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## Letter from the Foundation for Individual Rights and Expression, December 22, 2022

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Dear Mr. Terr,

This is to acknowledge receipt of your letter, and to inform you our offices are closed for the holidays until January 2, 2022. The School Board's next meeting is scheduled for January 17, 2022, as published on our district website.

Chairwoman Castillo and I will review your letter, and its demands, with our School Board General Counsel following the holidays and respond accordingly.

At this time, we are awaiting final guidelines from FLDOE regarding media center access and training for our certified professional media specialists before bringing forward a recommendation to the Board regarding the 5 books currently under review. The School Board requested additional time to read and review the books for themselves before taking action on the recommendations of the review committee, and we have since welcomed two new School Board Members.

Regards,

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