

Retention and Classification Report

Agency: Howell (Utah) (507)

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AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22260

3

TITLE: Accounts payable

DATES: 1982-

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological by year, thereunder by month

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION: 0.10 cubic feet.

DESCRIPTION:

These records are used to pay municipal bills. They include copies of checks, invoices, purchase orders, and receiving reports. May also include correspondence with vendors and computer printouts.

RETENTION:

Retain 4 years.

DISPOSITION:

Destroy.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 11/01/1996.

FORMAT MANAGEMENT:

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Paper: Retain in Office for 4 years and then destroy.

APPRAISAL:

Fiscal This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 5, Item 1.

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22260

TITLE: Accounts payable

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PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22261

3

TITLE: Annual financial reports

DATES: 1975-

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION: 0.20 cubic feet.

DESCRIPTION:

These are statistical reports on the financial affairs of the entire municipality. "Within 180 days after the close of each fiscal year the city recorder or other delegated person shall present to the governing body an annual financial report prepared in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles, as prescribed in the Uniform Accounting Manual for Utah cities (UCA 10-6-150 (1997)). "Copies of the annual financial report....shall be filed with the state auditor and shall be filed as a public document in the office of the city recorder" (UCA 10-6-150 (1997)).

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APPRAISAL:

Fiscal Historical This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 5, Item 4.

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22261

TITLE: Annual financial reports

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PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22264

3

TITLE: Audit reports

DATES: 1975-

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological by year

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION: 0.20 cubic feet.

DESCRIPTION:

These are reports prepared by external auditors examining and verifying the municipality's financial activities for the year. "The audit required for any fiscal year shall be completed within six calendar months after the close of the fiscal year" (UCA 51-2-2 (1997)). The audit is required to include "the financial statements; the auditor's opinion on the financial statements; a statement by the auditor expressing positive assurance of compliance with state fiscal laws identified by the state auditor; a copy of the auditor's letter to management that identified any material weaknesses in internal controls discovered by the auditor, and other financial issues related to the expenditure of funds received from federal, state, or local governments to be considered by management; and management's response to the specific recommendations" (UCA 51-2-3(1)(a) (1997)).

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

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AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22264

TITLE: Audit reports

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APPRAISAL:

Administrative Fiscal Historical This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 5, Item 5.

Audit reports may be used during the next audit cycle to monitor compliance with internal control program recommendations. They document agency functions and have research value.

PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public UCA 51-2-3(3) (2008)

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25256

3

TITLE: Audit reports

DATES: 1943-

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION:

DESCRIPTION:

These are reports prepared by external auditors examining and verifying the municipality's financial activities for the year. "The audit required for any fiscal year shall be completed within six calendar months after the close of the fiscal year" (UCA 51-2-2 (1997)). The audit is required to include "the financial statements; the auditor's opinion on the financial statements; a statement by the auditor expressing positive assurance of compliance with state fiscal laws identified by the state auditor; a copy of the auditor's letter to management that identified any material weaknesses in internal controls discovered by the auditor, and other financial issues related to the expenditure of funds received from federal, state, or local governments to be considered by management; and management's response to the specific recommendations" (UCA 51-2-3(1)(a) (1997)).

RETENTION:

Retain permanently.

DISPOSITION:

Retain in agency custody.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

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AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25256

TITLE: Audit reports

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Microfilm duplicate: Retain in Office permanently.

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APPRAISAL:

Administrative Fiscal Historical This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 5, Item 5.

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PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22263

3

TITLE: Bank statements

DATES: 1990-

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological by year, thereunder by month

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION: 0.10 cubic feet.

DESCRIPTION:

These are monthly statements showing the amount of money on deposit to the credit of the municipality showing date, name of bank, total deposit, withdrawals, and cash balance with interest on daily bank balances. These statements are for the general checking account, water account and general savings account.

RETENTION:

Retain 4 years.

DISPOSITION:

Destroy.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 03/01/1989.

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APPRAISAL:

Fiscal This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 5, Item 7.

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22263

TITLE: Bank statements

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PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22266

3

TITLE: Cemetery lot books/files

DATES: 1984-

ARRANGEMENT: Alphabetical by name, thereunder by plot and lot

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION: 0.10 cubic feet.

DESCRIPTION:

These books or files contain the exact location of all persons buried in the cemetery. They include plot, lot, grave location, and lot ownership record. Also birth and death date.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 06/01/1997.

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APPRAISAL:

This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 17, Item 6.

PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25259

3

TITLE: Cemetery records

DATES: 1995-

ARRANGEMENT: Chrononolgical

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION:

DESCRIPTION:

These books or files contain the exact location of all persons buried in the cemetery. They include plot, lot, grave location, and lot ownership record.

RETENTION:

Retain permanently.

DISPOSITION:

Retain in agency custody.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 06/01/1997.

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AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25259

TITLE: Cemetery records

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APPRAISAL:

Administrative Historical This disposition is based on Utah
Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 17,
Item 6.

PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22262

3

TITLE: City charter

DATES: 1941-1941

ARRANGEMENT: Alphabetical

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION:

DESCRIPTION:

These files contain the constitution, bylaws and all amendments to city charters approved by the State Legislature (Constitution of Utah, Article XI, Section 5).

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 12/01/1996.

FORMAT MANAGEMENT:

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APPRAISAL:

Historical This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 18, Item 4.

PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22258

3

TITLE: Council minutes

DATES: 1941-1981,1983-

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological by year

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION: 0.30 cubic feet.

DESCRIPTION:

These minutes are the official record of the proceedings of regularly scheduled, special and emergency council meetings. They are adopted and approved by the council during their next public meeting. The minutes include the date, time, and meeting place; members present and absent; "the substance of all matters proposed, discussed, or decided, and record, by individual member, of votes taken; the names of citizens who appeared and the substance in brief of their testimony; any other information that any member requests be entered in the minutes" in accordance with UCA 52-4-7 (1997). These minutes are taken from the time Howell Town was incorporated to the present. They are the minutes of town meetings usually held monthly.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 03/01/1988.

FORMAT MANAGEMENT:

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AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22258

TITLE: Council minutes

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APPRAISAL:

Administrative Historical This disposition is based on Utah
Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 18,
Item 23.

PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public UCA 52-4-7(3) (2008)

SECONDARY CLASSIFICATION(S):

Protected. UCA 63G-2-305(32) (2008)

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25260

3

TITLE: Council minutes

DATES: 1941-

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION:

DESCRIPTION:

These minutes are the official record of the proceedings of regularly scheduled, special and emergency council meetings. They are adopted and approved by the council during their next public meeting. The minutes include the date, time, and meeting place; members present and absent; "the substance of all matters proposed, discussed, or decided, and record, by individual member, of votes taken; the names of citizens who appeared and the substance in brief of their testimony; any other information that any member requests be entered in the minutes" in accordance with UCA 52-4-7 (1997). These minutes also include some planning commission minutes of the town of Howell.

RETENTION:

Retain permanently.

DISPOSITION:

Retain in agency custody.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 03/01/1988.

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AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25260

TITLE: Council minutes

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APPRAISAL:

Administrative Historical This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 18, Item 23.

PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22259

3

TITLE: General ledgers

DATES: 1958-

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION: 0.30 cubic feet.

DESCRIPTION:

These are summaries showing the amount of receipts and disbursements of each department of the municipality. They may also include documentation from subsidiary ledgers to general ledger and accounting adjustments in the form of general entries.

RETENTION:

Retain 10 years.

DISPOSITION:

Destroy.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 03/01/1989.

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Paper: Retain in Office for 10 years and then destroy.

APPRAISAL:

Fiscal Historical This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 5, Item 12.

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22259

TITLE: General ledgers

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PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25254

3

TITLE: General Plan

DATES: 2000-

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION:

DESCRIPTION:

These are comprehensive plans for municipal development adopted by the city commission. "Each municipality shall prepare and adopt a comprehensive, long-range general plan for present and future needs of the municipality; and growth and development of all or any part of the land within the municipality" (UCA 10-9a-401(1) (2005)). "The planning commission shall make and recommend to the [city commission] a proposed general plan for the area within the municipality" (UCA 10-9a-403(1)(b) (2012)). The plans serve as a guide for decision-making on rezoning and other planning proposals and as the goals and policies of municipalities attempting to guide land use in local jurisdictions. The plans include "planning commission's recommendations for the development of the territory covered by the plan, and may include, among other things: (a) a land use element; (b) a transportation and circulation element; (c) an environmental element; (d) a public service and facilities element; (e) a rehabilitation, redevelopment, and conservation element; (f) an economic element; (g) recommendations for implementing the plan, including the use of zoning ordinances, subdivision ordinances, capital improvement plans, and other appropriate actions; and any other elements that the municipality considers appropriate" (UCA 10-91-403 (3) (2012)). The plan may also include maps, plats, and charts.

RETENTION:

Retain permanently.

DISPOSITION:

Retain in agency custody.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 06/01/1997.

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25254

TITLE: General Plan

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APPRAISAL:

Administrative Historical This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 20, Item 8.

PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25258

3

TITLE: History of Howell

DATES: 2003.

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION:

DESCRIPTION:

These are published or unpublished histories written on the municipal government or an individual municipal agency. The histories are financed by municipal funds. They may include title, author, date written, and a historical narrative.

RETENTION:

Retain permanently.

DISPOSITION:

Retain in agency custody.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 12/01/1996.

FORMAT MANAGEMENT:

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AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25258

TITLE: History of Howell

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APPRAISAL:

Historical This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 1, Item 14.

PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25257

3

TITLE: Ordinances and resolutions

DATES: 1943-

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION:

DESCRIPTION:

These books contain the legislative action of city council to regulate, require, prohibit, govern, control, or supervise any activity, business, conduct, or condition authorized by UCA 10-3-701 to 715 (1997). An ordinance includes a number, a title, preamble, an ordaining clause, the body or subject of ordinance, when applicable, penalty of violation, effective date, signature of mayor or acting mayor, and municipal seal.

RETENTION:

Retain permanently.

DISPOSITION:

Retain in agency custody.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 03/01/1988.

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AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25257

TITLE: Ordinances and resolutions

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APPRAISAL:

Administrative Historical Legal This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 18, Item 19.

Ordinances have legal value because they are municipal laws. They have historical value because ongoing ordinances document changes to the law over time.

PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22270

3

TITLE: Resolutions and ordinances

DATES:

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION:

DESCRIPTION:

These are formal statements of a decision, or expression of opinion put before or adopted by the city council. They may perform the same function as an ordinance. Resolutions may include the following: establishing water and sewer rates, charges for garbage collection and fees charged for municipal services, establishing policies and guidelines, and regulating the use and operation of municipal property (UCA 10-3-717 (1997)).

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 12/01/1996.

FORMAT MANAGEMENT:

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APPRAISAL:

Administrative Historical Legal This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 18, Item 22.

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 22270

TITLE: Resolutions and ordinances

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PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public

AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25255

3

TITLE: Zoning regulations

DATES: 2002-

ARRANGEMENT: Chronological

ANNUAL ACCUMULATION:

DESCRIPTION:

These "land use and development" ordinances provide standards for development for "land use and development" within the municipality. They have been approved by both the planning commission and the city commission. "The planning commission shall prepare and recommend to the [city commission] a proposed zoning ordinance and maps . . . The [city commission] shall hold a public hearing on the proposed zoning ordinance . . . After public hearing, the [city commission] may (a) adopt the ordinance as proposed; (b) amend zoning ordinance and adopt or reject the zoning ordinance as amended; or (c) reject the ordinance" UCA 10-9a-404 (2005)).

RETENTION:

Retain permanently.

DISPOSITION:

Retain in agency custody.

STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE STATUS:

This retention was approved by the State Records Committee on 12/01/1997.

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AGENCY: Howell (Utah)

SERIES: 25255

TITLE: Zoning regulations

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Microfilm duplicate: Retain in Office permanently.

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APPRAISAL:

Administrative Historical Legal This disposition is based on Utah Municipal General Records Retention Schedule, Schedule 20, Item 13.

PRIMARY CLASSIFICATION:

Public