

OOOR RESPONSE TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION

DATE ISSUED AND MAILED: July 10, 2024

IN RE: *Henry Yordan v. Willistown Township*, OOR Dkt. AP 2024-1330

The Office of Open Records (“OOR”) is in receipt of correspondence challenging the Final Determination, issued May 23, 2024, and asking the OOR to reopen the docket. The OOR is treating this correspondence as a petition for reconsideration (“Petition”). **The Petition is denied because it is untimely.**

Petitions for reconsideration must be filed within fifteen (15) calendar days after the issuance of a final determination, per OOR’s Procedural Guidelines, Section VIII. A, and 1 Pa. Code § 35.241.¹ In this case, any petition for reconsideration was due by June 7, 2024. The Petition was filed and received by the OOR on July 8, 2024. Therefore, the OOR does not have jurisdiction to entertain the Petition because it is untimely. The matter is closed, and the OOR does not have jurisdiction to reopen the docket or take any further action with respect to the appeal.

Issued by:

/s/ Kyle Applegate

CHIEF COUNSEL

Sent via E-File Portal: Henry Yordan; Jennifer Jacobs

¹ The Petition for Reconsideration process is also summarized at <https://www.openrecords.pa.gov/Appeals/PostFD.cfm>.