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Records Management Advice

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Using Records Retention Schedules: Which Retention Schedules Do Airport Districts Use?

Purpose: Provide guidance to airport districts on which records retention schedules to use.

Airport districts need to use the following records retention schedules:

1. Local Government Common Records Retention Schedule (CORE)

This schedule covers records that are commonly created/received by most government agencies (including airport districts), such as records relating to:

- Board meetings
- Construction
- Contracts and agreements
- Facilities management
- Financial transactions and accounting
- Grants/bonds
- Human resources

- Information systems/technology
- Legal affairs
- Media coverage
- Payroll
- Policies and procedures
- Public records requests

Records with minimal retention value (transitory records) are also covered in the *Local Government Common Records Retention Schedule (CORE)*.

2. Economic Development and Transport Records Retention Schedule

This schedule covers records that are specific or unique to airport districts, such as records relating to:

- Airline statistics
- Cargo handling and storage documentation
- Civil aeronautics board dockets and related files
- Customer engagement

- F.A.A. regulatory files
- Foreign trade zone applications
- Landing fee reports
- Tariff memorandums
- Transient aircraft files
- International customs reports

Additional advice regarding the management of public records is available from Washington State Archives: