

City of New Prague

Minnesota Government Data Practices Act

Guidelines and Procedures

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Data Practices Procedures  
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## **DATA PRACTICES PROCEDURES**

**1.0 Introduction.** These procedures are adopted to comply with the requirements of the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act (the "Act"), specifically Minnesota Statutes Sections 13.03, subdivision 2 and 13.05, subdivision 5. It is the intent of the City of New Prague ("City") to remain in compliance with the Act. These procedures shall be supplemented by the requirements of the Act as needed and if any procedure contained herein is inconsistent with those requirements, as they may be amended, the specific provisions of the Act shall be controlling.

**2.0 Responsible Authority.** The City Administrator is the Responsible Authority and Compliance Official responsible for the collection, use and distribution of government data and is accountable for City compliance with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act. The Responsible Authority has authorized certain other City employees to collect, maintain, disseminate and otherwise assist in complying with the Act ("Designees"). These Designees are listed on attached Exhibit 1. The Responsible Authority shall provide training to Designees and staff at such times and in such a manner as the designated Responsible Authority determines is appropriate to inform them of their obligations under the Act. The designated Responsible Authority shall also be authorized to amend or supplement the Exhibits attached to these procedures as needed to further the intent of these procedures and the City's compliance with the Act. For the purposes of carrying out these procedures, the term Responsible Authority shall include Designees unless the context in which it is used indicates a different intent.

**3.0 Access to Public Data.** All information maintained by the City is public unless there is a specific statutory designation which gives it a different classification. Categories of classification are as follows:

<b>Classification:</b>	<b>Data on Individuals*</b> (Minn. Stat. § 13.02, subd. 5)	<b>Data on Decedents</b> (Minn. Stat. § 13.10, subd. 1)	<b>Data not on Individuals*</b> (Minn. Stat. § 13.02, subd. 4)
<b>Public</b>	Certain data on individuals are accessible to anyone. Minn. Stat. § 13.02, subd. 15.	Certain data on decedents are accessible to anyone. Minn. Stat. § 13.02, subd. 15.	Certain data not on individuals are accessible to anyone. Minn. Stat. § 13.02, subd. 14.
<b>Private</b>	Certain data on individuals are accessible to the data subject, but not accessible to the public. Minn. Stat. § 13.02, subd. 12.	Certain data on decedents are accessible to the representative of the decedent, but not accessible to the public.** Minn. Stat. § 13.10, subd. 1 (b).	
<b>Nonpublic</b>			Certain data not on individuals are accessible to the data subject, but not accessible to the public. Minn. Stat. § 13.02, subd. 9.
<b>Confidential</b>	Certain data on individuals are not accessible to the data subject and not accessible to the public. Minn. Stat. § 13.02, subd. 3.	Certain data on decedents are not accessible to the representative of the decedent and not accessible to the public.** Minn. Stat. § 13.10, subd. 1 (a).	
<b>Protected Nonpublic</b>			Certain data not on individuals are not accessible to the data subject and not accessible to the public. Minn. Stat. § 13.02, subd. 13.

\* "Individual" is defined by Minnesota Statutes Section 13.02, subdivision 8. "Individual" means a natural person (a living human being). It does not mean any type of entity created by law, such as a corporation.

\*\* Private and confidential data on decedents become public data 10 years after the death of the data subject and 30 years after the creation of the data.

**3.1 People Entitled to Access.** Any person has the right to inspect or view public data or to have an explanation of the meaning of the data. The person does not need to state his or her name or give the reason for the request, unless a statute specifically authorizes the City to request such information. The Responsible Authority may ask a person to provide identifying or clarifying information for the sole purpose of facilitating access to the data. Examples of when identifying information may be requested include, but are not limited to, obtaining a mailing address when the person has requested that copies be mailed or requesting identification when copies have been paid for by check. Additionally, any person has the right to obtain a copy of public data except in the case of copyrighted materials in the possession of the City for which the City does not have express written permission to reproduce. (Exhibit 9)

**3.1A Copyrighted Documents.** Copyrighted public documents may be shown to anyone but shall not be reproduced or photocopied without express written permission from the copyright holder.

**3.1A1** The Responsible Authority reserves the right to refuse to provide copies of copyrighted data in accordance with the copyright law of the United States (Title 17, United States Code) which governs the making of photocopies or other reproductions of copyrighted material.

**3.1 A2** Public documents created by the City of New Prague or its officials or employees on behalf of the City do not qualify for copyright protection and shall be available for viewing and reproduction in accordance with the Act. In certain cases, the City may enforce a copyright or acquire a patent for a computer software program or components of a program created by the City. In such cases, the data shall be treated as trade secret information.

**32 Form of Request.** The request for public data may be verbal or written. The Responsible Authority or designee may require a verbal request to be made in writing whenever a written request will assist the Responsible Authority or designee in performing his or her duties. (Exhibit 3).

**33 Identification of Requesting Party.** The Responsible Authority **may not** require the requesting party to provide identification to view public documents unless contact information is required in order to clarify the request. The Responsible Authority must verify the identity of the requesting party as a person entitled to reproductions when

reproductions of copyrighted public data are requested. Identity can be established through personal knowledge, presentation of photo identification, comparison of the data subject's signature on a consent form with the person's signature in City records, or other reasonable means.

**34 Form of Copies.** Where public data is maintained in a computer storage medium, the Responsible Authority shall provide copies of the public data in electronic form upon request, provided a copy can reasonably be made in that form. The Responsible Authority is not required to provide the data in an electronic format or program that is different from the format or program in which the Responsible Authority maintains the data. The Responsible Authority may charge a fee for the actual cost of providing the copy.

**35 Time Limits.** Requests will be received and processed only at New Prague City Hall during normal business hours. If copies cannot be made at the time of the request, copies must be supplied as soon as reasonably possible. Whenever possible, the Responsible Authority will immediately allow the requesting person to inspect the public data. When providing an immediate response to the requester, it should not interfere with the City's efficient operations. The Responsible Authority may require that the requesting person make an appointment or return at a later time to inspect or to pick up copies of the requested data. When public data on individuals is requested by the individual data subject and an immediate response is not possible, the authorized City employee will provide the data within 10 days of the date of the request, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays.

**36 Fees.** Anyone may inspect or view public data for any reason without charge. Fees may be charged only if the requesting person asks for a copy or electronic transmittal of the data. Fees will be charged according to the City's current fee schedule and may not include time necessary to separate public from non-public data. A summary of fees generally associated with data requests is contained in Exhibit 2.

**4.0 Access to Private and Confidential Data on Individuals.** Information about individual persons is classified by law as public, private, or confidential. A list of the private and confidential information maintained by the City is contained in Appendix A.

#### **4.1 Persons Entitled to Access.**

**4.1A** Public information about an individual may be shown or given to anyone for any reason.

**4.1B** Private information about an individual may be shown or given to:

**4.1B1** The individual, but only once every six months, unless a dispute has arisen or additional data has been collected or created.

**4.1 B2** A person who has been given access by the express written consent of the data subject.

**4.1B3** Persons, or another responsible authority, which are authorized access by the federal, state, or local law or court order.

**4.1B4** Persons within the City staff, the City Council, and outside agents (such as attorneys) whose work assignments or responsibilities reasonably require access.

**4.1C** Confidential information may not be given to the subject of the data, but may be given or shown to:

**4. 1C1** Persons who are authorized access by federal, state, or local law or court order.

**4.1 C2** Persons within the City staff, the City Council, and outside agents (such as attorneys) whose work assignments or responsibilities reasonably require access.

**42 Form of Request.** Any individual may request data verbally or in writing. Data will be released depending on whether or not the City has stored the data requested and whether the data is classified as public, private, or confidential. All requests to see private or confidential information must be made in writing in order to verify identity. The Responsible Authority will provide a form (Exhibit 3) to document the requesting party's identity, the information requested, and the City's response; however, any individual may request data verbally or in writing as long as the request is accompanied by documentation of the requesting party's identity and a detailed description of the information requested.

**43 Identification of Requesting Party.** The Responsible Authority must verify the identity of the requesting party as a person entitled to access when private or confidential data is requested. Identity can be established through personal knowledge, presentation of photo identification, comparison of the data subject's signature on a consent form with the person's signature in City records, or other reasonable means.

**44 Time Limits.** Requests will be received and processed at New Prague City Hall only during normal business hours. Access to the data will be provided as soon as is reasonably possible. Data requested by the individual data subject will be provided within 10 days of the date of the request, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays if an immediate response is not possible.

