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EXEMPTION SERIES 1 — INVESTIGATIVE AND INTELLIGENCE 2 — WITNESS AND VICTIM 3 — CHILD WITNESS AND VICTIM 4 — JUVENILE RECORDS 5 — JAIL AND CORRECTIONAL 6 — VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENTS 7 — SECURITY 8 — CRIMINAL HISTORY 9 through 18 — EMPLOYEE-RELATED 19 through 25 — PERSONAL IDENTIFIERS (INC. DL, SSN, ETC.) 26 — ATTORNEY/CLIENT 27 through 35 — MEDICAL AND SUBSTANCE USE TREATMENT	36 through 40 — VULNERABLE ADULTS AND CHILDREN 41 — FINANCIAL 42 — COMPUTER SECURITY 43 — TELECOMMUNICATIONS 44 through 45 — PROPRIETARY 46 – DELIBERATIVE/PRELIMINARY 47 — TRAFFIC COLLISION 48 — DASHCAM/BODYCAM 49 — BIRTH, DEATH, MARRIAGE 50 — REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS 51 – ARCHAEOLOGICAL SITES 52 – DEPICTION OF MINOR ENGAGED IN SEXUALLY EXPLICIT CONDUCT 53 through 63 - MISCELLANEOUS
OVERARCHING PRA CASES: Gendler v. Batiste, 174 Wn.2d 244 (2012) [The PRA requires state and local agencies to disclose public records upon request, unless the record falls within a PRA exemption or other statutory exemption]. Fisher Broadcasting-Seattle TV LLC v. City of Seattle, 180 Wn.2d 515 (2014) [The PRA is liberally construed, and its exemptions narrowly construed to assure that the public interest is fully protected].	

Investigative and Intelligence			
1A – 1B	**RCW 42.56.240(1), RCW 42.56.050.** Specific intelligence information and records compiled by investigative, law enforcement, penology agencies, and state agencies vested with the responsibility to discipline members of any profession, the nondisclosure of which is essential to effective law enforcement or the protection of any person's right to privacy. Haines-Marchel v. State, Dept. of Corrections. 183 Wn. App.655 (2014).	Identifying information of a confidential informant where nondisclosure is: **1A:** Essential to effective law enforcement because releasing the identity or information about the confidential informant would compromise this and/or future and past investigations where this confidential informant may have been involved **1B:** Essential for the protection of the confidential informant's right to privacy	
1C	**RCW 42.56.240(1), RCW 42.56.050.** Specific intelligence information and specific investigative records compiled by investigative, law enforcement, penology agencies, and state agencies vested with the responsibility to discipline members of any profession, the nondisclosure of which is essential to effective law enforcement or the protection of any person's right to privacy. Newman v. King County, 183 Wn. 2d 565 (1997).	Records contained in an active, on-going criminal investigation – this is a "categorical" exemption, meaning the records are exempt as a whole in their entirety	

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1D	**RCW 42.56.240(1), RCW 42.56.050.** Specific intelligence information and specific investigative records compiled by investigative, law enforcement, penology agencies, and state agencies vested with the responsibility to discipline members of any profession, the nondisclosure of which is essential to effective law enforcement or the protection of any person's right to privacy. Sargent v. Seattle Police Department, 179 Wn.2d 376 (2013) [Effective law enforcement exemption is not categorical when referral to prosecutor has occurred but can be used if release of certain individually-assessed records would compromise investigative process. This exemption does not apply to internal investigations].	Specific intelligence information compiled by law enforcement, the nondisclosure of which is essential to effective law enforcement, because to release the information would reveal law enforcement techniques, capabilities, limitations, and the extent of law enforcement knowledge, which would jeopardize investigations/prosecutions and/or assist individuals in criminal activity	
1E – 1F	**RCW 42.56.240(1), RCW 42.56.050.** Specific intelligence information and records compiled by investigative, law enforcement, penology agencies, and state agencies vested with the responsibility to discipline members of any profession, the nondisclosure of which is essential to effective law enforcement or the protection of any person's right to privacy.	Specific investigative records compiled by law enforcement, in an investigation that has already been referred to the Prosecuting Attorney, the nondisclosure of which is: **1E:** Essential to effective law enforcement, because to release the information would compromise the investigative or prosecution process **1F:** For the protection of a person's right to privacy	
1G	**RCW 42.56.240(1), RCW 42.56.050**. Specific intelligence information and records compiled by investigative, law enforcement, penology agencies, and state agencies vested with the responsibility to discipline members of any profession, the nondisclosure of which is essential to effective law enforcement or the protection of any person's right to privacy.	Specific intelligence information compiled by an investigative agency, the nondisclosure of which is for the protection of a person's right to privacy	
1H	**RCW 42.56.240(1), RCW 42.56.050**. Specific intelligence information and records compiled by investigative, law enforcement, penology agencies, and state agencies vested with the responsibility to discipline members of any profession, the nondisclosure of which is essential to effective law enforcement or the protection of any person's right to privacy, and the release of which would be highly offensive to a reasonable person and not of legitimate concern to the public. Service Employees International Union Local 925 v. Freedom Foundation, 197 Wn. App. 203 (2016) [right to public records does not extinguish an individual's constitutional rights in private information]; Tiberino v. Spokane County, 103 Wn. App 680 (2000) [to be legitimate, public interest in disclosure of highly offensive records must be reasonable, privacy applies only to intimate details of one's personal/private life]; Bainbridge Island Police Guild v. City of Puyallup, 172 Wn. 2d 398 (2011) [disclosure of unsubstantiated allegations as an example of highly offensive violation of privacy right].	Photograph or video recording of a victim, suspect, or witness that shows injury, a deceased person, or would violate the individual's right to privacy	
1I	**RCW 42.56.590(10)(a)(I); RCW 40.26.020(5); RCW 40.26.020(7)(b).** Information based on an individual's biometric identifiers is exempt from production under the Public Records Act. Biometric identifiers include, but may not be limited to: retina or iris scan, fingerprint, voiceprint, DNA, or scan of hand or face geometry.	The record contains the biometric identifier of an individual	

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1J	**RCW 42.56.235.** All records that relate to or contain personally identifying information about an individual's religious beliefs, practices, or affiliation are exempt from disclosure.	Records related to an individual's religious beliefs, practices, or affiliation	
1K	**RCW 42.56.690; RCW 36.28A.455**. Information relating to notifications and notification registrations in the victim and witness notification program.	Material contains information relating to notifications and notification registrations in the victim and witness notification program	
1L	**RCW 42.56.230(3); RCW 42.56.050**. Personal information in files maintained for employees, appointees, or elected officials of any public agency, to the extent that disclosure would violate their right to privacy. See also City of Tacoma v. Tacoma News, Inc. 65 Wn.App 140, 145, 827 P.2d 1094 (1992); Bellevue John Does 1-11 v. Bellevue Sch. Dist. #405, 164 Wn.2d 199, 217, 189 P.3d 139 (2008); Bainbridge Island Police Guild v. City of Puyallup, 172 Wn.2d 398, 412, 259 P.3d 190 (2016).	Identity of employee subject to an unsustained internal investigation of misconduct, release of which violates the employee's right to privacy due to the highly offensive nature of the allegations	
Witness and Victim			
2A – 2C	**RCW 42.56.240(2).** Information revealing the identity of persons who are witnesses to or victims of crime or who file complaints with any investigative, law enforcement, or penology agencies, if disclosure would endanger any person's life, physical safety, or property. This is an appropriate exemption to protect the victim's location if a domestic violence victim has relocated to a secret location to protect themselves, but the release of their name may not automatically endanger them. Requires subjective, case-by-case analysis.	Identity of a victim to a crime where disclosure would endanger any person's: **2A:** Life **2B**: Physical safety **2C**: Property	
2D	**RCW 42.56.240(2).** Information revealing the identity of persons who are witnesses to or victims of a crime or who file complaints with any investigative, law enforcement, or penology agencies, if disclosure would endanger any person's life, physical safety, or property, or **they indicate a desire for anonymity** at the time of initial contact.	Identity of a victim of a crime where the victim requested anonymity at the time of initial contact with law enforcement	
2E – 2G	**RCW 42.56.240(2).** Information revealing the identity of persons who are witnesses to or victims of crime or who file complaints with any investigative, law enforcement, or penology agencies, if disclosure would endanger any person's life, physical safety, or property, or if they indicate a desire for anonymity at the time of initial contact.	Identity of a victim who filed a complaint with an investigative, law enforcement, or penology agency where disclosure would endanger any person's: **2E**: Life **2F**: Physical safety **2G**: Property	
2H	**RCW 42.56.240(2).** Information revealing the identity of persons who are witnesses to or victims of a crime or who file complaints with any investigative, law enforcement, or penology agencies, if disclosure would endanger any person's life, physical safety, or property, or if they indicate a desire for anonymity at the time of initial contact.	Identity of a victim who filed a complaint with an investigative, law enforcement, or penology agency where the victim requested anonymity at the time of initial contact with law enforcement	

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2I	**RCW 42.56.240(2).** Information revealing the identity of persons who are witnesses to or victims of crime or who file complaints with any investigative, law enforcement, or penology agencies, if disclosure would endanger any person's life, physical safety, or property, or if they indicate a desire for anonymity at the time of initial contact.	Identity of a witness to a crime where the witness requested anonymity at the time of initial contact with law enforcement	
2J	**RCW 42.56.240(2).** Information revealing the identity of persons who are witnesses to or victims of crime or who file complaints with any investigative, law enforcement, or penology agencies, if disclosure would endanger any person's life, physical safety, or property, or if they indicate a desire for anonymity at the time of initial contact.	Identity of a witness to a crime who filed a complaint with an investigative, law enforcement, or penology agency where the witness requested anonymity at the time of initial contact with law enforcement	
2K	**RCW 42.56.240(18); RCW 26.44.** Any and all audio or video recordings of child forensic interviews as defined in chapter 26.44 RCW are confidential and may only be disclosed pursuant to a court order entered upon a showing of good cause and with advance notice to the child's parent, guardian, or legal custodian, or with advance notice to the child if the child is an emancipated minor or has attained the age of majority.	The record consists of an audio or video recording of a child forensic interview and is exempt from disclosure except in certain limited circumstances	
2L	**RCW 26.44; RCW 13.50.100**. Case records of multidisciplinary child abuse protection teams, information and records communicated to or provided to the teams, and records created in the course of a child abuse or neglect case investigation are protected from disclosure.	Records collected or prepared by a multidisciplinary child abuse protection team that pertain to the team's investigation of a case	
Child Witness and Victim			
3A	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 42.56.240(5), RCW 10.97.130, RCW 10.52.100.** Information revealing the identity of child victims of sexual assault or commercial sexual exploitation who are under age 18 are exempt, including name, address, location, photograph, and in cases in which the child victim is a relative or stepchild of the alleged perpetrator, identification of the relationship between the child and the alleged perpetrator.	Identifying information of a living child victim of a crime of sexual assault or exploitation and permission to disclose has not been obtained, and the requester is not the child victim or a parent/guardian of the child victim, or an entity providing services to the child victim	
3B	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 7.69A.030(4)**. Identifying information of a living child victim of a crime and permission to disclose has not been obtained, and the requester is not the child victim or a parent/guardian of the child victim, or an entity providing services to the child victim.	Identifying information of a living *child victim* of a crime	
3C	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 7.69A.030(4).** Name/address/photos of living child victim/witness shall not be disclosed by law enforcement, prosecutors, state agencies without permission of victim/witness/parents/guardians except to the entity providing services to child.	Identifying information of a living *child witness* to a crime	

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Juvenile Records			
4A	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 13.50.100**. Records covered by RCW 13.50.100 are confidential and will be released only pursuant to that section and RCW 13.50.010. Wright v. State, 176 Wn. App. 585 (2013).	Records related to a juvenile which do not relate to the commission of a criminal offense, and the requester is not the juvenile, the juvenile's parent, or the attorney for the juvenile or parent	
4B	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 13.50.050**. All records other than the official juvenile court file are confidential and may be released only as provided in RCW 13.50.050 and RCW 13.50.010. Some exceptions exist under RCW 13.40.215 [pertains only to committed violent or sex offense or stalking offenses] and RCW 4.24.550 [pertains only to sex and kidnapping offenses]. Wright v. State, 176 Wn. App. 585 (2013).	Records related to a juvenile related to the commission of a criminal offense. The record is not the official juvenile court file, and the redacted information identifies the juvenile or the juvenile's family	
4C	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 13.50.100**. Records covered by this section are confidential and will be released only in accordance with RCW 13.50.100 and 13.50.010. Wright v. State, 176 Wn. App. 585 (2013).	Records retained or produced by a juvenile justice or care agency (as defined by RCW 13.50.010(1)(a)) which do not relate to the commission of a criminal offense. Requester is not the juvenile or his/her parent, or their attorney, or any other person/entity authorized to receive such records pursuant to RCW 13.50.100	
Jail and Correctional			
5A	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 70.48.100**. Jail records are generally exempt from disclosure and may be released only in accordance with RCW 70.48.100. Recordings of inmate phone calls are exempt from disclosure pursuant to Zabala v. Okanogan County, 3 Wn. App. 2d 156 (2018). Exemption extends even after referral to the prosecutor and covers records created by the prosecutor concerning the inmate. *Exceptions* to exemption include agencies determining eligibility for services, e.g., medical, mental health, chemical dependency treatment, or veteran's services.	Jail records – all records, including booking photos, medical information, phone conversation recordings, and custodial care information, and the requester does not fall under an exception to the exemption, and/or the inmate/subject has not given written permission for disclosure	
5B	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 70.48.100(3)(a)**. Jail booking photos are exempt from disclosure except to law enforcement to assist in a crime investigation.	Jail booking photograph that has not been anonymized and repurposed for photo montage	
5C	**RCW 42.56.420(2); RCW 42.56.240(1)** – specific and unique vulnerability assessments, the public disclosure of which would have a substantial likelihood of threatening the security of a correctional facility. Gronquist v. Dept. of Corrections, 177 Wn. App. 389 (2013).	Jail/holding cell surveillance recordings where disclosure would have a substantial likelihood of threatening the security of the facility	

