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Dear Mr. Shumate:

You ask whether certain information is subject to required public disclosure under the Public Information Act (the "Act"), chapter 552 of the Government Code. Your request was assigned ID# 960581.

The City of Tatum (the "city"), which you represent, received a request for information pertaining to a specified incident involving a named individual. The city raises no exceptions to disclosure. We have considered your request for a ruling and reviewed the submitted information.

We note the submitted information was the subject of a previous ruling from this office, in response to which this office issued Open Records Letter No. 2022-10903A (2022). In that ruling, we determined the city must: (1) withhold the date of birth we marked under section 552.101 of the Government Code in conjunction with common-law privacy, (2) withhold the submitted video recording in its entirety and the motor vehicle record information we marked under section 552.130 of the Government Code, and (3) release the remaining information. We have no indication the law, facts, or circumstances on which the prior ruling was based have changed. Accordingly, the city must continue to rely on Open Records Letter No. 2022-10903A as a previous determination and withhold or release the submitted information in accordance with that ruling. *See* Open Records Decision No. 673 at 6-7 (2001) (discussing criteria for first type of previous determination).

This letter ruling is limited to the particular information at issue in this request and limited to the facts as presented to us; therefore, this ruling must not be relied upon as a previous determination regarding any other information or any other circumstances.

This ruling triggers important deadlines regarding the rights and responsibilities of the governmental body and of the requestor. For more information concerning those rights and responsibilities, please visit our website at <https://www.texasattorneygeneral.gov/open-government/members-public/what-expect-after-ruling-issued> or call the OAG's Open Government Hotline, toll free, at (877) 673-6839. Questions concerning the allowable charges for providing public information under the Public Information Act may be directed to the Cost Rules Administrator of the OAG, toll free, at (888) 672-6787.

Sincerely,

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Enc. Submitted documents

c: Requestor  
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