

NEW JERSEY GOVERNMENT RECORDS COUNCIL

Administrative Complaint Disposition – Pending Action in Superior Court

Sarah Peters Complainant GRC Complaint No. 2014-415

v.

Phillipsburg Housing Authority (Warren) Custodial Agency

Custodian of Record: Joanne Tersigni

Request Received by Custodian: October 10, 2014 **GRC Complaint Received:** December 5, 2014

Complaint Disposition: The Complainant has affirmatively asserted on the Denial of Access Complaint form that she has also instituted an action in Superior Court regarding the denial of access at issue in the complaint also filed with the Council.

Applicable OPRA Provision: N.J.S.A. 47:1A-6 provides that "[a] person who is denied access to a government record by the custodian of the record, at the option of the requestor, may institute a proceeding to challenge the custodian's decision by filing an action in Superior Court...or in lieu of filing an action in Superior Court, file a complaint with the Government Records Council..."

This is the final administrative determination in this matter. Any further review should be pursued in the Appellate Division of the Superior Court of New Jersey within forty-five (45) days. Information about the appeals process can be obtained from the Appellate Division Clerk's Office, Hughes Justice Complex, 25 W. Market St. PO Box 006, Trenton, NJ 08625-0006.

Effective Date of Disposition: January 30, 2015

Prepared By: John E. Stewart, Esq.

Approved By: Dawn R. SanFilippo, Esq.

Deputy Executive Director

Date: January 20, 2015

Distribution Date: February 2, 2015