

Basic Public Records Exemptions

- Trade Secrets
- Information submitted in confidence
- Disclosure is confidential or privileged under Oregon law

OIPP Provide Additional Public Records Exemptions

- Project Information submitted under OIPP is exempt from disclosure until evaluation is complete and selection made
- Protection no longer extended for information shared with a local government, metropolitan planning organization or area commission on transportation as part of local consultation process
- OIPU intent to discuss the information to be provided with the Proposer(s)

OIPP Provides Additional Public Records Exemptions

- After general protection no longer extended, exemption from disclosure under a public records request is still available for sensitive business commercial or financial information
- Administrative Rules allow Proposer to specify information they believe are protected from a public records request
- Exemption extends until information is submitted to the OTC as part of approval of the project
- OIPU intent to discuss the information to be provided with the Proposer(s)

OIPP Process under a Public Records Request

- Request is Received
- Proposer is notified and given opportunity to demonstrate information that should be exempted
- OIPU will review information and notify Proposer of items to be protected
- If Proposer disagrees they may take action to protect their interests

OIPU Perspective: Proposal & “Partner” Business Information

- Appreciation of Proposers and “Partners” business perspectives
- Commitment to work with Proposers on information contained in Local Consultation and OTC submissions
- OIPP public records exemptions crafted in recognition of need to protect critical information and assure a fair process
- OIPU developing internal guidelines to keep information confidential among staff and consultants