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Vulnerability Assessments			
6A	**RCW 42.56.420(1).** Those portions of records assembled, prepared, or maintained to prevent, mitigate, or respond to criminal terrorist acts, which are acts that significantly disrupt the conduct of government or of the general civilian population; the public disclosure of which would have a substantial likelihood of threatening public safety, consisting of: (a) Specific and unique vulnerability assessments or specific and unique response or deployment plans, including compiled underlying data collected in preparation of or essential to the assessments, or to the response or deployment plans; and (b) Records not subject to public disclosure under federal law that are shared by federal or international agencies, and information prepared from national security briefings provided to state or local government officials related to domestic preparedness for acts of terrorism.	Specific and unique vulnerability assessments or specific and unique response or deployment plans related to the prevention, mitigation, or response to criminal terrorist acts, where disclosure would have a substantial likelihood of threatening public safety	
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Security			
7A	**RCW 42.56.420(2).** Vulnerability assessments or emergency and escape response plans at an adult or juvenile correctional facility or a secure facility for persons civilly confined under RCW 71.09, the public disclosure of which would have a substantial likelihood of threatening the security of the facility or any individual's safety.	Vulnerability assessment of an adult or juvenile correctional facility where disclosure would have a substantial likelihood of threatening any safety of the facility	
7B	**RCW 42.56.420(2).** Vulnerability assessments or emergency and escape response plans at an adult or juvenile correctional facility or a secure facility for persons civilly confined under RCW 71.09, the public disclosure of which would have a substantial likelihood of threatening the security of the facility or any individual's safety.	Vulnerability assessment of an adult or juvenile correctional facility where disclosure would have a substantial likelihood of threatening any individual's safety	

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7D	**RCW 42.56.420(2).** Vulnerability assessments or emergency and escape response plans at an adult or juvenile correctional facility or a secure facility for persons civilly confined under RCW 71.09, the public disclosure of which would have a substantial likelihood of threatening the security of the facility or any individual's safety.	Emergency response plans of an adult or juvenile correctional facility where disclosure would have a substantial likelihood of threatening any individual's safety	
7E	**RCW 42.56.420(2)**. Vulnerability assessments or emergency and escape response plans at an adult or juvenile correctional facility or a secure facility for persons civilly confined under RCW 71.09, the public disclosure of which would have a substantial likelihood of threatening the security of the facility or any individual's safety.	Escape response plans for an adult or juvenile correctional facility where disclosure would have a substantial likelihood of threatening the security of the facility	
7F	**RCW 42.56.420(2)**. Vulnerability assessments or emergency and escape response plans at an adult or juvenile correctional facility or a secure facility for persons civilly confined under RCW 71.09, the public disclosure of which would have a substantial likelihood of threatening the security of the facility or any individual's safety.	Escape response plans for an adult or juvenile correctional facility where disclosure would have a substantial likelihood of threatening any individual's safety	
Criminal History			
8A	**RCW 42.56.070(1); 28 USC § 534; RCW 10.97.050, RCW 10.97.030**. Any agency that receives criminal history record information that was acquired, collected, classified, or preserved pursuant to 28 USC § 534 (FBI) or RCW Chapter 43 (Washington State Patrol) may not disseminate such information except as set forth in those statutes. Adams v. Washington State Department of Corrections, 189 Wn. App. 925 (2015) [creates an exception when the requester is the subject of the record].	FBI Rap Sheet/Triple III/National Crime Information Center data/non-conviction criminal history record information, and the requester is not the subject of the record	
8B	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 10.97.050, RCW 10.97.030**. Non-conviction criminal history record information may not be disclosed to the public unless it pertains to an incident that occurred within the last 12 months for which the person is currently being processed by the criminal justice system.	Non-conviction criminal history record information	

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8C	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 43.43.834(5); 28 CFR 20.33**. Criminal history background records obtained by a business or organization from an inquiry to the Washington State Patrol or an equivalent inquiry to a federal law enforcement agency cannot be disclosed to the public. Under 28 CFR 20.33, criminal justice agencies may use FBI rap sheets only for the conduct of background checks under the National Instant Criminal Background Check System (NICBC) or other federally-authorized purposes and may not re-disclose these records for purposes unrelated to those listed in 28 CFR 20.33(a).	Criminal history background check obtained by a business or organization from an inquiry to a state or federal law enforcement agency	
Employee-Related			
9A	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(b).** Applications for public employment, including name, resume, other related materials submitted by or with respect to the applicant. Exemption applies to former employees as well as current. Belenski v. Jefferson County, 187 Wn. App. 724 (2015).	Public employee application materials, including the name of the applicant and materials submitted to the agency by or with respect to the applicant (does not include applicants for elected office)	
9B	**RCW 42.56.230(3); RCW 42.56.050**. Personal information in files maintained for employees, appointees, or elected officials of any public agency to the extent that disclosure would violate their right to privacy (i.e., disclosure would be highly offensive to a reasonable person, and the information is not of legitimate concern to the public). However, information regarding specific instances of misconduct is not exempt.	Personal information maintained in a current or former public employee's or volunteer's personnel file that does not relate to misconduct	
9C	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(l).** Voluntarily submitted non-aggregated and non-deidentified personal demographic details of an individual are exempt. "Personal demographic details" means race or ethnicity, sexual orientation as defined by RCW 49.60.040(29), immigration status, national origin, or status as a person with a disability.	Demographic details of a specific individual are exempt from disclosure, even if voluntarily submitted to the agency	
9D	**RCW 51.28.070**. Information contained in industrial insurance claims files and records of injured workers is deemed confidential and is not open to public inspection.	Worker's compensation records	
9E	**RCW 51.04.063(13); RCW 42.56.230(8); RCW 42.56.070(1).** All information related to individual claims resolution and structured settlement agreements other than final orders, are private and exempt from release.	Individual claims resolution structured settlement agreement material that is not the final order	
10A – 10C	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(a).** Test questions, scoring keys, and other examination data used to administer an employment examination are exempt.	**10A:** Test questions used for employment examination **10B**: Test scoring keys used for an employment examination **10C**: Examination data (other than questions or scoring keys) used for an employment examination	

