

January 7, 2006

West Boylston Junior-Senior High School
125 Crescent Street
West Boylston, MA 01583

Dear West Boylston Junior-Senior High School Principal,

As you may know, the Boston Globe recently ran an article on the growing number of high school students in the Boston area that are requesting their school administrators not release their personal information to military recruiters.

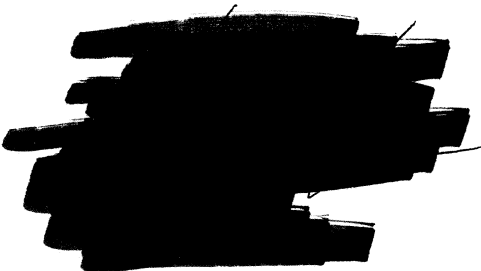
I am researching a possible article on how schools in Worcester County are handling the No Child Left Behind requirements with respect to military recruiters, and what you as a local school administrator are seeing at your school.

I would like to make a public records request of your school to assist me in this research. In particular, I am requesting,

- 1) a count by grade of the total number of current students that have asked that their personal information not be released to military recruiters;
- 2) the total number of students in Grade 9, Grade 10, Grade 11, and in Grade 12 at your school;
- 3) a copy of the letter or announcement you provided to parents and students this school year informing them of their right to have their personal information withheld and;
- 4) a short explanation of how this letter or document was distributed to parents and students

In initial conversations with some of my local administrators I learned that there is an interest in knowing what other schools are doing. If you are interested in knowing more about the results of my research, please let me know and I will gladly forward you a compilation of the data received from other Central MA schools.

Thank you very much for your attention to this request.



Questions

- 1) 9:5, 10:4, 11:1, 12:1
- 2) 9:94, 10:94, 11:86, 12:88
- 3) Do not have a copy
- 4) Was in the ~~the~~ ^{School} paper (Lions Roar) that goes home to parents. went home in Sept