

Public records resources for citizens

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Here is a list of publicly available resources on Oregon's Public Records Law:

--Oregon Attorney General's Public Records and Meetings Manual: The most important directory for Oregon's law. The manual lays out the law and court decisions in easy-to-understand language. To order a copy, visit www.doj.state.or.us/pubs.htm or call 503-378-4400.

--Oregon Public Records Law: Search the state law at www.leg.state.or.us/ors/192.html.

--Open Oregon: The freedom of information organization includes journalists, academics, citizens activists and government officials. For help creating a request or background on the law, visit www.open-oregon.com.

--For more information about Freedom of Information issues around the United States, visit The Associated Press site: www.ap.org/foi.