

March 6, 2023

VIA E-MAIL ONLY apark0006@student.cerritos.edu

Amy Parker

## Re: <u>Response to California Public Records Act Request</u>

Dear Ms. Parker:

On behalf of the Cerritos Community College District ("District"), this letter acknowledges receipt of your February 24, 2023, request for records pursuant to the California Public Records Act ("Act") (Gov. Code, § 7920.000 et seq.). Although your letter refers to prior requests for records, you include a new request for additional records. This is the District's initial response in accordance with the Act. (Gov. Code, § 7922.535.) In your letter, you have asked for the following information:

• the "security opinion(s)" and "legal opinion(s)" that were mentioned in the meeting between you, President/Superintendent Jose Fierro, and I on February 22, 2023.

The District takes its responsibility as guardian of the public's information seriously and makes its best efforts to respond to your request within the limits of the CPRA. Upon review of your request, the District has determined that, to the extent the District has potentially responsive records, your request seeks records that are exempt from disclosure in whole or in part, including under the following CPRA exemptions:

- 1. Documents or information protected under the attorney-client privilege. (Gov. Code, § 7927.705; Evid. Code, §§ 952, 954; Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6068.);
- Documents or information protected under the attorney work product or deliberative process privilege. (Gov. Code, §§ 7927.500 and 7927.705); Evid. Code, § 915; CCP, § 2018.030; Bus. & Prof., Code § 6068.); and
- 3. Documents that constitute information security records, the disclosure of which would reveal vulnerabilities to, or otherwise increase the potential for an attack on, an information technology system of the District. (Gov. Code, § 7929.210(a).)
- 4. Documents or information, where on balance the public interest served by not disclosing the record clearly outweighs the public interest served by disclosure of the record (Gov. Code, § 7922.000).

Records exempt from disclosure pursuant to these categories have been withheld or redacted accordingly.



To the extent any part of your request is denied, you are hereby advised pursuant to Government Code section 7922.540, formerly 6253 subsection (d), that Felipe Lopez Vice President, Business Services / Assistant Superintendent is the individual responsible for such denial. Additionally, as you requested clarification regarding the individual responsible for the District's denials of your prior records requests you indicated were submitted to the District on December 2, 2022, December 4, 2022, and January 2, 2023, you are hereby advised pursuant to Government Code section 7922.540, formerly 6253 subsection (d), that Felipe Lopez Vice President, Business Services / Assistant Superintendent is the individual responsible for the denial of those requests.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Felipe R Lopez, MBA Vice President of Business Services/ Assistant Superintendent