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OHIO HISTORY CONNECTION

SEPTEMBER 15 2022

RECORDS RETENTION SCHEDULE (RC-2)

STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENT RECORDS

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Section A: Local Government Unit	(To complete this form onl		
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(signature of responsible official)	(name)	(title)	(date)
Section B: Records Commission BELINDA ANDERSON	ıl	(440) 775-	7203
Records Commission		(telephone nur	<u>, - , - , - , - , - , - , - , - , - , -</u>
85 S. Main Street	Oberlin	44074	Lorain
(address)	(city)	(zip code)	(county)
I hereby certify that our records commis listed on this form and any continuation series from being destroyed, transferred disposed of which pertains to any pendi commission.	sheets. I further certify that our cod, or otherwise disposed of in viola	mmission will make every ion of these schedules an	r effort to prevent these records at that no record will be knowingled in the minutes kept by this 9/15/2022
Records Commission Chair Signature			Date
Section C: Ohio Historical Sectety-S	State Archives		
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Signature	Title		Date
Section D: Auditor of State		restration and recording to the survival control of the survival plant of the survival of the	
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Section E: Records Retention Schedule

CITY OF OBERLIN

POLICE DEPARTMENT

(local government entity) (unit)

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2022-01-PD	Accident / Crash Reports Traffic – Non-Fatal.	3 years.	Electronic*		
2022-02-PD	Accident / Crash Reports Traffic – Fatal.	Permanent.	Electronic*		
2022-03-PD	Alarm Billing Yearly Report and letters to businesses and residents sent due to alarm responses	2 years.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-04-PD	Alcohol Breath Testing Forms (Test, Calibration, Proficiency, Etc.)	3 years.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-05-PD	Annual Dept Budget Worksheets / Documents Includes budget requests, cost estimates, expenditures, program requests, salary and wage lists, correspondence and related records.	5 years after budget year.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-06-PD	Annual Department Report	Permanent.	Paper		\square
2022-07-PD	Applicants Withdrawn From Consideration For Employment Background Investigation	1 year.	Paper Electronic*		

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2022-08-PD	Arrest Book Arrestee – Charge Information.	Permanent.	Paper		\triangleleft
2022-09-PD	Arrest Cards/ Reports Reports concerning arrests made by officers. May include complete name, alias or nickname of person arrested, residence, sex, age, date of birth, physical description, offense committed, car-make, license number, occupation, telephone numbers, names of witnesses, name of arresting officer(s), and other related information.	Permanent.	Paper		ď
2022-10-PD	Attendance Reports / Records / Differential Time Sheets	6 years.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-11-PD	Auction/Surplus Sales Records Records concerning abandoned and unclaimed articles and found property sold at public auction. May include auction receipts of monies received for items sold.	5 years.	Paper		
2022-12-PD	Audit Records Results Law Enforcement Automated Data System, National Crime Information Center, Ohio Law Enforcement Network.	2 audit cycles.	Paper		
2022-13-PD	Bicycle License Registrations	Destruction of the bicycle or documented change of ownership or 25 years, whichever comes first.	Electronic*		
2022-14-PD	Bicycle/Property Cards (Stolen and Abandoned)	2 years.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-15-PD	Blank Forms (Administrative)	Until revised, obsolete or superseded, and then destroy.	Paper Electronic*		

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2022-16-PD	<u>Citations File</u> Files include violations related to traffic, parking, equipment, bicycle, garbage and nuisance.	3 years provided no action pending.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-17-PD	Computer Generated Reports (Non-Specific) Administrative & Financial Reports.	Until no longer of administrative value or fiscal value, then destroy.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-18-PD	Copies (Reading, Informational & Reference)	Until no longer of administrative value.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-19-PD	Correspondence and Inquires	Filed according to content and retained until no longer administrative value	Paper Electronic*		
2022-20-PD	Correspondence (email)	Filed according to content and retained until no longer administrative value	Paper Electronic*		
2022-21-PD	Correspondence (Unsolicited)	Retain until no longer of administrative value.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-22-PD	Criminal Case Files Incident Reports (Capital Crimes) Includes investigative reports, complaint reports, fingerprint cards, original arrest reports, copies of warrants, special expenditure reports, statements of seized and returned property, interview sheets, case status reports, photographs, court orders, correspondence officer's notes, laboratory tests, court dispositions, and other related records.	Permanent.	Paper Electronic*		ď

