

Pursuant to **C.R.S. §24-72-204**, the following specific statutory exceptions exempt these requested materials from the Colorado Open Records Act. (Check all that apply):

GENERAL EXCEPTIONS:

- Overly broad request; request encompasses all or substantially all of a large category of records, and response to the request cannot be accomplished within 3 days.
- Any request that is contrary to state or federal statute or regulation.

PERSONAL PRIVACY EXCEPTIONS:

- Driver's License records.
- Medical, mental health, sociological and scholastic achievement data on specific person, except to the person in interest (does not apply to Coroner's reports).
- Personnel files; except to the person in interest, and to public officials who supervise such person's work. (Employment contracts are not excepted)
- Letters of Reference.
- Confidential commercial, financial, or geophysical data obtained from any person.
- Library and Museum materials contributed by private persons.
- Addresses and phone numbers of students in any public elementary or secondary school.
- Library records revealing the identity of a user who requested or obtained specific library materials; disclosure prohibited under C.R.S. §24-90-119 (Libraries; Privacy of User Records).
- Addresses, telephone numbers or personal financial information of past or present users of public utilities.
- Test questions, scoring keys or other data pertaining to licensing examinations, examinations for employment, or academic examinations, except that written promotional examinations and the scores awarded on such examination shall be available for inspection, but not copying or reproduction, and then only by the person who took the examination.
- Records submitted by an applicant or candidate for an executive position, who is not a finalist for the position, or among the group of finalists for the position.
- Any motor vehicle records that would reveal that an individual has a disability, to include issuance of disabled license plates, or a disabled placard.
- Veterinary medical data on individual animals owned by private citizens.
- Military records filed with the County Clerk and Recorder's Office, unless the person requesting the record is a surviving spouse, family member or authorized agent seeking provision of veteran's benefits.

EXCEPTIONS FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT AND INVESTIGATIVE FILES

- Judicial Documents. Any request that is prohibited by rules or orders of the Colorado Supreme Court.
- Law Enforcement Records. Any records of investigations conducted by the Sheriff, District Attorney's Office or police department, or any investigatory files compiled for any other law enforcement purpose.
- Crime Victim Records. Any materials received, claims, writings, documents or information kept by the crime victim compensation board or by the District Attorney's office concerning application for victim's compensation under C.R.S. §24-4.1-107.5.
- Records of sexual harassment complaints and investigations.
- Specialized details of security arrangements or investigations.

EXCEPTIONS FOR COMMERCIALLY VALUABLE INFORMATION

- Lobbying practices. Any request contrary to the requirements of the Colorado legislature pertaining to lobbying practices.
- Any specialized analysis data generated for the confidential use of County government in evaluating bids, awarding contracts for construction, or the purchase of goods and services; and any confidential documents, records, and automated systems used for bid analysis and contract management.

EXCEPTIONS FOR PREDECISIONAL DOCUMENTS USED IN GOVERNMENT

- Research Projects. The specific details of bona fide research projects undertaken by County government, staff or service agencies relating to pending legislation from the Elbert County government.
- Records of real estate appraisals made by Elbert County government for the purpose of acquisition of real property or interest in real property, except that such real estate appraisals shall be made available to the owner of such property in any condemnation proceeding brought by Elbert County under C.R.S. §38-1-121 (State Condemnation Actions – Appraisals and Negotiations).
- Records protected under the "deliberative process" privilege, where the records requested are so frank and so candid that disclosure would cause substantial injury to the public interest. Claims of "deliberative process" privilege require specially sworn statements by the record custodian, and the requesting individual may require the records custodian to secure an order of the district court to permit such restriction to access.