**45 Fees.** Fees will be charged in the same manner as for public information and are summarized in Exhibit 2.



**46 Summary Data.** The term "summary data" refers to statistical records and reports derived from data on individuals but which does not identify an individual by name or reveal any other characteristic that could uniquely identify an individual. Summary data derived from private or confidential data is public. The Responsible Authority will prepare summary data upon request, if the request is in writing and the requesting party pays for the cost of preparation. The Responsible Authority must notify the requesting party about the estimated costs and collect these costs before preparing or supplying the summary data. This should be done within 10 days after receiving the request. If the summary data cannot be prepared within 10 days, the Responsible Authority must notify the requester of the anticipated time schedule and the reason for the delay.

Summary data may be prepared by "blacking out" personal identifiers, cutting out portions of the records that contain personal identifiers, creating a spreadsheet, programming computers to delete personal identifiers, or other reasonable means.

The Responsible Authority may ask an outside agency or person to prepare the summary data if: (1) the specific purpose is given in writing; (2) the agency or person agrees not to disclose the private or confidential data; and (3) the Responsible Authority determines that access by this outside agency or person will not compromise the privacy of the private or confidential data. (Exhibit 4)

**47 Records of Minors and Incapacitated Persons.** The following applies to private (not confidential) data about minors (persons under the age of 18) and about those persons who are incapacitated as defined by Minnesota Statutes Section 524.5-102, subdivision 6.

**4.7A Parent/Guardian Access.** In addition to minors and incapacitated persons as defined above who may have access to private data, a parent may have access to private information about a minor or an incapacitated person. For the purposes of these procedures, "parent" shall include guardians and individuals acting as parents or guardians in the absence of parents or guardians. A parent is presumed to have this right unless the minor has requested that the Responsible Authority withhold the data and withholding the data would be in the best interest of the minor, or it has been given evidence that there is a state law, court order, or other legally binding document, which prohibits this right.

**4.7B Notice to Minors and Incapacitated Persons.** Before requesting private data from minors and incapacitated persons, City personnel must notify the minors and incapacitated persons that they may request that the information not be given to their parent(s) or guardian(s). (Exhibit 5)

**4.7C Denial of Parent or Guardian Access.** The Responsible Authority may deny parent or guardian access to private data when the individual requests this denial and the Responsible Authority determines that withholding the data would

be in the best interest of the individual. The request from the individual must be in writing, stating the reasons for the request. In determining the best interest of the individual, the Responsible Authority will consider:

**4.7C1** Whether the individual is of sufficient age and maturity to explain the reasons and understand the consequences;

**4.7C2** Whether denying access may protect the individual from physical or emotional harm;

**4.7C3** Whether there are reasonable grounds to support the individual's reasons; and

**4.7C4** Whether the data concerns medical, dental, or other health services provided under Minnesota Statutes Sections 144.341 to 144.347. If so, the data may be released only if failure to inform the parent or guardian would seriously jeopardize the health of the individual.

The Responsible Authority may also deny parental/guardian access without a request from the juvenile or incapacitated person under any other state or federal statute that allows or requires denial of parental or guardian access and that provides standards for denying parental or guardian access

**5.0 Access to Private and Confidential Data on Decedents.** Private data on decedents means data which, prior to the death of the data subject, were classified by statute, federal law, or temporary classification as private data. Confidential data means data which, prior to the death of the data subject, were classified by statute, federal law, or temporary classification as confidential data. A list of the private and confidential information maintained by the City is contained in Appendix A. Information about individuals who are deceased will be treated the same as data that is about individuals who are living except:

**5.0A** Private and confidential data on decedents will become public data 10 years after the death of the data subject and 30 years after the creation of the data in accordance with Minnesota Statutes Section 13.10, subdivision 2. An individual is presumed dead if either 90 years have elapsed since the creation of the data or 90 years have elapsed since the individual's birth, whichever is earlier, except that an individual is not presumed to be dead if the Responsible Authority has information readily available to him or her indicating the individual is still living.

**5.0B** A representative of the decedent may exercise the rights that the decedent could have exercised as a living individual. A "representative of the decedent" means a personal representative of the estate of the decedent during the period of administration, or if no personal representative has been appointed or after

discharge, the surviving spouse, any child of the decedent, or, if there is no surviving spouse or children, the parents of the decedent.

**6.0 Access to Data Not On Individuals.** Information not about individuals is classified by law as public, nonpublic, and protected nonpublic. Information that is not about individuals will generally be treated the same as data about individuals. Nonpublic and protected nonpublic information, except for security information, becomes public either 10 years after it was created by the City or 10 years after the data was received or collected by the City unless the Responsible Authority reasonably determines that if the information was made public or made available to the data subject that the harm to the public or the data subject would outweigh the benefit to the public or the data subject.

### **6.1 People Entitled to Access.**

**6.1A** Public information not about an individual may be shown to anyone. Copyrighted documents will not be reproduced or photocopied without express written permission from the copyright holder.

**6.1B** Nonpublic information not about an individual may be shown or given to:

**6.1B1** An authorized representative of the subject entity of the data, but only once every six months, unless a dispute has arisen or additional data has been collected.

**6.1B2** A person who has been given access by the express written consent of the authorized representative of the entity which is the subject of the data.

**6.1B3** Persons who are authorized access by the federal, state, or local law or court order.

**6.1B4** Persons within the City staff, the City Council, and outside agents (such as attorneys) whose work assignments or responsibilities reasonably require access.

**6.1C** Protected nonpublic information may not be given to the authorized representative of the entity, but may be given or shown to:

**6.1C1** Persons who are authorized access by federal, state, or local law or court order.

**6.1C2** Persons within the City staff, the City Council, and outside agents (such as attorneys) whose work assignments or responsibilities reasonably require access.

**6.2 Form of Request.** Any person may request data verbally or in writing. Data will be released depending on whether or not the City has stored the data requested and whether the data is classified as public, nonpublic, protected nonpublic or is copyrighted.

All requests to view or receive a reproduction of nonpublic or protected nonpublic information must be made in writing in order to verify identity. All requests to receive a reproduction of copyrighted public, nonpublic or protected nonpublic information must be made in writing in order to determine if the request for copyrighted material qualifies for release under copyright law of the United States (Title 17 of the United States Code). The Responsible Authority will provide a form (Exhibit 3) to document the requesting party's identity, the information requested, and the City's response; however, any person may request data verbally or in writing as long as the request includes documentation of the requesting party's identity and a detailed description of the information requested.

**6.3 Identification of Requesting Party.** The Responsible Authority must verify the identity of the requesting party as a person entitled to access when non-public or protected nonpublic data is requested. The Responsible Authority must also verify the identity of the requesting party as a person entitled to access when copies of copyrighted private, non-public, or protected nonpublic data is requested. Identity can be established through personal knowledge, presentation of photo identification, comparison of the data subject's signature on a consent form with the person's signature in City records, or other reasonable means.

**6.4 Time Limits.** Requests will be received and processed at New Prague City Hall only during normal business hours. The response must be immediate, if possible, or prompt and reasonable, if an immediate response is not possible.

**6.5 Fees.** Fees will be charged in the same manner as for public information and are summarized in Exhibit 2.

**6.6 Accessibility of Records.** Upon request by an individual, records must be made available within a reasonable time period to persons with disabilities in a manner consistent with state and federal laws prohibiting discrimination against persons with disabilities. Reasonable modifications must be made in any policies, practices and procedures that might otherwise deny equal access to records to individuals with disabilities. This requirement does not apply to (1) technology procured or developed prior to January 1, 2013, unless substantially modified or substantially enhanced after January 1, 2013 or (2) records that cannot be reasonably modified to be accessible without an undue burden as defined in Minnesota Statutes Section 16E.015, subdivision 4 to the public entity or (3) except as otherwise provided in Minnesota Statutes Chapter 16E.

**7.0 Temporary Classification.** If the Responsible Authority determines information not expressly classified by law should be protected, the Responsible Authority may apply to the Department of Administration Commissioner for permission to classify information as private,

confidential, nonpublic or protected nonpublic for its own use and for the use of other governmental entities on a temporary basis. The application and the classification of the information shall be in accordance with Minnesota Statutes Section 13.06.

**8.0 Denial of Access.** If the Responsible Authority determines that the requested data is not accessible to the requesting party, the Responsible Authority must inform the requesting party verbally at the time of the request or in writing as soon after that as possible. The Responsible Authority must give the specific legal authority, including statutory section, for withholding the data. The Responsible Authority must place a verbal denial in writing upon request. This must also include the specific legal authority for the denial.