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10D	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(d).** The following information held by any public agency in personnel records, public employment related records, volunteer rosters, or included in any mailing list of employees or volunteers of any public agency: Residential addresses, residential telephone numbers, personal wireless telephone numbers, personal email addresses, social security numbers, driver's license numbers, identicard numbers, payroll deductions including the amount and identification of the deduction, and emergency contact information of the employees or volunteers of a public agency, and the names, dates of birth, residential addresses, residential telephone numbers, personal wireless telephone numbers, personal email addresses, social security numbers, and emergency contact information of dependents of employees or volunteers of a public agency.	Records include payroll deduction amounts or identify the payroll deduction and are contained in personnel or public employee records.	
10E – 10F	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(h)**. Photographs and the month and year of birth in the personnel files of employees or volunteers of a public agency are exempt unless the requester is a member of the news media. For the purposes of this subsection (1)(h), news media does not include any person or organization of persons in the custody of a criminal justice agency as defined in RCW 10.97.030. Also see Green v. Pierce County, 197 Wn.2d 841 (2021)	**10E**: Photograph contained in the personnel file of an employee or volunteer of a public agency, and the requester is not a member of the news media **10F**: Month and year of birth contained in the personnel file of an employee or volunteer of a public agency, and the requester is not a member of the news media	
10G	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(i).** Any employee's name or other personally identifying information, including but not limited to birthdate, job title, address of workstations and locations, work email address, work phone number, bargaining unit, or other similar information, maintained by an agency in personnel-related records or systems, or responsive to a request for a list of individuals subject to the commercial purpose prohibition under RCW 42.56.070(8). Also see Green v. Pierce County, 197 Wn.2d 841 (2021)	Information about employees and their dependents who are survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, harassment, or stalking. This exemption does not apply if the requester is from the media.	
11A	**RCW 42.56.360(1)(j).** All documents, including completed forms, received pursuant to an employee wellness program under RCW 41.04.362, are exempt.	Records received for participation in an employee wellness program	
11B	**RCW 42.56.330(5):** Personally identifying information of employees who acquire and use transit passes or other fare payment media is exempt.	Personally identifying information of an employee who uses transit passes	
12A – 12B	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(h).** Photographs and the month and year of birth in the personnel files of employees and workers of criminal justice agencies are exempt, unless the requester is a member of the news media. For the purposes of this subsection (1)(h), news media does not include any person or organization of persons in the custody of a criminal justice agency as defined in RCW 10.97.030. Also see Green v. Pierce County, 197 Wn.2d 841 (2021)	**12A**: Photograph contained in the personnel file of a criminal justice agency employee (includes Police Department, Sheriff's Office, Prosecuting Attorney's Office, Court staff), and the requester is not a member of the news media **12B:** Birthdate (month and year) of a criminal justice agency employee (includes Police Department, Sheriff's Office, Prosecuting Attorney's Office, Court staff)	
12C	**RCW 42.56.240(13).** The global positioning system data that would indicate the location of the residence of an employee or worker of a criminal justice agency.	GPS data that shows the location of the residence of an employee or worker of a criminal justice agency	

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12D	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(j).** The global positioning system data that would indicate the location of the residence of a public employee or volunteer using the global positioning system recording device.	GPS data that indicates the location of the residence of a public employee or volunteer	
13A – 13H	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(d).** The following information held by any public agency in personnel records, public employment related records, volunteer rosters, or included in any mailing list of employees or volunteers of any public agency: Residential addresses, residential telephone numbers, personal wireless telephone numbers, personal electronic mail addresses, social security numbers, driver's license numbers, identicard numbers, and emergency contact information of employees or volunteers of a public agency, and the names, dates of birth, residential addresses, residential telephone numbers, personal wireless telephone numbers, personal electronic mail addresses, social security numbers, and emergency contact information of dependents of employees or volunteers of a public agency. For purposes of this subsection (1)(d), "employees" includes independent provider home care workers as defined in RCW 74.39A.240.	Specific personal information of a public employee or volunteer contained in personnel records, public employment-related records, volunteer rosters, or mailing lists of employees or volunteers: **13A**: Residential address **13B**: Residential telephone number **13C:** Personal wireless telephone number **13D**: Personal electronic mail address **13E**: Social security number **13F**: Driver's license number **13G**: Identicard number **13H**: Emergency contact information	
14A – 14H	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(d).** The following information held by any public agency in personnel records, public employment related records, volunteer rosters, or included in any mailing list of employees or volunteers of any public agency: Residential addresses, residential telephone numbers, personal wireless telephone numbers, personal electronic mail addresses, social security numbers, driver's license numbers, identicard numbers, and emergency contact information of employees or volunteers of a public agency, and the names, dates of birth, residential addresses, residential telephone numbers, personal wireless telephone numbers, personal electronic mail addresses, social security numbers, and emergency contact information of dependents of employees or volunteers of a public agency. For purposes of this subsection (1)(d), "employees" includes independent provider home care workers as defined in RCW 74.39A.240.	Specific personal information of a dependent of a public employee or volunteer contained in personnel records, public employment-related records, volunteer rosters, or mailing lists of employees or volunteers: **14A**: Names **14B**: Dates of birth **14C**: Residential address **14D**: Residential telephone number **14E**: Personal wireless telephone number **14F**: Personal electronic mail address **14G**: Social security number **14H**: Emergency contact information	
15	**RCW 42.56.230(3); RCW 42.56.050.** Personal information maintained for employees, appointees, or elected officials to the extent disclosure violates the right to privacy. Also see Dawson v. Daly, 120 Wn.2d 782 (1993); Tiberino v. Spokane County, 103 Wn. App. 680 (2000); DeLong v. Parmelee, 157 Wn. App. 119 (2010).	Employee performance evaluations that do not discuss specific instances of misconduct	

