

File No.: 04-1000-20-2024-156

April 10, 2025

s.22(1)

Dear s.22(1)

Re: **Request for Access to Records under the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (the "Act")**

I am responding to your request of February 28, 2025 under the ***Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*** for:

Record of the number of dogs euthanized for behavioural reasons. Date range: January 1, 2024 to December 31, 2024.

The record you have requested is publicly available, and can be found on the City of Vancouver's Open Data Portal at the following link: <https://opendata.vancouver.ca/explore/dataset/animal-control-inventory-register/information/>.

Animal Services staff have advised that the data responsive to your request can be found in relation to the "Behavior" designation under the "Status" column. You may export the data as an Excel spreadsheet at the above link.

Under section 52 of the Act, and within 30 business days of receipt of this letter, you may ask the Information & Privacy Commissioner to review any matter related to the City's response to your FOI request by writing to: Office of the Information & Privacy Commissioner, info@oipc.bc.ca or by phoning 250-387-5629.

If you request a review, please provide the Commissioner's office with: 1) the request number (2025-156); 2) a copy of this letter; 3) a copy of your original request; and 4) detailed reasons why you are seeking the review.

Yours truly,

[Signed by Cobi Falconer]

Cobi Falconer, MAS, MLIS, CIPP/C
Director, Access to Information & Privacy

If you have any questions, please email us at foi@vancouver.ca and we will respond to you as soon as possible. You may also contact 3-1-1 (604-873-7000) if you require accommodation or do not have access to email.

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