**9.0 Collection of Data on Individuals.** The collection and storage of information about individuals will be limited to that necessary for the administration and management of the programs specifically authorized by the state legislature, City Council, or federal government.

**9.1 Tennesen Warning.** When an individual is asked to supply private or confidential information about the individual, the City employee requesting the information must give the individual a Tennesen warning.

**9.1A** This warning must contain the following:

**9.1A1** The purpose and intended use of the requested data;

**9.1A2** Whether the individual may refuse or is legally required to supply the requested data;

**9.1A3** Any known consequences from supplying or refusing to supply the information, and

**9.1A4** The identity of other persons or entities authorized by state or federal law to receive the data.

**9.1B** A Tennesen warning is not required when:

**9.1B1** An individual is requested to supply investigative data to a law enforcement officer;

**9.1B2** The data subject is not an individual (e.g., the data subject is a corporation or partnership);

**9.1B3** The data subject offers information that has not been requested by the City;

**9.1B4** The information requested from the individual is about someone else;

**9.1B5** The City receives information about the subject from someone else; or

**9.1 B6** The information requested from the subject is classified as public data.

**9.1C** A Tennessee warning may be on a separate form (Exhibit 9) or may be incorporated into the form which requests the private or confidential data.

**9.1D Collection of Data on Individuals through the Use of the City's Computer.** When an individual gains access to government information or services through the City's computer, the City may create, collect, or maintain electronic access data or use its computer to install a cookie on an individual's computer. The City must inform individuals gaining access to the City's computer of the creation, collection, or maintenance of electronic access data or the City's use of cookies before requiring the individual to provide any data about the individual to the City. As part of that notice, the City must inform the individual how the data will be used and disseminated. Notwithstanding an individual's refusal to accept a cookie on its computer, the City must allow the individual to gain access to data or information, transfer data or information, or use government services by means of the City's computer.

**92 Data Quality Procedures.** The City is required to establish procedures that data on individuals are accurate, complete and current. The Responsible Authority shall work with employees that collect, use, or disseminate data on individuals to implement the following procedures:

**9.2A** At the time that data is collected from the individual data subject the individual should be advised of his or her right to review and contest the accuracy or completeness of public or private data concerning him/herself.

**9.2B** An individual data subject should be encouraged to review his/her file for accuracy, completeness and currency.

**9.2C** . Whenever possible and practical, collect data about an individual from the individual subject of the data rather than from third parties (e.g., birth date, address, etc.)(This directive does not prohibit employees from collecting data from third parties).

**9.2D** Design forms to collect objective types of data elements whenever possible, rather than data which calls for an opinion or conclusion or other subjective entry. Forms for the collection of data on individuals should request only necessary data.

**9.2E** Department heads should periodically review forms used to collect data on individuals. Data elements that are not necessary or that lend themselves to ambiguity or subjectivity should be removed and the forms redesigned.

**9.2F** Department heads should periodically conduct quality/validity checks on sample case files that contain data on individuals.

**10.0 Challenge to Data Accuracy or Completeness.** An individual who is the subject of public or private data may contest the accuracy or completeness of that data maintained by the City. The individual must notify the Responsible Authority in writing describing the nature of the disagreement. Within 30 days, the Responsible Authority must respond and either (1) correct the data found to be inaccurate or incomplete and attempt to notify past recipients of inaccurate or incomplete data, including recipients named by the individual; or (2) notify the individual that he or she believes the data to be correct.

An individual who is dissatisfied with the Responsible Authority's action may appeal to the Commissioner of the Minnesota Department of Administration, using the contested case procedures under Minnesota Statutes Chapter 14. The Responsible Authority will correct any data if so ordered to do so by the Commissioner.

## **11.0 Data Protection.**

### **11.1 Accuracy and Currency of Data.**

**11.1A** All City employees will be requested, and given appropriate forms, to provide updated personal information to the appropriate supervisor, which is necessary for tax, insurance, emergency notification, and other personnel purposes. Other people who provide private or confidential information will also be encouraged to provide updated information when appropriate.

**11.1B** Department heads should, on a yearly basis, review forms used to collect data on individuals to delete items that are not necessary and to clarify items that may be ambiguous.

**11.1C** All records must be disposed of according to the State of Minnesota General Records Retention Schedule.

### **11.2 Data Safeguards.**

**11.2A** Private and confidential information will be stored in files or databases which are not readily accessible to individuals who do not have authorized access and which will be secured during hours when the offices are closed.

**11.2B** Private and confidential data must be kept only in City offices, except when necessary for City business.

**11.2C** Only those employees whose job responsibilities require them to have access will be allowed access to files and records that contain private or confidential information. These employees will be instructed to:

**11.2C1** Not discuss, disclose, or otherwise release private or confidential data to anyone who is not authorized to access the data including City employees or officials whose job responsibilities do not require access to the data;

**11.2C2** Not leave private or confidential data where non-authorized individuals might see it; and

**11.2C3** Shred private or confidential data before discarding.

**11.2D** When a contract with an outside party requires access to private or confidential information, the contracting party will be required to use and disseminate the information consistent with the Act. The City must include in a written contract the language contained in Exhibit 10 or substantially similar language.



**EXHIBIT 1**  
**LIST OF**  
**DESIGNEES**

The Minnesota Data Practices Act establishes a system for compilation and distribution of data gathered by government agencies. All data collected and maintained by the City of New Prague ("City") is presumed public and is accessible to the public for both inspection and copying, unless classified as Private, Confidential, Nonpublic or Protected Nonpublic in accordance with federal law, state statute or a temporary classification.

The City of New Prague has appointed the following position to administer this system.  
Responsible Authority and Compliance Official:

City Administrator  
City of New Prague  
118 Central Avenue North, Suite 1  
New Prague, MN 56071-5513  
Phone: (952) 758-4401  
Fax: (952) 758-1149

Positions appointed as designees in system administration are as follows:

Other persons responsible for the maintenance and dissemination of City records are as apparent or assigned.

**EXHIBIT 2  
PHOTOCOPYING CHARGES**

**Regular Photocopy Charge**

(if 100 or fewer pages of black and white letter or legal size paper copies are requested)

**\$.35 per page**

\$.05 per page for additional copies of the same document

**Actual Cost\***

**Special Copy Charge**

(charged in all other circumstances, including requests to provide data electronically or by facsimile)

\* the "actual cost" means the cost of any materials (paper, copier ink, staples, CDs/DVDs, video/audio tapes, etc.), any special costs associated with making copies from computerized data, such as writing or modifying a computer program to format data, any mailing costs and any vehicle costs directly involved in transporting data to the appropriate facility when necessary to provide copies. In addition, "actual cost" also includes City staff time spent making, certifying and compiling the copies (when requested by the data subject). For requests by anyone other than the data subject, the "actual cost" also includes City staff time spent retrieving the data to be copied, sorting and labeling the documents (if this is necessary to identify what is to be copied), removing staples or paper clips, taking documents to the copier for copying as well as making, certifying and compiling the copies. Labor costs are never charged for separating public from not public data.

**Document Charge**

(charged for certain frequently requested documents, such as zoning codes, maps, etc.)

**Fee as established in the City fee schedule**

### EXHIBIT 3

## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE REQUEST Minnesota Government Data Practices Act

A. To be Completed by Requestor

REQUESTOR NAME (Last, First, MI):	DATE OF REQUEST:
STREET ADDRESS:	PHONE NUMBER:
CITY, STATE, ZIP CODE:	SIGNATURE:
DESCRIPTION OF THE INFORMATION REQUESTED:	

B. To be Completed by the City

DEPARTMENT NAME:	HANDLED BY:
INFORMATION CLASSIFIED AS: <input type="checkbox"/> PUBLIC <input type="checkbox"/> NON-PUBLIC <input type="checkbox"/> PRIVATE <input type="checkbox"/> PROTECTED NON-PUBLIC <input type="checkbox"/> CONFIDENTIAL	ACTION: <input type="checkbox"/> APPROVED <input type="checkbox"/> APPROVED IN PART (explain below) <input type="checkbox"/> DENIED (explain below)
REMARKS OR BASIS FOR DENIAL INCLUDING STATUTE SECTION:	
PHOTOCOPYING CHARGES: <input type="checkbox"/> NONE  <input type="checkbox"/> _____ Pages x _____ = <input type="checkbox"/> Special Rate: _____ (attach explanation)	IDENTITY VERIFIED FOR PRIVATE INFORMATION: <input type="checkbox"/> IDENTIFICATION: DRIVER'S LICENSE, STATE I.D., etc. <input type="checkbox"/> COMPARISON WITH SIGNATURE ON FILE <input type="checkbox"/> PERSONAL KNOWLEDGE <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER:
AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____	

**EXHIBIT 4**  
**GOVERNMENT DATA ACCESS AND NONDISCLOSURE AGREEMENT**

**1. AUTHORIZATION.** The City of New Prague (the "City") hereby authorizes \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Authorized Party") access to the following government data: \_\_\_\_\_

**2. PURPOSE.** Access to this government data is limited to the objective of creating summary data for the following purpose: \_\_\_\_\_

**3. COST.** (Check all that apply):

\_\_\_\_\_ The Authorized Party has been requested by the City to prepare summary data and will be paid in accordance with City policy. The estimated total is: \$\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_ is the person who requested the summary data and agrees to bear the City's costs associated with the preparation of the data which has been estimated to be \$\_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Requestor

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**4. SECURITY.** The Authorized Party agrees that it and any employees or agents under its control must protect the privacy interests of individual data subjects in accordance with the terms of this Agreement.

The Authorized Party agrees to remove all unique personal identifiers which could be used to identify any individual from data classified by state or federal law as not public which is obtained from City records and incorporated into reports, summaries, compilations, articles, or any document or series of documents.

Data contained in files, records, microfilm, or other storage media maintained by the City are the City's property and are not to leave the City's custody. The Authorized Party agrees not to make reproductions of any data or remove any data from the site where it is provided, if the data can in any way identify an individual.

No data which is not public and which is irrelevant to the purpose stated above shall ever be disclosed or communicated to anyone by any means.

The Authorized Party warrants that the following named individual(s) will be the only person(s) to participate in the collection of the data described above:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Complete name (printed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Title (printed)

**5. LIABILITY FOR DISCLOSURE.** The Authorized Party is liable for any unlawful use or disclosure of government data collected, used and maintained in the exercise of this agreement and is classified as not public under state or federal law. The Authorized Party understands that it may be subject to civil or criminal penalties under those laws. The Authorized Party agrees to defend, indemnify, and hold the City, its officials, agents and employees harmless from any liability, claims, damages, costs, judgments, or expenses, omission of the Authorized Party's failure to fully perform in any respect all obligations under this Agreement.

**6. INSURANCE.** In order to protect itself as well as the City, the Authorized Party agrees at all times during the term of this Agreement to maintain insurance covering the Authorized Party's activities under this Agreement. The insurance will cover \$1,500,000 per claimant for personal injuries or damages and \$1,500,000 per occurrence. The policy must cover the indemnification obligation specified above.

**7. ACCESS PERIOD.** The Authorized Party may have access to the information described above from \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_

**8. ACCESS RESULTS.**

A copy of all reports, summaries, compilations, articles, publications or any document or series of documents that are created from the information provided under this Agreement must be provided to the City. The Authorized Party may retain one copy of the summary data created for its own records but may not disclose it without City permission, except in defense of claims brought against it.

**AUTHORIZED PARTY:**.....

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

**REQUESTOR OF SUMMARY DATA:**.....

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Title (if applicable): .....

**CITY OF NEW PRAGUE:**

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Its: \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT 5**  
**NOTICE TO PERSONS UNDER AGE 18**

Some of the information you are asked to provide is classified as private under State law. You have the right to request that some or all of the information not be given to one or both of your parents/legal guardians. Please complete the form below if you wish to have information withheld.

Your request does not automatically mean that the information will be withheld. State law requires the City to determine if honoring the request would be in your best interest. The City is required to consider:

- \* Whether you are of sufficient age and maturity to explain the reasons and understand the consequences;
- \* Whether denying access may protect you from physical or emotional harm;
- \* Whether there are reasonable grounds to support your reasons; and
- \* Whether the data concerns medical, dental, or other health service provided under Minnesota Statutes Sections 144.341 to 144.347. If so, the data may be released only if failure to inform the parent would seriously jeopardize your health.

NOTICE GIVEN TO: \_\_\_\_\_ DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Name) (Title)

**REQUEST TO WITHHOLD INFORMATION**

I request that the following information \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Be withheld from: \_\_\_\_\_

For these reasons: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Print name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT 6**  
**CONSENT TO RELEASE PRIVATE DATA**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ authorize the City of New Prague ("City") to release the  
(print name)  
following private data about me:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

to the following person(s) or entity(ies):

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

The person(s) or entity(ies) receiving the private data may use it only for the following purpose or purposes:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

This authorization is dated \_\_\_\_\_ and expires on \_\_\_\_\_

**I understand that my records are protected under state privacy regulations and cannot be disclosed without my written consent unless otherwise provided for by law. I also understand that I may cancel this consent at any time prior to the information being released and that in any event this consent expires automatically 90 days after signing. By signing this document, I give my full and voluntary consent to the City to release the above-listed data to the persons identified in this release, and I waive any and all claims against the City for the disclosure of private data about me in accordance with this document.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of parent or guardian  
(if data subject is under 18 years of age)

**IDENTITY VERIFIED BY:**

- ☐ **Witness:** x \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ **Identification:** Driver's License, State ID, Passport,  
other: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ **Comparison with signature on file**
- ☐ **Other:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Responsible Authority/Designee:** \_\_\_\_\_

**EXHIBIT 7**  
**CONSENT TO RELEASE COPYRIGHTED DATA**

I, \_\_\_\_\_, certify that I have the authority to authorize the City of New Prague to release the following copyrighted data of which I am the copyright holder:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

To the following person or people: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

The person or people receiving the copyrighted data may use it only for the following purpose or purposes: \_\_\_\_\_

This authorization is dated \_\_\_\_\_ and expires\* on \_\_\_\_\_

*\*The expiration cannot exceed one year from the date of the authorization.*

I, the undersigned, agree to give up and waive all claims that I might have against the City, its agents and employees for releasing data pursuant to this request.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Printed Name Title

\_\_\_\_\_  
Complete Address Phone Number

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notarized Signature Date

STATE OF MINNESOTA )  
 ) ss.  
COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_)

On this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, before me, a Notary Public within and for said County, personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_, known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he/she executed the same as his/her own free act and deed.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public



**EXHIBIT 8**  
**DATA PRACTICES ADVISORY**  
**(Tennessen Warning)**

Some or all of the information that you are asked to provide on the attached form is classified by state law as either private or confidential. Private data is information that generally cannot be given to the public but can be given to the subject of the data. Confidential data is information that generally cannot be given to either the public or the subject of the data.

The City's purpose and intended use of this information is: \_\_\_\_\_

You    \_   are/    \_   are not legally required to provide this information.

If you refuse to supply the information, the following may happen: \_\_\_\_\_

Other persons or entities authorized by law to receive this information are:

**EXHIBIT 9**  
**CITY OF NEW PRAGUE**  
**TENNESSEN WARNING FORM**

It is the City of New Prague's responsibility to inform potential employees of their privacy rights. Please carefully read the Tennesen Warning provided below. Sign and date the form and return it with your application. Your signature indicates that you have received information regarding your rights as they pertain to the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act.

In accordance with the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, the City of New Prague is required to inform you of your rights as they relate to the private information collected from you. Private data is information that is available to you, but not to the public; the personal information we collect about you is private. Minnesota Statutes Sections 13.04 and 13.43 are two sections that govern what affects you as an applicant for employment at the City of New Prague. All data collected is considered private except for the following:

1. Your veteran's status;
2. Relevant test scores;
3. Your job history;
4. Your education and training; and
5. Your work availability.

Your name is considered to be private information; however, if you are selected to be interviewed as a finalist, your name becomes public information.

The data supplied by you may be used for such other purposes as may be determined to be necessary in the administration of personnel policies, rules, and regulations of the City of New Prague. Furnishing social security numbers is voluntary for applicants to the City of New Prague, but refusal to supply other requested information would mean that your application for employment might not be considered.

Private data is available only to you, appropriate City employees, and others as provided by state and federal laws who have a bona fide need for the data. Public data is available to anyone requesting it and consists of all data furnished in the application for employment that is not designated in this notices as private data.

The information you give about yourself is needed to identify you and to assist the City of New Prague in determining your suitability for the position for which you are applying.

I have read and understand the information given above regarding the Minnesota Data Practices Act.