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2022-23-PD	Criminal Case Files - Incident Reports (Misdemeanor) Includes investigative reports, complaint reports, fingerprint cards, original arrest reports, copies of warrants, special expenditure reports, statements of seized and returned property, interview sheets, case status reports, photographs, court orders, correspondence, officer's notes, laboratory tests, court dispositions, and other related records.	6 years provided no action pending.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-24-PD	Criminal Case Files- Incident Reports (Felony) Includes reports related to investigations, complaints, and arrest. Copies of warrants, special expenditure reports, statements of seized and returned property, interview sheets, case status reports, photographs, court orders, correspondence, officer's notes, laboratory tests, court dispositions, and other related records.	6 years provided no action pending.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-25-PD	Cruiser Repair Work Orders Requests for vehicle repair or maintenance.	7 years per vehicle.	Paper		
2022-26-PD	Daily Logs (Electronic Computer Logs)	5 years.	Electronic*		
2022-27-PD	Daily Logs (Printed Computer Logs)	1 year.	Paper		
2022-28-PD	Domestic Violence Case & Monthly Reports Cases and reports on Domestic violence including restraining orders and related records.	3 years after submitted to the Bureau of Criminal Investigation (BCI) in Ohio.	Paper		

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2022-29-PD	<u>Drafts and Informal Notes</u> (Including but not limited to: appointment books, calendars, schedules, organizers, planners, and electronic files (Microsoft Outlook & Blackberry devices).	Retain until no longer of administrative value	Paper Electronic*		
2022-30-PD	Electronic Fingerprinting Form requesting Ohio Bureau of Investigations and or Federal Bureau of Investigations web check be completed by electronic fingerprints.	1 Year	Paper		
2022-31-PD	Equipment Inventory Inventories of equipment issued to all law enforcement personnel.	3 years.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-32-PD	Equipment Operating & Maintenance Manuals	Life of equipment.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-33-PD	Evidence / Property Receipts	5 years after destruction of property.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-34-PD	Event Planning Documentation Includes but not limited to community events such as Family Fun Fair, Safety Town, and Bike Rodeo.	3 years.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-35-PD	Field Training Manuals	Employee retains until retirement or termination.	Paper		
2022-36-PD	Field Training Program (Daily Observation and Evaluation Reports) Reports concerning field observations of suspicious persons or vehicles. May include subject's name, address, and physical description; date, time, and location of occurrence, reason for stop, name of officer conducting interview, and other related information.	2 years after completion of Field Training Officer program.	Paper		

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2022-37-PD	Firearms Qualifications Records of the officer's completion of qualifying with department issued firearms	Permanently retained by Oberlin Police Department Firearms Instructor	Electronic		
2022-38-PD	Finger Print Cards Numerically index or similar record used to verify a subject's identity. May include fingerprints and all necessary information required to identify an individual. Fingerprint cards are often part of a case or criminal history file.	80 years (or until deceased).	Paper Electronic*		
2022-39-PD	General Orders, Directives, Policies, Rules, Regulations Or Procedures	Until superseded, retain one copy permanently for administrative value.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-40-PD	Grant Files Applications / Records Federal / State.	5 years provided audited and disputes resolved.	Paper Electronic*	Audited mean encompassed have been au	by the records
2022-41-PD	Hand Written Dispatch Notes	Destroyed after electronic entry.	Paper	Auditor of Sta audit report ha released purs	as been
2022-42-PD	Incident / Accident Report (Copies) Reports completed by officers responding to incidents. May include victim, suspect and witness information, damaged and stolen property reports, statement sheets, Miranda waiver forms, and other related records.	10 years after termination or retirement of employee.	Paper	Sec. 117.26 C	D.R.C
2022-43-PD	Jail Log Register	Permanent.	Paper Electronic*		A
2022-44-PD	Jail Records Including but not limited to commissary, intake/discharge, medical, personal property documents, and daily log book.	3 Years.	Paper Electronic*		

