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NOTICE OF MEETING Government Records Council August 25, 2026

Pursuant to the Open Public Meetings Act, notice is hereby given that the Government Records Council will hold a regular meeting, at which formal action may be taken, commencing at 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, August 25, 2026, via Office Teams. Members of the public may attend the meeting by utilizing the following call-in information:

Telephone Number: 1-856-338-7074

Conference ID: 126 639 081#

The agenda, to the extent presently known, is listed below. The public session and consideration of cases is expected to commence at 1:30 p.m. remotely.

I. Public Session:

Call to Order
Pledge of Allegiance
Meeting Notice
Roll Call

II. Executive Director's Report

III. Closed Session

- Jeffrey Brian Wills, Jr. v. Medford Police Department (Burlington) (2026-66) *In Camera* Review (N.J.A.C. 5:105-2.8(g)).

IV. Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings:

July 28, 2026 Open Session Meeting Minutes

V. New Business – Cases Scheduled for Consent Agenda Administrative Complaint Disposition Adjudication *

An “Administrative Complaint Disposition” means a decision by the Council as to whether to accept or reject the Executive Director’s recommendation of dismissal based on jurisdictional, procedural or other defects of the complaint. The Executive Director’s recommended reason for the Administrative Disposition is under each complaint below.

A. Administrative Disposition Adjudications – New Category

- Summary Judgement – This category can be used when there is no material question of fact and one party is entitled to a judgment as a matter of law. This category is consistent with the Council’s authority under both OPRA and its own regulations, the Administrative Procedures Act, and is consistent with OPRA’s requirement that the Council adjudicate complaints in a “summary or expedited manner” pursuant to N.J.S.A. 47:1A-6. Finally, this category will assist the GRC in meeting its statutory adjudication timeframe set forth in N.J.S.A. 47:1A-6.

B. Administrative Disposition Adjudications with Recusals (Consent Agenda):

1. Carla Tiago v. NJ Department of Corrections (2024-275) **(RBT & SR Recusal)**
2. Alyza Brevard-Rodriguez v. City of Jersey City, Cannabis Control Board (Hudson) (2025-365) **(SR Recusal)**

C. Administrative Disposition Adjudications with no Recusals (Consent Agenda):

1. James Butler v. Township of West Caldwell (Essex) (2025-251)
2. James Butler v. Township of West Caldwell (Essex) (2025-252)
3. Richard Rivera v. Borough of Penns Grove (Salem) (2025-414)
4. Roberto Feliz Betancourt v. Bayonne Housing Authority (Hudson) (2026-20)
5. Mary Kate Wright v. Ringwood Police Department (Passaic) (2026-36)
6. Rebecca Petersen v. Hunterdon Central Regional High School Board of Education (2026-295)
7. Arthur J. Rittenhouse Jr. v. Borough of Sayreville (Middlesex) (2026-309)
8. Klarida Papajani v. Saddle Brook School District (Bergen) (2026-356)
9. Klarida Papajani v. Pascack Valley Regional High School (Bergen) (2026-357)
10. Qumere McClendon v. South Toms River Municipal Court (2026-363)
11. Lisa-ann Moyer v. Allamuchy Township School District (Warren) (2026-419)

D. Administrative Disposition Uncontested, Voluntary Withdrawals by Complainant (No Adjudication of the Council is Required):

1. Terrance Huettl v. County of Burlington (2023-244)
2. Bradley A. Harsch v. Township of Montclair (Essex) (2025-144)
3. Avinash Melkote v. City of Hoboken (Hudson) (2026-94)
4. Edward Eid v. City of Newark (Essex) (2026-150)
5. Adam Rzepka v. Rutgers University (2026-224)
6. Angelina Godoy v. NJ State Police (2026-267)
7. Avinash Melkote v. Town of Boonton (Morris) (2026-272)
8. Tyler P. Lowe v. NJ Department of Labor and Workforce Development, Division of Unemployment Insurance (2026-302)
9. Justin Rodriguez v. City of Newark (Essex) (2026-386)
10. Ashish Gupta v. Nj Department of Treasury, Division of Pensions and Benefits (2026-406)
11. Wynter L. Willis v. College Achiever Charter Paterson Schools (Passaic) (2026-422)
12. Brandon H. Zanan, Esq. (o/b/o Milagros Del Carmen Gutierrez Quintero) v. Township of Mahwah (Bergen) (2026-429)
13. Jerome Greco v. Township of Lakewood (Ocean) (2026-449)

VI. New Business – Cases Scheduled for Consent Agenda Administrative Order

An “Administrative order” means an order issued by the Council requiring the records custodian or the complainant to perform a specific action in furtherance of the adjudication of a pending denial of access complaint or taking other actions deemed appropriate to adjudicate a complaint in an expedited manner. The Executive Director’s recommended reason for the Administrative Order is under each complaint below.

A. Administrative Orders with Recusals (Consent Agenda): None

B. Administrative Orders with No Recusals (Consent Agenda):

1. Nalda M. Pineiro v. Perth Amboy Police Department (Middlesex) (2025-427)

VII. New Business – Cases Scheduled for Individual Complaint Adjudication

The Executive Director’s recommended action is under each complaint below.

A. Individual Complaint Adjudications with Recusals:

1. Andrew Tobin v. NJ Board of Public Utilities (2024-63) **(RBT Recusal)**
2. Hassan Dallas v. NJ Department of Corrections (2024-122) **(RBT & SR Recusal)**
3. Shante Coleman v. Newark Housing Authority (2025-228) **(SR Recusal)**
4. Kevin Kearns v. City of Hoboken (Hudson) (2026-156) **(SR Recusal)**
5. Kevin Kearns v. City of Hoboken (Hudson) (2026-157) **(SR Recusal)**
6. Matthew Sordill v. Port Authority of NY & NJ (2026-108) **(AC Recusal)**

B. Individual Complaint Adjudications with no Recusals:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Shawn G. Hopkins v. Warren County Board of Taxation (2019-103)2. Shawn G. Hopkins v. Warren County Board of Taxation (2020-118) |
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3. Brian F. McBride v. Camden County Prosecutor’s Office (2023-206)
4. David Weiner v. County of Essex (2024-19)
5. Mary Zayac v. NJ State Police (2024-22)
6. Kim M. Brantly v. Township of Willingboro (Burlington) (2024-41)
7. David Weiner v. County of Essex (2024-53)
8. Kevin Alexander v. Middlesex County Correction Center (2024-81)
9. Kevin Livermore v. West New York School District (Hudson) (2024-137)
10. Everett Falt v. Borough of Carteret (Middlesex) (2025-196)
11. Jamil Glenn v. Moorestown Township Public Schools (Burlington) (2025-411)
12. Jeffrey Brian Wills, Jr. v. Medford Police Department (Burlington) (2026-66)
13. Lori Gaines, Esq. (o/b/o Ted Stanziale, et al.) v. Parsippany-Troy Hills Township (Morris) (2026-213)

VIII. Court Decisions of GRC Complaints on Appeal:

IX. Complaints Adjudicated in NJ Superior Court & NJ Supreme Court:

X. Complaints Adjudicated in U.S. District Court:

XI. Public Comment:

The public comment period is limited to providing an opportunity for speakers to present suggestions, views and comments relevant to the Council's functions and responsibilities. In the interest of time, speakers shall be limited to **five (5) minutes** per the GRC's By-Laws. Speakers shall not be permitted to make oral or written testimony regarding pending or scheduled adjudications.*

XII. Adjournment

*Neither attorneys nor other representatives of the parties are required to attend this meeting nor will they be permitted to make oral or written comment during the adjudication.