



FOIA REQUEST

Village of Brighton, 206 S Main St, PO Box 458, Brighton IL 62012

ALL COMMERCIAL REQUESTS MUST BE DECLARED AT SUBMITTAL

Office Use:

Date Received: _____ Fulfillment Deadline: _____

Request Granted ___ Partial Denial ___ Denial ___ No Responsive Records ___

Reason for denial _____

Name & Address of Requestor (optional) _____

Preferred contact for requestor?

Telephone # _____ Email address _____

Is this request for a commercial purpose? ___ Yes ___ No *(It is a violation of the Freedom of Information Act for a person to knowingly obtain a public record for commercial purpose without disclosing that it is for a commercial purpose, if requested to do so by the public body. 5 ILCS 140.3.1 (c)).*

Records Requested: *Provide as much specific detail as possible so the public body can identify the information that you are seeking.*

Do you wish to: (Please check one)

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Inspect the documents

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Have copies made

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Electronic copies through email

*The Village of Brighton will respond to the above request within five (5) business days from the date of receipt unless one or more of the reasons for an extension of time provided for in the Freedom of Information Act are invoked by the Village. Commercial requests will take more than 5 days and you will be notified as to the estimated time.

**Fees: 8 ½ x 11 -First 50 pages free; \$.15 thereafter; \$.15 for any/all color copies

*** Large size prints, maps or blueprints will be the amount charged by a third party copy company

The Village of Brighton provides access to public records as required by the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 et seq., as amended. The Illinois FOIA is the principal Illinois law governing access to public records. The Act is based on the principle that people should be able to access public records and information about the workings of government.

Submit a FOIA request to:

For general records requests:

Tamara Jenkins
Village Clerk/FOIA Officer
206 S Main St, PO Box 458
Brighton, IL 62012
618-372-8860
Clerk@brightonill.com

For police related requests:

Sgt. Dustin Ford
Village Police Dept./FOIA Officer
206 S Main St, PO Box 458
Brighton, IL 62012
618-372-4207
dford@brightonill.com

RECORDS MAINTAINED BY THE VILLAGE OF BRIGHTON

This list is not exhaustive and is merely for reference or descriptive purposes. Per the Illinois Freedom of Information Act, various records or portions of records may be exempt from inspection and copying. Depending on the type of request, copies are available on paper or electronic media. Many of these records are posted on the Village website at www.brightonil.com

Agendas*

Agreements

Bids

Building/Zoning Permits

Business Licenses

Code Violations

Contracts

Correspondence

Easements

Election Records

FOIA Requests

Inspection Records

Invoices

Maps

Minutes*

Ordinances*

Personnel Files

Plans/Exhibits/Plats

Police Reports

Public Hearing Files

Public Hearing Notices

Raffle Licenses

Resolutions*

Solicitation Permits

Treasurer's Reports*

Village Audits/Annual Financial Report*

Village Budgets*

Village Code Book*

Water Quality Reports*

*Records available immediately upon request and are posted on www.brightonil.com