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Applicant Signature

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Date

**EXHIBIT 10**  
**SAMPLE CONTRACT PROVISION**

Data Practices Compliance. Contractor will have access to data collected or maintained by the City to the extent necessary to perform Contractor's obligation under this contract. Contractor agrees to maintain all data contained from the City in the same manner as the City is required under the Minnesota Government Data Practices Act, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 13 (the "Act"). Contractor will not release or disclose the contents of data classified as not public to any person except at the written direction of the City. Contractor agrees to defend and indemnify the City from any claim, liability, damage or requirements of the Act or this contract. Upon termination of this contract, Contractor agrees to return data to the City as requested by the City.

**EXHIBIT 11**  
**BUILDING PERMIT/PLANS**  
**DATA PRACTICES ADVISORY**

You may be required to submit building plans with your building permit application so that the City of New Prague can determine whether or not your building permit application should be approved. If you do not submit plans when they are required, your building permit will not be approved. The Minnesota Government Data Practices Act establishes a presumption that all government data are public and are accessible by the public for both inspection and copying unless there is a federal law, a state statute, or a temporary classification of data that provides that certain data are not public. Minnesota Statutes Section 13.02 defines government data as being all data collected, created, received, maintained, or disseminated by the City regardless of its physical form, storage media or conditions of use.

The Government Data Practices Act allows building plans to be classified as non-public ONLY if they contain the following information:

Security information defined by Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37, subdivision 1(a) as being "government data the disclosure of which would be likely to substantially jeopardize the security of information, possessions, individuals or property against theft, tampering, improper use, attempted escape, illegal disclosure, trespass, or physical injury."

OR

Trade secret information defined by Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37, subdivision 1 (b) as being "government data, including a formula, pattern, compilation, program, device, method, technique or process (1) that was supplied by the affected individual or organization, (2) that is the subject of efforts by the individual or organization that are reasonable under the circumstances to maintain its secrecy, and (3) that derives independent economic value, actual or potential, from not being generally known to, and not being readily ascertainable by proper means by, other persons who can obtain economic value from its disclosure or use."

Building plans submitted to the City are generally public information and will be presumed to be available for copying and release to the public. If you hold a copyright to the plans and do not want them copied for the public, then you will need to indicate as such below. Also, if you believe that your building plans qualify for the classification of nonpublic data you must provide documentation verifying your claim. The Responsible Authority for the City of New Prague will determine whether or not the plans qualify for nonpublic data classification within 10 business days of the request.

Building plans and related documents submitted to the City are presumed to be public and by submitting them and signing this document you are expressly giving permission to the City to make copies for the City's use and to make available to the public upon request unless you indicate otherwise as follows:

\_\_\_\_\_ **The building plans I have submitted contain SECURITY INFORMATION as defined by Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37, subdivision 1(a) and are to be treated as protected nonpublic data.** I understand I must provide an explanation (below) to support my claim that the information I am providing constitutes security information under law.

\_\_\_\_\_ **The building plans I have submitted contain TRADE SECRET INFORMATION as defined by Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37, subdivision 1 (b) and are to be treated as protected nonpublic data.** I understand I must provide an explanation (below) to support my claim that the information I am providing constitutes trade secret information under law.

\_\_\_\_\_ **The building plans I have submitted are COPYRIGHTED under and protected by the Federal Copyright Act and I do not give permission for them to be copied for release to the public.** However, I understand the plans are considered public information under Minnesota law and may be viewed by the public.

Explanation:

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Name of Applicant (Please Print)

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Date

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Signature of Applicant

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Property Address

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Contact Address

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Contact Phone Number

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E-mail address

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**APPENDIX A  
PRIVATE AND CONFIDENTIAL DATA  
MAINTAINED BY THE CITY OF NEW PRAGUE**

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**The list of data types is divided into the following categories: General; Administration; Planning; Personnel; and Police. The categories are provided only for convenience in locating types of data. Inclusion in any particular category is not intended to indicate an exclusive location for that data type (e.g., data listed under Personnel may be physically located in more than one City department).**

**GENERAL**

**Applications for Election or Appointment**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.601, subd. 3

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: The following data on all applicants for election or appointment are public: name, city of residence (except when the appointment has a residency that requires the entire address to be public), education and training, employment history, volunteer work, awards and honors, prior government service, veteran status, and any data required to be provided.

**Business Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.591

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data submitted to the City by a business requesting financial assistance or a benefit financed by public funds are private or nonpublic data. The data becomes public when public financial assistance is provided or the business receives a benefit from the City, except that business plans, income and expense projections not related to the financial assistance provided, customer lists, income tax returns, and design, market and feasibility studies not paid for with public funds remain private or nonpublic.

**City Attorney Records**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.393

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: The use, collection, storage, and dissemination of data by the City Attorney is governed by statutes, rules, and professional standards concerning discovery, production of documents, introduction of evidence, and professional responsibility. Data which is the subject of attorney-client privilege is confidential. Data which is the subject of the "work product" privilege is confidential.

**Civil Investigative Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential/ Protected Nonpublic/ Not public/ Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.39

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data collected as part of an active investigation undertaken to commence or defend pending civil litigation, or which are retained in anticipation of pending civil litigation are classified as protected nonpublic data pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section

13.02, subdivision 13, in the case of data not on individuals and confidential pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 13.02, subdivision 3, in the case of data on individuals. The City may make any data classified as confidential or protected nonpublic accessible to any person, agency or the public if the City determines that the access will aid the law enforcement process, promote public health or safety or dispel widespread rumor or unrest.

#### **Community Dispute Resolution Center Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.88

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data relating to a case in a community dispute resolution program are classified as private data on individuals, with the exceptions set forth in Minnesota Statutes Section 13.88.

#### **Elected Officials Correspondence**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/ Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.601, subd. 2

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Correspondence between individuals and elected officials is private data on individuals, but may be made public by either the sender or the recipient.

#### **Emergency Services for Homeless Persons**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.587

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data that identifies any individual receiving emergency services for homeless persons from the City under a grant from a state agency are private data on individuals.

#### **Financial Disclosure Statements**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.601, subd. 1.

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Financial disclosure statements of elected or appointed officials which, by requirement of the City, are filed with the City, are public data on individuals.

#### **Identity of Employees Making Complaints**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 181.932, subd. 2; 13.7905, subd. 5(b)

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: The identity of an individual who reports to any governmental body or law enforcement official a violation or suspected violation by the individual's employer of any federal or state law or rule is private data on individuals if it meets the requirements of Minnesota Statutes Section 181.932, subdivision 2.

#### **Internal Competitive Response**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.591, subd. 5, 13.37.

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: A bid or proposal to provide the City with goods or services that is prepared by City staff in competition with bids or proposals solicited by the City from the private sector or a different government entity from the private sector are classified as private or nonpublic until completion of the selection process or completion of the evaluation process at

which time the data are public with the exception of trade secret information as defined and classified in Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37.

### **Internal Auditing Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S) : Confidential/Private/Protected Nonpublic/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.392

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data, notes, and preliminary drafts of reports created, collected and maintained by the internal audit offices of the City or by person performing audits for the City and relating to an audit or investigation are confidential data on individuals or protected nonpublic data until the final report has been published or the audit or investigation is no longer being pursued actively. Data on an individual supplying information for an audit or investigation that could reasonably be used to determine the individuals' identity are private data on individuals if the information supplied was needed for an audit or investigation and would not have been provided to the internal audit office or person performing audits without an assurance to the individual that the individual's identity would remain private.

### **Pleadings**

CLASSIFICATION(S) : Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.03, subd. 12

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Pleadings in a lawsuit by or against the City are public data to the same extent that the data would be public if filed with the court.

### **Requests for Proposals**

CLASSIFICATION(S) : Private/Nonpublic/Not public/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.591, subd. 3(b) , 13.37

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data submitted by a business to the City in response to a request for proposals, as defined in Minnesota Statutes Section 16C.02, subdivision 12, are private or nonpublic until the time and date specified in the solicitation that proposals are due, at which time the name of the responder becomes public. All other data in a responder's response to a request for proposals are private or nonpublic data until completion of the evaluation process. After a government entity has completed the evaluation process, all remaining data submitted by all responders are public with the exception of trade secret data as defined and classified in Minnesota Statutes Section 13.37. A statement by a responder that submitted data are copyrighted or otherwise protected does not prevent public access to the data contained in the response. If all responses to a request for proposals are rejected prior to completion of the evaluation process, all data, other than the names of the responders, remain private or nonpublic until a resolicitation of the requests for proposal results in completion of the evaluation process or a determination is made to abandon the purchase. If the rejection occurs after the completion of the evaluation process, the data remain public. If a resolicitation of proposals does not occur within one year of the proposal opening date, the remaining data become public.

### **Sealed Bids**

CLASSIFICATION(S) : Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.37



DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Sealed bids, including the number of bids received, prior to opening are classified as nonpublic data with regard to data not on individuals and as private data with regard to data on individuals.

### **Security Information**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.37

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data which if disclosed would be likely to substantially jeopardize the security of information, possessions, individuals or property against theft, tampering, improper use, attempted escape, illegal disclosure, trespass, or physical injury is classified as nonpublic data with regard to data not on individuals and as private data with regard to data on individuals. This includes crime prevention block maps and lists of volunteers who participate in community crime prevention programs and their home addresses and telephone numbers, but these may be disseminated to other volunteers participating in crime prevention programs.

### **Service Cooperative Claims Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.203

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Claims experience and all related information received from carriers and claims administrators participating in a group health or dental plan, including any long-term disability plan, offered through Minnesota service cooperatives to Minnesota political subdivisions and survey information collected from employees and employers participating in these plans and programs are classified as nonpublic data on individuals. However, an executive director of a Minnesota service cooperative may make the determination that release of the data will not be detrimental to the plan or program.

### **Social Security Numbers**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.355

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Social Security numbers of individuals are private data on individuals, except to the extent that access to the Social Security number is specifically authorized by law.

### **Trade Secret Information**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.37

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data, including a formula, pattern, compilation, program, device, method, technique or process: (1) that was supplied by the affected individual or organization; (2) that is the subject of efforts by the individual or organization that are reasonable under the circumstances to maintain its secrecy; and (3) that derives independent economic value, actual or potential, from not being generally known to, and not being readily ascertainable by proper means by, other persons who can obtain economic value from its disclosure or use are nonpublic data with regard to data not on individuals and as private data with regard to data on individuals.

## **ADMINISTRATION**

**Absentee Ballots**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.37. subd. 2(a)

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Sealed absentee ballots before opening by an election judge are nonpublic data with regard to data not on individuals and private data with regard to data on individuals.

**Assessor's Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.51

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data contained on sales sheets received from private multiple listing service organizations is private where the contract with the organizations requires the City to refrain from making the data available to the public. The following data collected by the City from individuals or business entities concerning income properties are private or nonpublic: (a) detailed income and expense figures; average vacancy factors; verified net rentable areas or net usable area, whichever is appropriate; anticipated income and expenses; projected vacancy factors; and lease information. Income information on individuals collected and maintained by the City to determine eligibility of property for class 4d under Minnesota Statutes Sections 273.128 and 273.13, is private data on individuals.

**Computer Access Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.15

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data created, collected, or maintained about a person's access to the City's computer system for the purpose of: (1) gaining access to data or information; (2) transferring data or information; or (3) using government services are private data on individuals or nonpublic data. This data does not include a cookie temporarily installed by the City on a person's computer during a single session or visit to the City's web site if the cookie is installed only in a computer's memory and is deleted from the memory when the web site browser or web site application is closed.

**Deferred Assessment Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.52

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data collected pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 435.193, which indicates the amount or location of cash or other valuables kept in the homes of applicants for deferred assessment are private data.

**Federal Contracts Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.35

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: All data collected and maintained by the City when required to do so by a federal agency as part of its contract with the City are classified as either private or nonpublic depending on whether the data are data on individuals or data not on individuals.

**Homestead Applications**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat §§ 13.4965, subd. 3, 273.124, subd. 13

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Social Security numbers, affidavits or other proofs of entitlement to homestead status that are submitted by property owners or their spouses are private data on individuals. The data may be disclosed to the Commissioner of Revenue or, under limited circumstances, the County Treasurer.

**Library and Historical Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat § 13.40

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data that links a library patron's name with materials requested or borrowed or with a specific subject about which the patron has requested information or materials; data in applications for borrower cards, other than the name of the borrower; data contributed to a historical records repository operated by the City, if the data was contributed by private persons under an agreement that restricts access or if access would significantly endanger the physical or organizational integrity of the data are private data on individuals.

**Lodging Tax Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat § 13.495

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data, other than basic taxpayer identification data, collected from taxpayers under a lodging tax ordinance are nonpublic data.

**Municipal Bonds Register Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat §§ 13.202, subd. 12, 475.55, subd. 6

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data with respect to the ownership of municipal obligations are nonpublic data or private data on individuals.

**Municipal Electric Utility Customer Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat § 13.685

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data on customers of municipal electric utilities are private data on individuals or nonpublic data.

**Municipal Self-Insurer Claims**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat §§ 13.202, subd. 9(a), 471.617, subd. 5

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data about individual claims or total claims made by an individual under a self-insured health benefit plan of a municipality are private.

**Parking Space Leasing Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat § 13.37, subd. 1 (d) and subd. 2

**DESCRIPTION OF DATA:** The following data on an applicant for or lessee of a parking space: residence address, home telephone number, beginning and ending work hours, place of employment, work telephone number and location of the parking space are classified as nonpublic data with regard to data not on individuals and as private data with regard to data on individuals.

#### **Registered Voter Lists**

**CLASSIFICATION(S):** Confidential/Public

**GOVERNING STATUTE:** Minn. Stat. §§ 13.607, subd. 6; 201.091

**DESCRIPTION OF DATA:** The information contained in the master list of registered voters may only be made available to public officials for purposes related to election administration, jury selection, and in response to a law enforcement inquiry concerning a violation of or a failure to comply with any criminal statute or state or local tax statute.

#### **Security Service Data**

**CLASSIFICATION(S):** Nonpublic/Private/Public

**GOVERNING STATUTE:** Minn. Stat. §§ 13.861, 13.37 and 13.82, subd. 2, 3 and 6.

**DESCRIPTION OF DATA:** Data collected, created, or maintained by a security service for the purpose of providing security services to the City that are similar to the data described as request for service data and response or incident data in Minnesota Statutes Section 13.82, subdivision 3 and 6 are public. If personnel of a security service make a citizen's arrest, then any security service data that are similar to the data described as arrest data in Minnesota Statutes Section 13.82, subdivision 2 are public. If a security service participates in but does not make an arrest, it shall, upon request, provide data that identify the arresting law enforcement agency. All other security service data are nonpublic.

#### **Social Recreational Data**

**CLASSIFICATION(S):** Private

**GOVERNING STATUTE:** Minn. Stat. § 13.548

**DESCRIPTION OF DATA:** For individuals enrolling in recreational or other social programs: name, address, telephone number, any other data that identifies the individual, and any data which describes the health or medical condition of the individual, family relationships, living arrangements, and opinions as to the emotional makeup or behavior of an individual are classified as private.

#### **Solid Waste Collector Customer Lists**

**CLASSIFICATION(S):** Private/Nonpublic

**GOVERNING STATUTE:** Minn. Stat. §§ 13.7411, subd. 4 (d), 115A.93, subd. 5

**DESCRIPTION OF DATA:** Customer lists provided to the City by solid waste collectors are private data on individuals or nonpublic data with regard to data not on individuals.

#### **Transportation Service Data**

**CLASSIFICATION(S):** Private

**GOVERNING STATUTE:** Minn. Stat. § 13.72, subd. 10

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Personal, medical, financial, familial, or locational information data pertaining to applicants for or users of services providing transportation for the disabled or elderly are private.

## **PLANNING**

### **Appraisal Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential/Protected Nonpublic/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.44, subd. 3

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Estimated or appraised values of property that are made by the City or by an independent appraiser acting for the City for the purpose of selling or acquiring land through purchase or condemnation are classified as confidential data on individuals or protected nonpublic data. However, this data becomes public at the discretion of the City Council, determined by majority vote of the City's governing body. Appraised values of property that are made by appraisers working for fee owners or contract purchasers who have received an offer to purchase their property from a government entity are classified as private data on individuals or nonpublic data. Appraisal data made confidential or nonpublic become public when the data are submitted to a court appointed condemnation commissioner, the data are presented in court in condemnation proceedings or the parties enter into an agreement for the purchase and sale of the property.

### **Award Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.48

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Financial data on business entities submitted to the City for the purpose of presenting awards to business entities for achievements in business development or performance are private data on individuals or nonpublic data.