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16	**RCW 42.56.230(3); RCW 42.56.050**. The employee identity and identifiers in unsubstantiated allegations of sexual misconduct are exempt from production to protect the employee's right to privacy. See also Bellevue John Does 1-11 v. Bellevue School Dist. #405, 164 Wn.2d 199 (2008); Bainbridge Island Police Guild v. City of Puyallup, 172 Wn.2d 398 (2011).	Employee identifying information in an administrative investigation resulting in a non-adverse finding when the allegation was one of sexual misconduct	
17A	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(f)(i).** Investigative records compiled by an employing agency conducting an active and ongoing investigation of a possible unfair practice under chapter 49.60 RCW or a possible violation of other federal, state, or local laws prohibiting discrimination in employment are exempt and must be withheld in their entirety while the investigation is active and ongoing. (See 19B for non-categorical exemptions).	Investigative records related to an active, ongoing investigation of a violation of a law against discrimination in employment. This investigation is active and ongoing and involves an allegation of employment discrimination. While the investigation is ongoing, the records are categorically exempt and withheld in their entirety. After the outcome of the investigation, the names of complainants, accusers, and witnesses are exempt from disclosure except with permission.	
17B	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(f)(i).** Records compiled by an employing agency investigating a possible unfair practice under chapter 49.60 RCW or a possible violation of other federal, state, or local laws prohibiting discrimination in employment are no longer categorically exempt from disclosure if the agency has notified the complainant of the outcome of the investigation. However, if disclosure of any record is requested, all names of complainants, other accusers, and witnesses must be redacted unless such persons have consented to disclosure.	Redacted material is the name of a complainant or other witness in a now-complete investigation into unfair labor practice or employment discrimination, and the person has not consented to disclosure of their name	
18	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 42.41.030(7)**. The identity of a reporting employee will be kept confidential to the extent possible under law, unless the employee authorizes the disclosure of their identity in writing.	Identifying information of a whistleblower	
Personal Identifiers (Inc. DL, SSN, etc.)			
19A	**RCW 42.56.070(1); 18 USC §§2721, 2725(3).** Personal information, including photograph, social security number, driver identification number, name, address (not zip code), telephone number, and medical or disability information, may not be disclosed by a government agency who received such information from the state department of licensing, except in particular instances defined in 18 USC § 2721(b).	Personal information provided to the city by the state department of licensing for the purpose of carrying out the City's governmental functions, and the requester is not the subject of the record	
19B	**RCW 42.56.070(1); 18 USC §§2721, 2725(3).** Personal information, including photograph, social security number, driver identification number, name, address (not zip code), telephone number, and medical or disability information, may not be disclosed by a government agency, except in particular instances defined in 18 USC § 2721(b).	Personal information received by the city that contains information protected by the federal Driver's Privacy Protection Act, and the requester is not the subject of the record	
20	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 46.52.130(4).** The City may not release an abstract driving record to a third party; contact the Department of Licensing at http://www.dol.wa.gov/driverslicense/requestyourrecord.html.	Abstract Driving Record	

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21	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 46.12.635**. Name/address of individual vehicle owner must not be released; contact the Department of Licensing at http://www.dol.wa.gov/forms/224003.pdf.	Vehicle Registration - name/address of owner unless requester is owner	
22	**RCW 42.56.070(1); 5 USC §552(a); RCW 42.56.050; RCW 42.56.230(5).** The Privacy Act of 1974 shows Congress's intent that social security numbers are a private concern. RCW 42.56.230(5). Credit card numbers, debit card numbers, electronic check numbers, credit expiration dates, bank/other financial information as defined in RCW 9.35.005, including social security numbers, are exempt except when disclosure is expressly required by or governed by other law.	Social Security Number	
23	**RCW 42.56.070(1); 5 USC §552(a); RCW 42.56.050.** The Privacy Act of 1974 shows Congress's intent that passport numbers are a private concern.	Passport number	
24A	**RCW 42.56.230(4); RCW 42.56.230(4); RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 82.32.330; 26 USC §6103(a).** Taxpayer return information, including excise tax return information, must be kept confidential and may not be disclosed. Includes a taxpayer's identity, the nature, source, or amount of the taxpayer's income, payments, receipts, deductions, exemptions, credits, assets, liabilities, net worth, tax liability deficiencies, over-assessments, or tax payments.	Taxpayer return information	
24B	**RCW 42.56.230(4); 42 USC §405(c)(2)(C)(viii)(I); RCW 42.56.070(1).** Information required of any taxpayer in connection with the assessment or collection of any tax.	Taxpayer information generally	
25	**RCW 42.56.230(4); RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 84.08.210.** Property taxpayer information is confidential and may not be disclosed.	Taxpayer information is provided to determine the property tax	
Attorney/Client			
26A – 26F	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 5.60.060(2)(a); RCW 42.56.290.** Communication between client and attorney for the purpose of obtaining or providing legal advice is exempt.	**26A**: Communication between client and attorney to obtain or provide legal advice **26B**: Communication between attorney and client regarding litigation **26C**: Communication between attorneys that reflects attorney/client communications regarding advice **26D**: Communication between attorneys regarding litigation **26E:** Communication between attorneys regarding client advice **26F**: Communication between clients to gather information for the attorney	

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26G – 26H	**RCW 42.56.290.** Communications between attorney and client that reveal opinions/impressions of attorney or information prepared/collected/assembled in litigation or anticipation of litigation or related to client advice is exempt. Denney v. City of Richland, 22 Wn. App.2d 192 (2022) [work product exemption applies when records are created because of a subjective anticipation of litigation that is objectively reasonable, and the records would not have been generated in substantially the same form if not for the anticipation of litigation].	Records that are relevant to a controversy to which an agency is a party, but which records would not be available to another party under the rules of pretrial discovery for causes pending in the superior courts, are exempt from disclosure **26G**: Attorney work product – communications between attorney and client **26H**: Attorney work product - communication between attorneys	
26I – 26J	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 5.60.060(2)(a); RCW 42.56.290.** Drafts/notes/memoranda, research regarding opinions/impressions of an attorney or attorney's agent prepared, collected, assembled in litigation or in anticipation of litigation, or related to client advice, are exempt.	Attorney work product – records that reveal an attorney's mental impressions and thought processes in connection with completed, existing, or anticipated litigation **26I**: Attorney work product – records that reveal the attorney's thought process **26J**: Attorney work product related to anticipated litigation, litigation, or client advice	
26K	**RCW 42.56.290; RCW 5.60.060(2)(a).** Communications between attorney and client that reveal opinions/impressions of the attorney or information prepared/collected/assembled in litigation or anticipation of litigation or related to client advice are exempt.	Prosecuting Attorney's Office Decline Notice that contains an attorney's opinion, impression, or work product communication	
26L	**RCW 42.56.290.** Communication between attorneys who have a common interest or a joint defense agreement that reveals opinions or mental impressions of an attorney, or information prepared, collected, or assembled in litigation or in anticipation of litigation. Energy Policy Advocates v. Attorney General's Office, 22 Wn. App.2d 1006 (2022) [work product exemption is not waived when common interest parties communicate outside their group with an expert engaged expressly to provide an opinion on the issues involved in the potential litigation].	Communication among attorneys with a common interest or joint defense agreement that reveals opinions or impressions regarding litigation	
26M	**RCW 42.56.290; RCW 7.07. RCW 7.07.030** provides for confidentiality relating to mediations. RCW 42.56.290 provides an exemption from disclosure for information that is not discoverable when an agency is a party to a controversy.	Material relates to a controversy involving the agency, which is currently in mediation	
Medical And Substance Use Treatment			
27	**RCW 42.56.070(1), 42 USC § 12112(d)(3).** Information obtained regarding the medical condition or history of an employee is treated as a confidential medical record.	Records related to employee ADA accommodations	
28A – 28B	**RCW 42.56.070(1), 42 CFR 2**. The registration and other records of treatment programs for chemical dependency are confidential and cannot be disclosed.	**28A**: Records related to the registration for chemical dependency programs **28B**: Records of chemical dependency treatment programs	