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2022-45-PD	Junk Vehicle Records	2 years provided no action pending.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-46-PD	Junk Vehicle Reports / Lists	3 years provided no action pending.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-47-PD	Juvenile Diversion Program Arrested Juveniles who are entered in the Oberlin Police Department Diversion Program in place of their case being sent to Juvenile Court	Until successful completion of the Juvenile Diversion Program	Paper		
2022-48-PD	K-9 Records (Medical, Training, Statistical Data)	10 years after retirement (or death) of K-9.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-49-PD	<u>Lists</u> Various	Continually updated or revised.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-50-PD	Media Releases	1 year.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-51-PD	Missing Persons Report	20 years if not found, otherwise, retain for 6 years provided no action pending.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-52-PD	Monthly & Annual Statistical Reports (Including but Not Limited To City Stats and Ohio Incident Base Reporting System (OIBRS) Copies of reports submitted to the State Bureau of Investigation summarizing statistics on criminal activity and agency operations.	5 Years.	Paper		
2022-53-PD	Monthly Department Statistics Department statistics requested by the Chief of Police (including but not limited to foot patrol, traffic stops, demographics, and adult charges)	1 year	Paper		

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2022-54-PD	Mug Shots	25 Years.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-55-PD	PC/Computer System Backup Files	Destroy disks or cartridges.	Electronic*		
2022-56-PD	Professional Magazines & Publications	Until no longer of administrative value.	Paper		
2022-57-PD	Property Room Logs	25 Years.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-58-PD	Property Room Records Documentation pertaining to property released or contraband destroyed by order of the Court.	25 Years.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-59-PD	Purchase Orders Requests, forms, packing slips, and attached documents concerning purchased supplies, equipment, and services.	3 Years.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-60-PD	Racial Profiling Statistics	2 Years.	Paper		
2022-61-PD	Radio / Telephone Recordings This record series also includes calls received by dispatch.	Retain for 30 days provided no known litigation or criminal charges pending then destroy disks or cartridges.	Electronic*		
2022-62-PD	Receipt Books	2 Years.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-63-PD	Records Retention Compliance File RC1, RC2, RC3, and Inventory Forms.	Records Custodian is expected to keep permanent copy.	Paper Electronic*		

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2022-64-PD	Records (Background) Check Requests.	Until completed and no longer of administrative value.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-65-PD	Ride-Along-Request Forms Records concerning a law enforcement agency's ride-along program. May include citizens' applications to participate, waivers of liability, and other related records.	1 year.	Paper		
2022-66-PD	Security Video Including but not limited to booking, lobby, detective's office, body cameras, drone video, and cruiser cameras	Retain for 30 days provided no known litigation pending, destroy disks or cartridges.	Electronic*		
2022-67-PD	Service Letters (Community Satisfaction Survey)	Until termination of employee.	Paper		
2022-68-PD	Sexual Offender Records Records concerning sexual offenders living within jurisdiction.	Destroy in office records of persons registered in the "Sex Offender and Public Protection Program" after court petition and review by the State, or when individual is known dead or moves from jurisdiction. Destroy in office records of persons registered in the "Sexually Violent Predator Program" when individual is known dead or moves from jurisdiction.	Electronic*		
2022-69-PD	Solicitor Permits	1 year after date of expiration.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-70-PD	Subpoenas, Summons or Warrants Order for records or personnel to attend court proceeding.	Retain 1 year from court date.	Paper		