### **Benefit Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.462

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data on individuals collected or created when an individual seeks information about becoming, is or was an applicant for or a recipient of benefits or services provided under any housing, home ownership, rehabilitation and community action agency, Head Start, or food assistance programs administered by the City are private data on individuals with the exception of the names and addresses of applicants for and recipients of the benefits, which are classified as public data on individuals.

### **Convention Center Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.55

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Letters or documentation from any person who makes inquiry to or who is contacted by the convention center facility regarding availability of the facility for staging events; identity of firms and corporations that contact the facility; the type of event that the contacting person wants to stage in the facility; suggested terms of rentals and responses of staff to such inquiries are nonpublic or private data on individuals. However, that data becomes public

upon any of the following: (a) five years elapse from the date on which the lease or contract is entered into between the facility and the inquiring party or parties or the event which was the subject of inquiry occurs at the facility, whichever occurs earlier; (b) the event which was the subject of inquiry does not occur; or (c) the event which was the subject of inquiry occurs elsewhere. The names, addresses and contact persons for individual exhibitors at an exhibition may be withheld at the discretion of the City to protect the competitive position of the facility or its customers.

### **Housing Agency Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential/Private/Protected Nonpublic/Nonpublic/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.585

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Correspondence between the housing agency and agency's attorney containing data on individuals collected as part of an active investigation undertaken for the purpose of the commencement or defense of potential or actual litigation; initiation of lease terminations and eviction actions; admission denial hearings concerning prospective tenants; commencement of actions against independent contractors of the agency; and tenant grievance hearings are classified as confidential data. Correspondence between the housing agency and the agency's attorney containing data not on individuals collected as part of an active investigation undertaken for the purpose of the commencement or defense of potential or actual litigation are classified as protected nonpublic data. Income information on individuals collected and maintained to determine property tax classification eligibility is private data on individuals. Data pertaining to negotiations with property owners regarding the purchase of property are classified as nonpublic data.

### **Property Complaint Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat§ 13.44, subd. 1

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data that identifies individuals who register complaints concerning violations of state laws or local ordinances concerning the use of real property are classified as confidential data.

### **Redevelopment Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat § 13.59

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Names and addresses of individuals and the legal descriptions of property owned by individuals, when collected in surveys of individuals conducted by the City or Housing and Redevelopment Authority for the purposes of planning, development, and redevelopment are classified as private data. Names and addresses of businesses and the legal descriptions of business propelties and the commercial use of the property to the extent the disclosure of the use would identify a particular business are nonpublic data.

## **PERSONNEL**

### **Employee Drug and Alcohol Tests**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential/Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat§§ 13.7905, subd. 5(c), 181.954, subd. 2 and 3

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Test results and other information acquired in an employee drug and alcohol testing process are private data on individuals.

#### **Employment and Training Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.47

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data on individuals collected, maintained, used, or disseminated because an individual applies for, is currently enrolled in, or has been enrolled in employment and training programs funded with federal, state or local resources are private data on individuals.

#### **Examination Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Confidential

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.34

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data consisting solely of testing or examination materials or scoring keys used solely to determine individual qualifications for appointment or promotion, the disclosure of which would compromise the objectivity or fairness of the testing or examination process are classified as nonpublic, except pursuant to court order.

#### **Human Rights Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential/Private/Protected Nonpublic/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.552, 363A.28 and 363A.35

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data maintained by the human rights department of the City. Human rights investigative data contained in an open case file are confidential data on individuals or protected nonpublic data. The name and address of the charging party and respondent, factual basis of the allegations, and the statute under which the action is brought are private data on individuals or nonpublic data but are accessible to the charging party and the respondent. Human rights investigative data contained in a closed case file are private data on individuals or nonpublic data. The name and address of the charging party and respondent, factual basis of the allegations, the statute under which the action is brought, the party of the summary of the investigation that does not contain identifying data on a person other than the complainant or respondent and the commissioner's memorandum determining whether probable cause has been shown are public data.

#### **Labor Relations Information**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.37

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Management positions on economic and noneconomic items that have not been presented during the collective bargaining process or interest arbitration, including information specifically collected or created to prepare the management position is classified as nonpublic data with regard to data not on individuals and as private data with regard to data on individuals.

#### **Personnel and Employment Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.43.

**DESCRIPTION OF DATA:** Certain government data on individuals maintained because the individual is or was an employee of or an applicant for employment by, performs services on a voluntary basis for, or acts as an independent contractor with the City are public as set forth in Minnesota Statutes Section 13.43, subdivision 2. All other personnel data is private data on individuals but may be released pursuant to a court order. Data pertaining to an employee's dependents are private data on individuals.

#### **Salary Benefit Survey Data**

**CLASSIFICATION(S):** Nonpublic

**GOVERNING STATUTE:** Minn. Stat. § 13.435

**DESCRIPTION OF DATA:** Salary and personnel benefit survey data purchased from consulting firms, nonprofit corporations or associations or obtained from employers with the written understanding that the data shall not be made public are classified as nonpublic data.

### **PUBLIC SAFETY**

#### **911 Emergency Telephone Service**

**CLASSIFICATION(S):** Private

**GOVERNING STATUTE:** Minn. Stat. §§ 13.202, subd. 6, 403.07, subd. 4

**DESCRIPTION OF DATA:** Names, addresses and telephone numbers provided to a 911 system are private data subject only to public safety exceptions.

#### **Ambulance Service Data**

**CLASSIFICATION(S):** Private

**GOVERNING STATUTE:** Minn. Stat. §§ 13.381, subd. 12, 144E.123

**DESCRIPTION OF DATA:** Ambulance reports/prehospital medical care data are private data on individuals.

#### **Arson Investigation**

**CLASSIFICATION(S):** Confidential/Public

**GOVERNING STATUTE:** Minn. Stat. §§ 13.6905, subd. 26, 299F.055 and 299F.056

**DESCRIPTION OF DATA:** Data received pursuant to the Arson Reporting Immunity Law, Minnesota Statutes Sections 299F.052 to 299F.057 by an authorized person or insurance company shall be confidential data until its release is required pursuant to a criminal or civil proceeding.

#### **Child Abuse Report Records**

**CLASSIFICATION(S):** Confidential/Private

**GOVERNING STATUTE:** Minn. Stat. §§ 13.871, subd. 6 (b), 13.82, subd. 8 and 9 and 626.556

**DESCRIPTION OF DATA:** Active or inactive investigative data that identify a victim of child abuse or neglect reported under Minnesota Statutes Section 626.556 are private data on individuals. Active or inactive investigative data that identify a reporter of child abuse or neglect under Minnesota Statutes Section 626.556 are confidential data on individuals, unless the subject of the report compels disclosure under Minnesota Statutes Section 626.556, subdivision 11. Investigative data that becomes inactive and that relate to the alleged abuse or neglect of a child



by a person responsible for the child's care, as defined in Minnesota Statutes Section 626.556, subdivision 2 are private data.

#### **Corrections and Detention Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential/Private/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.85

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data on individuals created, collected, used or maintained because of their lawful confinement or detainment in state reformatories, prisons and correctional facilities, municipal or county jails, lockups, work houses, work farms and all other correctional and detention facilities are classified as private to the extent that the release of the data would either: (a) disclose medical, psychological or financial information or personal information not related to their lawful confinement or detainment or (b) endanger an individual's life. Corrections and detention data are confidential to the extent that the data would (a) endanger an individual's life, (b) endanger the effectiveness of an investigation authorized by statute relating to the enforcement of rules or law, (c) identify a confidential informant, or (d) clearly endanger the security of any institution or its population.

#### **Crime Victim Notice of Release**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.871, subd. 5 (a), 611A.06

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: All identifying information regarding a crime victim, including a victim's request for notice of release and a notice of release made pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 611A.06 is classified as private data on individuals.

#### **Criminal Gang Investigative Data System**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.6905, subd. 14, 299C.091

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data in the criminal gang investigative data system are confidential data on individuals as defined in Minnesota Statutes Section 13.02, subdivision 3, but are accessible to law enforcement agencies and may be released to the criminal justice agencies.

#### **Criminal History Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.87

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data maintained in criminal history records compiled by the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension, including, but not limited to, fingerprints, photographs, identification data, arrest data, prosecution data, criminal court data, custody and supervision data that is maintained by the City is classified as private pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 13.02, subdivision 12. However, data created, collected or maintained by the Bureau of Criminal Apprehension that identify an individual who was convicted of a crime, the offense of which the individual was convicted, associated court disposition and sentence information, controlling agency and confinement information are public data for 15 years following the discharge of the sentence imposed for that offense.