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29A – 29B	**RCW 42.56.070(1), RCW 70.02.220(1).** No person may disclose or be compelled to disclose the identity of any person who has investigated, considered, or requested a test or treatment for a sexually transmitted disease.	**29A:** Identity of a person who has requested to be tested for a sexually transmitted disease (including HIV/AIDS) **29B:** Identity of person who has had a test for a sexually transmitted disease (including HIV/AIDS)	
30	**RCW 42.56.070(1), RCW 70.02.220(3).** No person to whom the results of a test for a sexually transmitted disease have been disclosed pursuant to subsection (2) of this section may disclose the test results to another person.	Results of a test for a sexually transmitted disease (including HIV/AIDS)	
31	**RCW 70.02.020(1)** (State Health Care Information Access and Disclosure law); **RCW 42.56.360(2)** (PRA Health Care provisions). A person who is licensed, certified, registered, or otherwise authorized by law to provide health care is prohibited from disclosing health care information about a patient to any other person without the patient's written authorization allowing the specific disclosure.	Material was prepared by or is in the possession of a health care provider, and the patient has not authorized its disclosure in writing	
32A	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 42.56.360(2); RCW 70.02.020; RCW 70.02.230; HIPAA, 45 CFR Part 160, 164; RCW 70.02.005(4).** The fact of admission and all information and records compiled, obtained, or maintained in the course of providing services to either voluntary or involuntary recipients of services for mental illness at public or private agencies are confidential. Disclosure of healthcare information without the patient's consent is prohibited in the PRA. Disclosure must conform to the patient's written authorization.	Medical records related to receipt of services for mental illness that were prepared by or are in the possession of a health care provider, and the patient has not authorized disclosure in writing	
32B	**RCW 70.02.230(3); 42 CFR Part 2; RCW 42.56.070(1).** Whenever federal law or federal regulations restrict the release of information contained in mental health services records of any patient who receives treatment for chemical dependency, the information or records are exempt from disclosure to the extent necessary to comply with federal law and regulations.	Records related to a person receiving chemical dependency treatment and materials are contained within mental health services records prepared by or in the possession of a health care provider	
32C	**RCW 70.02.050(2)(a); RCW 42.56.070(1).** Any health care records obtained from a health care provider utilized to determine compliance with state or federal licensure, certification, or registration rules or laws, or to investigate unprofessional conduct or ability to practice with reasonable skill and safety under RCW 18.130, are exempt from public inspection and copying pursuant to RCW 42.56.	Records related to determining compliance with rules and regulations covering a person's professional credentials or ability to practice that were prepared by or are in the possession of a health care provider	
32D	**42 USC §12112(d); 29 CFR 1630.14(c)(1); RCW 70.02.005(4); RCW 70.02.020(1); RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 42.56.360(2).** Records and information regarding the medical condition or history of an employee or applicant, including reasonable accommodation and medical exam records, constitute confidential medical records and are exempt from disclosure.	Records related to a person's medical condition or history, reasonable accommodation, or medical exam	

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32E	**29 CFR §825.500(g); RCW 42.56.070(1).** Records and documentation relating to certifications, recertifications, or medical histories of employees or employees' family members, created for purposes of the Family and Medical Leave Act (FMLA), must be maintained as confidential medical records in separate files from the usual personnel files and are exempt from disclosure.	Records related to FMLA certification, recertification, or medical history	
33	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 70.02.240.** The fact of admission and all information obtained through mental health treatment for minors under RCW 71.34 is confidential, except under certain circumstances.	Juvenile mental health treatment records, unless the requester is authorized to receive	
34	**RCW 42.56.070(1); 42 USC §290dd-2.** Records of any patient in connection with any program relating to substance use education, prevention, training, treatment, rehabilitation, or research, which is conducted, regulated, or directly or indirectly assisted by any department or agency of the USA, are confidential.	Substance use treatment records	
35	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 50.13.020; RCW 42.56.410**. Information/records concerning a person or employer obtained by the Employment Security Department (ESD) pursuant to the administration of this title or other programs for which the ESD has responsibility are private and confidential, except as otherwise provided in this chapter.	Records concerning a person or employer obtained by the Employment Security Department	
Vulnerable Adults and Children			
36	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 13.50.100(11), RCW 26.44.020(26), RCW 26.44.031(1)(4).** An unfounded, screened-out, or inconclusive report of child abuse or neglect may not be produced.	Records related to an unfounded, screened-out, or inconclusive report of child abuse or neglect	
37A – 37B	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 18.51.190**. The name of any individual complainant or other person mentioned in a nursing home complaint will not be disclosed except as permitted under RCW Chapter 18.	**37A**: Identity of a complainant in a nursing home complaint **37B**: Identity of a person mentioned in a nursing home complaint	
38	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 74.34.095.** Reports of abandonment, abuse, financial exploitation, or neglect of vulnerable adults, the identity of the person making the report, and all records used or developed in the investigation or provision of protective services are confidential.	Reports made to protective services regarding a vulnerable adult	
39	**RCW 42.56.350(2).** If requested by the provider, the current residential address and phone number of a healthcare provider are exempt from disclosure unless the requester is a federal, state, or local agency of the government or a national or state licensing, credentialing, investigatory, disciplinary, or examination organization. The material is also exempt from disclosure if the provider has provided an accurate alternate business address and business telephone number.	Material includes residential address or phone number of a healthcare provider, and the requester is not entitled to information under RCW 42.56.350(1) or (2)	

