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REQUEST FOR GOVERNMENT RECORDS

(N.J.S.A. 47:1A – 1, et seq.)

GOVERNMENT RECORDS REQUEST RESPONSE

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DATE: June 9, 2025

The Town of Westfield received your Open Public Records (OPRA) request on May 22, 2025, for which your request sought access to the following:

- All WPD patrol vehicle gps data, MVR, BWR and radio transmissions during the time of the pursuit on the date of 2/18. All prepared investigation, CAD report, supplemental and MV pursuit forms as required by the AG Guideline.

As you are aware, the Town of Westfield responded to your request via email on June 3, 2025, and advised you that additional time until June 12, 2025, was needed to fulfill your request. A final response to your request is as follows:

The following records are being provided in their entirety and are responsive to your request:

1. Westfield Police Department Supplemental Incident Report #25-07333A (2 pages)
2. NJOAG Vehicle Pursuit Form #25-07333 (2 pages)

The following records are being provided with redactions and are responsive to your request:

1. Westfield Police Department CAD Report #25-07333 (2 pages)
2. Westfield Police Department Incident Report #25-07333 (4 pages)
3. Westfield Police Department Audio/Video files #5-07333

Redactions to the above-listed records have been made pursuant to the following authorities:

- Pursuant to N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1.1 Exemption No. 20, personal identifying information [is exempt from disclosure under OPRA]. These redactions are noted as “PII” (personal identifying information) within the documents.
 - Exemption a: Social security numbers
 - Exemption f: Date of birth
 - Exemption h: Telephone numbers

Redactions have been made to the audio/video files in the form of a bleep or blur pursuant to the above listed authorities.

Please be advised Westfield Police Department Patrol Vehicle GPS data is being denied pursuant to N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1.1 Exemption No. 12, Security measures and surveillance, records that, if disclosed, would create a risk to the safety of persons, property, electronic data, or software are exempt.

This response is being provided to you via email as per your request.

If your request for access to a government record has been denied or unfilled within seven (7) business days required by law, you have a right to challenge the decision by the Town of Westfield to deny access. At your option, you may either institute a proceeding in the Superior Court of New Jersey or file a complaint with the Government Records Council (GRC) by completing the Denial of Access Complaint Form. You may contact the GRC by toll-free telephone at 866-850-0511, by mail at P.O. Box 819, Trenton, NJ 08625, by e-mail at grc@dca.state.nj.us, or at their web site at www.state.nj.us/grc. The GRC can also answer other questions about the law. All questions regarding complaints filed in Superior Court should be directed to the Court Clerk in your County.

Dated: June 9, 2025



Maureen Lawshe, RMC
Town Clerk