



To: Applicant c/o
Access and Privacy Officer
Corporate Information Management, ATIPP Office

From: Designated Access Officer, Community Services

Date: 2025-07-16

Re: ATIPP Request 25-168 Final Response – Granted in Part

Decision

The Department of Community Services has searched the Community Operations business unit and has documents relevant for Access Request 25-168. The final response on the information is as follows:

Access Granted in Part

The Department of Community Services has granted access in part to the information relating to the requested noted below:

Pursuant to the Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act, I am requesting access to the following information related to the Government of Yukon's Beverage Container Recycling (BCR) program:

1. Fund Balance and Revenue

The total amount of unclaimed beverage container deposits collected and held by the Government of Yukon or any designated BCR fund for the past five fiscal years (2019–2020 through 2023–2024).

The current balance in the BCR fund as of the most recent available date.

Annual revenues collected from unclaimed deposits during the same period.

2. Fund Use and Distribution

A breakdown of expenditures from the BCR fund for each of the five fiscal years, including but not limited to:

Payments issued as diversion credits

Payments issued as processing credits

Administrative or operational costs

Any transfers to general revenue or other programs

Any transfers used for non-refundable recycling

3. Recipient Details

A list of organizations or businesses that have received payments from the BCR fund during the period requested, including the amounts received and the purpose or category of each payment.

4. Program Oversight and Governance

Copies of any policies, guidelines, or internal directives outlining how BCR fund revenues and expenditures are managed, including criteria used to determine eligible payments or funding decisions.

Timeframe: April 1, 2020 - April 1, 2025.

The department has a 32 page response document

- There are parts of this document that were redacted to protect information under the ATIPP Act.
- These redactions were all under sections 67(3)(b) and Section 74(1)(a) of the ATIPP Act related to recommendations/advice on documents that are for cabinet budget deliberations.
- The information redacted was financial estimates prepared by YG staff for the Minister to review.

Final Cost

There is no cost for this request.

Contact Person in Department

Any questions regarding this response may be directed to Brian Currie, by phone at 867-471-2961 or by email at brian.currie@yukon.ca.

Right to Complain

The applicant has a right to file a complaint if not satisfied with the departments response. This complaint must go to The Office of the Information Privacy Commissioner's within 30 days of receiving this letter.

