

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING THE RETENTION PERIOD FOR DOCUMENTS THAT ARE NOT OPEN TO PUBLIC INSPECTION WHEN SUCH DOCUMENTS EVENTUALLY BECOME PUBLIC RECORDS

WHEREAS, concerns have been raised that, state policy as written, may have the inadvertent affect of restricting access to certain documents entirely;

WHEREAS, this scenario is possible if a document that would typically be available for public consumption is unavailable due to such things as a court action or other unforeseen incident that makes the documents unavailable for a period of time;

WHEREAS, in those situations where documents are not open for public inspection and said documents will eventually become public, that such documents will be retained for inspection for a cumulative period equal to the period indicated in the Municipal Records Retention and Disposition Schedule, including the period prior to their becoming non-public or inaccessible, if applicable, and the period from the date of their again becoming public.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GREENSBORO:

That in those situations where documents are not open for public inspection either because of State Law, Court Order, Act of God, Emergency or other unforeseen event and such documents will eventually, pursuant to Law, Court Order or otherwise, become public, such documents will be retained for inspection for a cumulative period equal to the period indicated in Municipal Records Retention and Disposition Schedule, schedule including the period prior to their becoming non-public or inaccessible, if applicable, and the period from the date of their again becoming public.