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40A – 40B	**RCW 42.56.370.** Client records maintained by an agency that is a domestic violence program as defined in RCW 70.123.020 or .075, or a rape crisis center as defined in RCW 70.125.030, are exempt from disclosure.	**40A**: Domestic Violence Program Records **40B**: Rape Crisis Center Program Records	
Financial			
41A – 41H	**RCW 42.56.230(5).** Credit card numbers, debit card numbers, electronic check numbers, credit expiration dates, bank/other financial information as defined in RCW 9.35.005, including social security numbers, are exempt except when disclosure is expressly required by or governed by other law.	**41A**: Credit card number **41B**: Debit card number **41C**: Electronic check number **41D**: Credit card expiration dates **41E**: Bank/other financial account numbers and balances **41F**: Bank/other financial account codes and passwords **41G**: Tax identification number **41H**: Driver's license or driver's permit numbers	
41I	**RCW 42.56.230(7)(a).** Any record used to prove identity, age, residential address, social security number, or other personal information required to apply for a driver's license or identicard.	The record was used to apply for a driver's license, or an identicard as evidence of identity, age, residential address, social security number, or other personal information, and the requester is not the subject of the record	
41J	**RCW 42.56.400(6).** Examination reports and information obtained by the Department of Financial Institutions from banking institutions or other agencies are exempt from disclosure under the Public Records Act.	Material consists of information obtained by the Department of Financial Institutions from banking institutions or other agencies	
Computer Security			
42A – 42G	**RCW 42.56.420(4)**. Information regarding the infrastructure and security of computer and telecommunications networks, consisting of security passwords, security access codes and programs, access codes for secure software applications, security and service recovery plans, security risk assessments, and security test results to the extent that they identify specific system vulnerabilities.	**42A**: Security passwords **42B**: Security access codes **42C**: Security access programs **42D**: Access codes for secure software applications **42E**: Security and service recovery plans **42F**: Security risk assessments **42G**: Security test results to the extent that they identify specific system vulnerabilities	

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Telecommunications			
43A – 43G	**RCW 42.56.420(4).** Information regarding the infrastructure and security of computer and telecommunications networks, consisting of security passwords, security access codes and programs, access codes for secure software applications, security and service recovery plans, security risk assessments, and security test results to the extent that they identify specific system vulnerabilities.	**43A**: Security passwords **43B**: Security access codes **43C**: Security access programs **43D**: Access codes for secure software applications **43E**: Security and service recovery plans **43F**: Security risk assessments **43G**: Security test results to the extent that they identify specific system vulnerabilities	
Proprietary			
44	**RCW 42.56.070(1); Federal Copyright Act, 17 USC § 102, 301 and 106(1).** Reproduction of records prohibited under copyright law.	Copyrighted material	
45A	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 19.108 et seq.** Information that derives independent economic value from not being generally known and is the subject of efforts that are reasonable under the circumstances to maintain its secrecy.	Trade secret information	
45B	**RCW 42.56.270(1).** Valuable formulae, designs, drawings, computer source code or object code, and research data obtained by any agency within 5 years of the request for disclosure when disclosure would produce private gain and public loss.	Material was obtained by the agency within the past 5 years, and its release would produce private gain and public loss	
45C – 45D	**RCW 42.56.270(11).** Proprietary data or other information that relates to (a) a vendor's unique methods of conducting business; (b) data unique to the product or services of the vendor; or (c) determining prices or rates to be charged for services, submitted by any vendor to the Department of Social and Health Services for purposes of the development, acquisition, or implementation of state purchased health care as defined in RCW 41.05.011.	**45C**: Material is the vendor's proprietary data **45D**: Material describes the unique methods of the vendor	
Deliberative/Preliminary			
46	**RCW 42.56.280**. Preliminary drafts, notes, recommendations, intra-agency memos in which opinions are expressed, policies formulated or recommended are exempt, except that a specific record is not exempt when publicly cited by the agency in connection with any agency action. PAWS v. University of Washington, 125 Wn. 2d 243, 256 (1994).	Records that relate to a deliberative process that is still ongoing; disclosure would injure the deliberative or consultative function of the process; disclosure would inhibit the flow of recommendations, observations, and opinions; AND the records reflect policy recommendations and opinions, not facts	

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Traffic/Collision			
47	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 46.52.080-085**. Traffic collision reports may only be released to specific individuals in specific circumstances. To obtain this report, please contact the WA State Patrol at: http://www.wsp.wa.gov/publications/collision.htm. Complete the form, and submit with payment to the address provided.	Traffic collision reports	
Dashcam/Bodycam			
48A	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 9.73.090(1)(c)**. No sound or video recording made under this subsection may be duplicated and made available to the public by a law enforcement agency, subject to this section, until final disposition of any criminal or civil litigation which arises from the event(s) which were recorded.	Dash camera video of an event that is still the subject of active, pending criminal or civil litigation	
48B – 48K	**RCW 42.56.240(14).** Body worn camera records are presumed to be highly offensive to a reasonable person if it depicts certain areas, activities, or people.	**48B**: Bodycam recording depicts areas of a listed facility where the subject is receiving or waiting to receive treatment **48C**: Bodycam recording depicts areas of a listed facility where health care information is shared **48D**: Bodycam recording depicts protected health care information **48E**: Bodycam recording depicts the interior of a residence, and the subject has a reasonable expectation of privacy **48F**: Bodycam recording depicts an intimate image as defined in RCW 9A.86.010 **48G**: Bodycam recording depicts a minor **48H**: Bodycam recording depicts the body of a deceased person **48I**: Bodycam recording depicts the identity of or communications from a victim or witness of an incident involving domestic violence or sexual assault **48J**: Bodycam recording depicts the identifiable location of a domestic violence program or emergency shelter **48k**: Bodycam recording violates a person's right to privacy and is not of legitimate concern to the public	

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Birth/Death/Marriage			
49A – 49D	**RCW 42.56.230(3); RCW 42.56.050**. Personal information maintained for employees, appointees, and elected officials to the extent disclosure violates the right to privacy.	**49A**: Birth certificate – employee or dependent **49B**: Death certificate – employee or dependent **49C**: Marriage certificate/license – employee or dependent **49D**: Information regarding an employee's benefits selections	
Real Estate Transactions			
50A	**RCW 42.56.260(1)(a).** The contents of real estate appraisals, made for or by any agency relative to the acquisition or sale of property. Pursuant to RCW 42.56.260(2), the exemption does not apply when disclosure is mandated by another statute or after the project or prospective project is abandoned or all properties that are part of the project have been purchased, sold, or leased. No appraisal may be withheld for more than three years.	Real estate appraisal related to the acquisition or sale of property by the City. The project has not been abandoned; all properties related to the project have not been purchased, sold, or leased, and the appraisal is less than three years old.	
50B	**RCW 42.56.260(1)(b).** Documents prepared for the purpose of considering the selection of a site or the acquisition of real estate by lease or purchase when public knowledge regarding such consideration would cause a likelihood of increased price, including records prepared for executive session pursuant to RCW 42.13.110(1)(b). Pursuant to RCW 42.56.260(2), the exemption does not apply when disclosure is mandated by another statute or after the project or prospective project is abandoned or all properties that are part of the project have been purchased, sold, or leased. No appraisal may be withheld for more than three years.	Documents prepared for the purpose of considering the selection of a site or acquisition of real estate; public knowledge would cause a likelihood of increased price; the project has not been abandoned, all properties related to the project have not been purchased, sold, or leased, and the appraisal is less than three years old	
50C	**RCW 42.56.260(1)(c).** Documents prepared for the purpose of considering the minimum price of real estate that will be offered for sale or lease when public knowledge regarding such consideration would cause a likelihood of decreased price, including records prepared for executive session pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(c). Pursuant to RCW 42.56.260(2), the exemption does not apply when disclosure is mandated by another statute or after the project or prospective project is abandoned or all properties that are part of the project have been purchased, sold, or leased. No appraisal may be withheld for more than three years.	Documents prepared for the purpose of considering the minimum price of real estate that will be offered by the agency for sale or lease; public knowledge regarding such consideration would cause a likelihood of decreased price; the project has not been abandoned, all properties related to the project have not been purchased, sold, or leased, and the appraisal is less than three years old	

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Archaeological Site Information			
51A – 51C	**RCW 42.56.300**. Archaeological site information. Records, maps, or other information identifying the location of archaeological sites.	Form, report, fields, or tables relate to site form data within a database, or geographic information systems spatial layer related to: **51A**: An archaeological site **51B**: Historical/Historic archaeological resource **51C**: Traditional cultural places	
Depiction Of Minor Engaged in Sexually Explicit Conduct			
52	RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 9.68A.050 Duplication or dissemination of a minor engaged in sexually explicit conduct is a crime.	Depiction of a minor engaged in sexually explicit conduct	
Miscellaneous			
53	**RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 68.50.105; RCW 11.02.005**. Reports and records of autopsies or postmortems shall be confidential.	Autopsy records related to a postmortem investigation are confidential except to the following individuals: personal representative of decedent, any family member, the attending physician or nurse practitioner, prosecuting attorney or law enforcement agencies having jurisdiction, public health officials, L&I or DSHS in some circumstances	
54	**RCW 42.56.240(1)**. Specific intelligence information and specific investigative records compiled by investigative, law enforcement, and penology agencies, and state agencies vested with the responsibility to discipline members of any profession, the non-disclosure of which is essential for the protection of any person's right to privacy (privacy extends to the family of the deceased). See also Comarato v. Pierce County Medical Examiner's Office, 111 Wn.App. 69, 43 P.3d 539 (2002).	Suicide note	
55	**RCW 42.56.540.** Protected public records. An agency can provide third-party notice to anyone, including a Domestic Violence victim, to afford them an opportunity to seek protection of the records in court.	Third-party sought and obtained court protection of the public records	
56	**RCW 42.56.250(1)(i)(ii)**. Any documentation maintained by an agency to administer this subsection (1)(i) is exempt from disclosure under this chapter and is confidential and may not be disclosed without the consent of the employee who submitted the documentation.	Records related to an employee's request for exemption of their personal identification information from public disclosure under RCW 42.56.250(1)(i)(i)	
57	**RCW 42.56.070(1), RCW 71.05.620.** Files and records of court proceedings under Chapter 71.05 are closed and accessible only to the subject of the petition, that person's attorney, guardian ad litem, resource management services, or service providers authorized to receive such information by resource management services.	Files and records of a court proceeding under Chapter 71.05, and the requester is not authorized to receive the information	

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58	**RCW 42.56.600.** Records of mediation communications that are privileged under chapter 7.07 RCW are exempt from disclosure under this chapter.	Mediation communications that are privileged under chapter 7.07 RCW	
59	**RCW 42.56.240(4); RCW 42.56.070(1); RCW 9.41.129.** The Department of Licensing may keep copies or records of applications for concealed pistol licenses provided for in RCW 9.41.070, copies or records of applications for alien firearm licenses, copies or records of applications to purchase pistols provided for in RCW 9.41.090, and copies or records of pistol transfers provided for in RCW 9.41.110. The copies and records will not be disclosed except as provided in RCW 42.56.240(4) (allows release to law enforcement or corrections agencies).	Concealed pistol license application	
60A – 60B	**GR 31.1(l)(6)**. Documents related to an attorney's request for a trial or appellate court defense expert, investigator, or other services, any report or findings submitted to the attorney or court or judicial agency by the expert, investigator, or other service provider, and the invoicing of the expert, investigator or other service provider during the pendency of the case in any court are exempt. Payment records are not exempt, provided that they do not include medical records, attorney work product, information protected by attorney-client privilege, information sealed by a court, or otherwise exempt information.	**60A**: Documents related to an attorney's request for a trial or appellate court defense expert, investigator, or other services **60B**: Report or finding submitted to an attorney, court, or judicial agency by a trial or appellate court defense expert, investigator, or other service provider	
61	**RCW 42.56.070(8).** Lists of individuals requested for commercial purposes may not be given, sold, or provided to a requester except in certain limited circumstances involving professional associations or educational associations recognized by professional licensing or examining boards.	Request for a list of individuals for commercial purposes that is not authorized under RCW 42.56.070(8) or other relevant law.	
62	**RCW 42.56.330(2)**. The addresses, telephone numbers, electronic contact information, and customer-specific utility usage and billing information in increments less than a billing cycle of the customers of a public utility contained in the records or lists held by the public utility of which they are customers are exempt.	Utility customers' contact information and utility usage in increments less than a billing cycle	
63	**Other Statutes.** Use this code when claiming an exemption that is not listed in Chapter 42.56 RCW. Refer to the "Other Statutes" appendix found at the Washington State Attorney General's Sunshine Committee webpage to obtain the statute and the description of material that should be exempted. Fill that information in on the right-hand column when preparing your exemption log.	The redacted/withheld information includes the following: [INSERT DESCRIPTION] Which is exempt from production pursuant to: [INSERT STATUTE]	