

# **Request to Access Information**

Personal information on this form is collected under Alberta's *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* and will be used to respond to your request. See instructions for completing this form.

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| About you  | Title (optional)  | Last Name          |                                  | First Name                  |             |  |
|  | Name of Company or Organization (if applicable)   |                    |                                  |                             |             |  |
|  | Mailing Address   | Street             | City/Town/Village                | Province                    | Postal Code |  |
|  | Telephone Number  | (daytime)          | Telephone Number (evening)       | Fax Number                  |             |  |
|  | E-mail Address  |                    | ( )                              |                             |             |  |
|  |   |                    |                                  |                             |             |  |
| About your request   | <ul> <li>What kind of information do you want to access?</li> <li>General information (An initial fee of \$25 is required – see instructions for explanation of fees.)</li> <li>Your own personal information (No initial fee is required for personal information.)</li> </ul> |                    |                                  |                             |             |  |
|  | 2. To which pul   | olic body are you  | making your request? (Please     | fill in the name of the pu  | blic body.) |  |
|  |   |                    |                                  |                             |             |  |
|  | 3. Do you want  | to: receive a      | copy of the record? OR ex        | xamine the record?          |             |  |
| About the information you want to  1. What records do you want to access? Please give as much detail as possible. (If you want to access? Please give as much detail as possible. (If you want to your own personal information, be sure to give all your previous names. For another person's in must attach proof that you can legally act for that person.) |   |                    |                                  |                             |             |  |
| access   |   |                    |                                  |                             |             |  |
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|  | 2. What is the t  | ime period of the  | records? Please give specific da | ites. (See instructions for | details.)   |  |
|  |   |                    |                                  |                             |             |  |
| our signature  | Signature   |                    |                                  | Date                        |             |  |
|  |   |                    |                                  |                             |             |  |
|  | FOR OFFICE USE ONLY   |                    |                                  |                             |             |  |
|  | Date Received   |                    | Request Number                   |                             |             |  |
|  |   |                    | Comments                         |                             |             |  |
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#### Instructions

You can access many public body records without making a request under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIP Act)*. To determine whether you need to make a request under the Act or if you need help completing the form, contact the FOIP Coordinator of the public body to which you are making the request.

#### **About you**

In this part of the form enter:

- your last name, first name and preferred title, if any;
- the name of the company or organization you are representing, if applicable;
- your complete mailing address and daytime and evening telephone numbers so that the public body can contact you about the request;
- a fax number or e-mail address, if any, where correspondence may be sent.

#### **About your request**

If you need help to find out what records a public body has, contact their FOIP Coordinator.

1. What kind of information are you requesting? Check **general** or **personal** information.

#### General information

- There is an initial fee of \$25.00. For a request to a government department, make the cheque payable to the Minister of Finance.
- The public body provides you with an estimated cost before processing begins.
- If the total cost of processing your request is more than \$150, you are asked to pay a 50% deposit.
- The records are provided when the fee is paid in full.

#### **Personal information**

- You must provide proof of your identity before records containing your personal information are released to you.
- If you are requesting records for another person, you must provide proof that you have authority to act for that person (e.g. guardianship or trusteeship order, power of attorney).
- There is no initial fee for accessing your own personal information.
- If the cost of photocopying is more than \$10, you will be notified of the fee.
- 2. Enter the name of the public body that you believe has the records that you are requesting.
- 3. Check the appropriate box indicating whether you want to receive a copy of the record *or* examine the record.

## **Continuing request**

- A continuing request is a single request that is processed more than once at a predetermined time intervals over a period of up to 2 years.
- Contact the FOIP Coordinator of the public body if you are making a continuing request.
- The initial fee is \$50.00.
- You must pay any additional costs as the information becomes available.

## About the information you want to access

- 1. What information are you requesting?
  - Be as specific as possible in describing the records.
  - If you need more space, continue your description on a separate sheet of paper and attach it to this request form.

If you are requesting your own personal information, give:

- your full name;
- any other names that you have previously used; and
- any identifying number that relates to the records, such as your employee number, case number or other identification number.

If you are requesting another person's information, give:

- the person's full name;
- any other name that person may have used on the records; and
- any identifying numbers for the person, if you know them.

If you are requesting records for another person, you will have to provide proof that you have authority to act for that person.

Enter the time period of the requested records.
 (e.g. if you want records for the period January 1, 1998 to August 31, 2000, enter those dates. If you want records from August 1997 to present, enter "August 1997 to present.")

#### Your signature

Sign and date the form and send it to the FOIP Coordinator of the appropriate public body. If you are not sure where to send the form, contact the FOIP Coordinator of the public body that has the records you wish to access or visit the website at www.gov.ab.ca/foip.

# Alberta Environment FOIP Form Identifying Search Criteria

Please print to ensure information provided is legible.

| 1.  | ITE DESCRIPTORS [SUBJECT PROPERTY] a Alberta Township System [e.g., South ½; Section 10; Township 52; Range 25; West of the 4 <sup>th</sup> Meridian]  |  |  |  |  |  |
|---|--|--|--|--|--|--|
|   | Ptn Sec Twp Rge WM   |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | If this is the only site descriptor that you have, indicate the nearest town or city  Civic Address [e.g., 12345 – ABC Street, Edmonton]   |  |  |  |  |  |
|   |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | 1c Subdivision Plan Plan Block Lot Lot   |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | 1d Other particulars about the site [e.g., agricultural land, residential, commercial, industrial or other types of land use, any current development on the site or has the land use changed]                                 |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | NAME OF COMPANY (IES) AND/OR INDIVIDUALS ASSOCIATED WITH THE SITE  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cur                                       | rent Owner(s) of the Site  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Prev                                      | vious Owner(s) of the Site   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cur                                       | rent and Former Operator(s)or Occupants of the Site  |  |  |  |  |  |
| DIS                                       | CLOSURE OF APPLICANT'S IDENTITY  Please indicate whether you consent to the disclosure of your identity to third parties by selecting the appropriate box below.   |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | I consent to the disclosure of my identity for the purpose of this access request.   |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | I do not consent to the disclosure of my identity for the purpose of this access request as follows:   |  |  |  |  |  |
|   | Signature: Date of Consent:  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Retu                                      | urn this form by Fax or mail to:   |  |  |  |  |  |
| Free<br>FOII<br>6 <sup>th</sup> F<br>9915 | erta Environment Edom of Information and Protection of Privacy Office P, Records & Information Management (FRIM) Branch Floor, South Tower, Petroleum Plaza 5 – 108 Street, Edmonton, Alberta, T5K 2J8 K Number (780) 427-9838 |  |  |  |  |  |

If you require additional information or have any questions please call (780) 427-4429.

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