



Department of Tourism and Culture July 11, 2024

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

Final Response ATIPP Access Request 24-180

The Department of Tourism and Culture has searched Corporate Services and has identified records responsive to Access Request 24-180 noted below:

Primarily I would like to obtain information organized by separate fiscal year and by department, on total expenditures in Whitehorse at hotel establishments and similar organizations. Specifically, any expenditure in Whitehorse that fits into 'Housing, Accommodation, Hotels" contract type, per the Yukon Contracts Registry, or "Professional Services - Others" in relation to accommodations, housing, or hotels, or "Relocation Services." If possible, please exclude contracts and expenditures which include conference room rentals and catering. Secondarily, I would like to have a specific break down for expenditures at the Sternwheeler Hotel, previously known as the Westmark Whitehorse, which was the current Vendor Name 'HL General Partner Inc." Timeframe: April 1, 2019 - April 1, 2024.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

PB: To clarify:

The request is to:

- 1. Provide total department expenditures identified in the Yukon Contracts Registry under 'Housing, Accommodation, Hotels" and "Professional Services Others" or "Relocation Services for Whitehorse by fiscal year for the requested period Timeframe: April 1, 2019 April 1, 2024.
- 2. Total expenditures for the Sternwheeler Hotel, previously known as the Westmark Whitehorse, which was the current Vendor Name 'HL General Partner Inc." for the identified timeframe: April 1, 2019 April 1, 2024. Is this request to be broken out annually as well? **APP:** That is correct.

Decision

The Head of the Department of Tourism and Culture has approved the following response to this request:

Access Granted in Full

Certain types of information have been withheld pursuant to the Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act. A summary of records reviewed and information withheld is enclosed.

Final Costs

There is no charge to the applicant.

Right to Complain

Pursuant to section 66 of the Access to Information and Protection of Privacy Act you may contact Yukon's Information and Privacy Commissioner with a complaint in respect to this response. Section 66 states:

An applicant may, in respect of the head of a responsive public body's response to their access request under section 64, make a complaint to the commissioner by filing the complaint in accordance with section 90.

Should you wish to do so, please refer your written complaint within 30 business days to the Information and Privacy Commissioner at:

Yukon Information and Privacy Commissioner 3162 Third Avenue, Main Floor, Whitehorse, Yukon Y1A 1G3

E-mail: intake@yukonombudsman.ca

Phone: (867) 667-8468; (toll free: 1-800-661-0408 ext. 8468)

Contact Person in Department

If the applicant has any questions, please contact the Designated Access Officer for Department of Tourism and Culture at tc.atipp@yukon.ca.