when the individual being honored is not a candidate for public office. PDC staff expects in the future that District officials will be careful to use the facilities of Riverview School District in accordance with PDC laws and rules.

If you have questions, you may contact Phil Stutzman at 360-664-8853 toll-free at 1-877-601-2828, or by e-mail pdc@pdc.wa.gov.

Sincerely,

Electronically Signed Philip E. Stutzman

Phil Stutzman Compliance Officer

Endorsed by,

Electronically Signed Kim Bradford

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