#### **Data on Videotape Consumers**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 3251.02, subd. 2, 13.487, subd. 3

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Personally identifiable information concerning a videotape consumer that a law enforcement agency obtains in connection with an action commenced by the videotape seller or provider to collect fines for overdue or unreturned videotapes or collection for unpaid videotapes shall be maintained by the City as investigative data under Minnesota Statutes Section 13.82, except that when the investigation becomes inactive, the information is private data on individuals.

#### **Diversion Program Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.6905, subd. 18, 299C.46, subd. 5

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Names and identifying data concerning diversion program participants that are maintained in the criminal justice information system are private data.

#### **Domestic Abuse Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.80

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data on individuals collected, created, received or maintained by the Police Department pursuant to the Domestic Abuse Act, Minnesota Statutes Section 518B.01 are classified as confidential data, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 13.02, subdivision 3, until a temporary court order made pursuant to subdivisions 5 or 7 of Minnesota Statutes Section 518B.01 is executed or served upon the data subject who is the respondent to the action.

#### **EMT or First Responder Misconduct Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential/Protected Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.383, subd. 2, 144E.305, subd. 3.

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Reports of emergency medical technicians, emergency medical technicians-intermediate, emergency medical technicians-paramedic or first responders misconduct are considered to be confidential or protected nonpublic while an investigation is active. Except for the Emergency Medical Services Regulatory Board's final determination, all communications or information received by or disclosed to the Board relating to disciplinary matters of any person or entity subject to the Board's regulatory jurisdiction are confidential and privileged and any disciplinary hearing shall be closed to the public.

#### **Firearms Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.87, subd. 2

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data about the purchase or transfer of firearms and applications for permits to carry firearms are classified as private.

#### **Hazardous Substance Emergency**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Nonpublic

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.6905, subd. 27, 299F.095 and 299F.096, subd. 1

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data contained in hazardous materials notification reports made pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Sections 299F.091 to 299F.099 are classified as nonpublic.

**Health Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.3805, subd. 1 (a)(2) and (b)

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data on individuals created, collected, received or maintained by the City relating to the identification, description, prevention, and control of disease or as *part* of an epidemiologic investigation designated by the Commissioner of Health as necessary to analyze, describe or protect the public health are private data on individuals.

**Investigative Detention Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. § 13.86

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data created, collected, used or maintained by the City jail or detention facility that, if revealed, would identify an informant who provided information about suspected illegal activities and is likely to subject the informant to physical reprisals by others are confidential.

**Law Enforcement Data**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private/ Confidential/ Public/Non Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§13.82, 259.10, subd. 2,243.166, 299C.54

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Certain arrest data, request for service data, and response or incident data are public data.

An audio recording of a call placed to a 911 system for the purpose of requesting service for law enforcement, fire or medical emergency is private data on individuals, except that a written transcript of the audio recording is public, unless it reveals the identity of an individual otherwise protected under Minnesota Statutes Section 13.82, subdivision 17.

Criminal investigative data collected or created by a law enforcement agency in order to prepare a case against a person for the commission of a crime or other offense for which the agency has primary investigative responsibility is confidential or protected nonpublic while the investigation is still active. Inactive investigation data is public unless the release of the data would jeopardize another ongoing investigation or would reveal the identity of individuals protected under Minnesota Statutes Section 13.82, subdivision 17.

Images and recordings, including photographs, video, and audio records, which are *part* of inactive investigative files and which are clearly offensive to common sensibilities are classified as private or nonpublic data, provided that the existence of the images and recordings shall be disclosed to any person requesting access to the inactive investigative file.

Data on court records relating to name changes under Minnesota Statutes Section 259.10, subdivision 2 which is held by a law enforcement agency is confidential data on an individual while an investigation is still active and is private data on an individual when the investigation becomes inactive.

Data in arrest warrant indices are classified as confidential data until the defendant has been taken into custody, served with a warrant or appears before the court, except when the law enforcement agency determines that the public purpose is served by making that information public.

Data that uniquely describe stolen, lost, confiscated or recovered property are classified as either private data on individuals or nonpublic data depending on the content.

Financial records of a program that pays rewards to informants are protected nonpublic data in the case of data not on individuals or confidential data in the case of data on individuals.

Data on registered criminal offenders as described in Minnesota Statutes Section 243.166 are private data on individuals.

Data included in a missing children bulletin distributed pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 299C.54 are public data.

Data that reflect deliberative processes or investigative techniques of law enforcement agencies are confidential data on individuals or protected nonpublic data, provided that information, reports, or memoranda that have been adopted as the final opinion or justification for a decision of a law enforcement agency are public data.

Booking photographs are public data.

Data that would reveal the identity of persons who are customers of a licensed pawnbroker, secondhand goods dealer or a scrap metal dealer are private data on individuals. Data describing the property in a regulated transaction with a licensed pawnbroker, secondhand goods dealer or a scrap metal dealer are public.

Investigative data that become inactive that consist of a person's financial account number or transaction numbers are private or nonpublic data.

The existence of all technology maintained by a law enforcement agency that may be used to electronically capture an audio, video, photographic, or other record of the activities of the general public, or of an individual or group of individuals, for purposes of conducting an investigation, responding to an incident or request for service, monitoring or maintaining public order and safety, or engaging in any other law enforcement function authorized by law is public data.

### **Peace Officer Discipline Procedures**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential/Private/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.871, subd. 6(0), 626.89, subd. 6 and 13.43

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: The complainant is entitled to copies of any witness statements in the possession of the other party and an officer is entitled to a copy of the investigating agency's investigative report, provided that any references in a witness statement or investigative report

that would reveal the identity of confidential informants need not be disclosed except upon order of the person presiding over the administrative hearing for good cause shown.

#### **Peace Officer Records on Juveniles**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.875, subd. 2, 260B.171, subd. 5.

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Peace officers' records of children who are or may be delinquent or who may be engaged in criminal acts are private data but shall be disseminated pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 260B.171, subdivision 5.

#### **Reports of Gunshot Wounds**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.871, subd. 6 (a), 626.53

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: A report made by a health professional concerning a wound or injury arising from or caused by discharge of a firearm or inflicted by the perpetrator of a crime using a dangerous weapon other than a firearm is confidential.

#### **Sex Offender HIV Tests**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.871, subd. 5(b), 611A.19, subd. 2

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Results of HIV tests of sex offenders are private data and must be handled in accordance with Minnesota Statutes Section 611A.19.

#### **Sexual Assault Crime Victims**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.871, subd. 3(e), 609.3471

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data that specifically identifies a victim who is a minor, in records or reports relating to petitions, complaints or indictments made are private data, if related to any of the following offenses: solicitation/inducement/promotion of prostitution, sex trafficking, criminal sexual predatory conduct, and criminal sexual conduct in the first, second, third or fourth degrees.

#### **Undercover Buy Fund**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Confidential/Private/Public

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.6905, subd. 13, 299C.065, subd. 4

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: An application to the Commissioner of Public Safety for a grant pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 299C.065 is a confidential record. Information within investigative files that identifies or could reasonably be used to ascertain the identity of assisted witnesses, sources or undercover investigators is a confidential record. A report at the conclusion of an investigation is a public record, except that information in a report pertaining to the identity or location of an assisted witness is private data.

#### **Use of Motor Vehicle to Patronize Prostitutes**

CLASSIFICATION(S): Private

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.871, subd. 3 (c) and 609.324, subd. 5

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: A notation in a driving record that the driver has used a motor vehicle to patronize prostitutes is classified as private data on individuals, but is accessible for law enforcement purposes. If the person has previously been convicted of a violation of Minnesota Statutes Section 609.322, the notation is public data.

### **Videotapes of Child Abuse Victims**

CLASSIFICATION(S) : Private/Confidential

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.821, 611A.90

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: An individual subject of data may not obtain a copy of a videotape in which a child victim or alleged victim is alleging, explaining, denying, or describing an act of physical or sexual abuse without a court order under Minnesota Statutes Sections 13.03, subdivision 6 or 611A.90.

### **Vulnerable Adult Report Records**

CLASSIFICATION(S) : Private/Confidential

GOVERNING STATUTE: Minn. Stat. §§ 13.871, subd. 6 (1) , 626.557, subd. 12(b) .

DESCRIPTION OF DATA: Data contained in reports made pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 626.557 of possible incidents of maltreatment of vulnerable adults and identities of individuals making such reports are confidential data on individuals or protected nonpublic data.

Adopted by the City of New Prague on July 21, 2025.

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