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2022-71-PD	Tow Records Records concerning vehicles towed as a result of traffic or criminal offenses (release records housed by Oberlin Municipal Court).	3 years provided no action pending.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-72-PD	Transient Documents Includes telephone messages, appointment books, calendars, drafts and other limited documents which serve to convey Information of temporary importance In lieu of oral communication.	Until no longer of administrative value.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-73-PD	Trespass Letters Notifications Authorizations by property owners, lessees, or managers for municipal law enforcement officers to take whatever actions they deem appropriate to remove unauthorized persons and issue trespass warnings	Until recalled, superseded or subject deceased.	Paper		
2022-74-PD	Union Contract File	Permanent.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-75-PD	Vacation House Check Record Cards Citizen's notification they will be away, additional patrol requested.	30 days after owner return.	Paper Electronic*		
2022-76-PD	Warrants	Until recalled or served, then destroy. Original copies returned to court	Paper Electronic*		

^{*}Retain electronic copy as long as intact and fully accessible.

Audited means: the years encompassed by the records have been audited by the Auditor of State and the audit report has been released pursuant to Sec. 117.26 O.R.C



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Section A: Local Government Unit

- Include the name of the municipality, county, township, school, library, or special taxing district (local government entity) for which the form is being submitted.
- Include the unit (department, agency, office), if applicable.
- The departmental official directly responsible for the records must sign and date the form.

Section B: Records Commission

- Complete the phone number and mailing address for the Records Commission, including the county.
- To have this form returned to the Records Commission electronically, include an email address. It is the responsibility of the Records Commission to forward an electronic or paper copy of the approved form to the appropriate department.
- The Records Commission Chairperson must sign the certification statement before it can be reviewed and signed at the Ohio Historical Society by the Local Government Records representative, and approved by the Auditor of State's Office.

Section C: Ohio Historical Society - State Archives

- The reviewing agent from Ohio Historical Society Local Government Records Program (OHS-LGRP) will indicate on your RC-2 which records series will require a Certificate of Records Disposal (RC-3) prior to disposal.
- They will sign the form and forward it to the Auditor of State's Office.

Section D: Auditor of State

The approving agent at the Auditor of State's office will sign the form and return it to the OHS-LGRP.

Section E: Records Retention Schedule

- Schedule numbers can be expressed by a year and item numbering scheme for each records series being scheduled, for example, 09-1 and 09-2. Another option is to include a unique abbreviated identifier for each office, for example, Eng. [Engineer] 1, Eng. 2, etc. The numbering schema is your choice, and it will be used later on your Certificate of Records
- Include the title of the records series and a brief description of each series. Please provide information about the content and use of the records series.
- Articulate a retention period for the record in terms of time (exp. six years), an action (exp. until audited), or both (six years after
- Include the formats of the record (paper, electronic, microfilm, etc.)
- For use by the Auditor of State or the OHS-LGRP. OHS-LGRP will mark the records series that will need an RC-3 prior to disposal.

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- For questions related to records scheduling and disposition, OHS-LGRP: (614) 297-2553 or at localrecs@ohiohistory.org
- After completing sections A and E, submit the form to your records commission so it can be approved in an open meeting pursuant to Section 121.22 ORC. See Ohio Revised Code Section 149.38 (counties), 149.39 (municipalities), 149.41 (school districts), 149.411 (libraries), 149.412 (special taxing districts) and 149.42 (townships) for the composition of your records commission. Your records commission completes section B and sends the form to OHS-LGRP at:

localrecs@ohiohistory.org OR

The Ohio Historical Society State Archives of Ohio Local Government Records Archivist

800 E. 17th Avenue

Columbus, OH 43211-2497

- The OHS-LGRP will review this RC-2 and forward it to the Auditor of State's Records Officer, Columbus.
- This RC-2 is in effect when all signatures have been affixed to it. OHS-LGRP will return a copy of the approved form to the Records Commission. The local records commission and the originating office should retain permanent copies of the form to document legal disposal of public records.
- Remember, at least 15 Business days before you intend to dispose of records, submit a Certificate of Records Disposal (RC-3) to the OHS-LGRP. Copies of RC-3s will not be returned.