#### **BOARD POLICY RESOLUTION No. 34 ("BP 34")**

## **RECORD RETENTION**

WHEREAS Article V, Section 6.3 of the Corporate Bylaws empowers the Board of Directors ("Board" or "Directors") of the Recreation Centers of Sun City, Inc. ("RCSC" or "Corporation") to adopt Policies ("BP" or "Policies") not in conflict with the Restated Articles of Incorporation ("Articles") or the Corporate Bylaws ("Bylaws").

WHEREAS the Articles and Bylaws shall take precedence over Board Policies and the definitions in the Bylaws shall apply. The following Board Policy shall provide instruction, direction and guidelines regarding Record Retention and shall remain in effect until such time it is amended or removed by the Board.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED the Corporation shall adhere to the following policy regarding Record Retention:

All documents originated by RCSC will have assigned retention times and shall be destroyed at the end of this time or as soon after as practically possible. Documents may be archived offsite in a secure facility, within sixty (60) miles of RCSC Corporate Offices. Draft documents and copies of original documents shall be destroyed at the end of their useful life, which shall be no longer than the retention schedule for the original document. All RCSC documents should have an origination date, which determines the beginning of the retention period. Any revision of a document must be noted and the retention period for the revised document will start at the revision date. These requirements apply to both paper and electronic records. Hard drive information may be deleted if either paper outputs are made or electronic storage media is used (i.e. DVD, CD, flash memory), archived, and kept for the required retention period.

Destruction of paper documents shall be completed either internally via RCSC shredding machines or externally via the utilization of a reputable, sensitive material processing facility. Destruction of electronic documents shall be by data deletion from hard disks and reformatting/destruction of removable disks. Before disposal of any computer hard disk that may contain RCSC records, it must be electronically erased by using Corporate approved software, or preferably, physically destroyed by a reputable sensitive material processing facility.

If non-RCSC parties and legal agents, such as Legal Counsel, financial institutions, auditors, etc., are holding RCSC documents requiring retention, the non-RCSC parties shall be made aware of this document retention policy.

The RCSC General Manager (GM), Assistant General Manager (AGM) and Director of Finance (DOF) shall have the responsibility to ensure that document management procedures are in place both at the on site and off site locations where retained documents are kept to assure that the policy's intent of efficient document retrieval and effective document destruction is followed.

The RCSC Controller, Information Technology Manager, Support & Service Administrator and Corporate Executive Coordinator are the primary persons responsible for implementing this policy and must conduct an annual audit of one or more categories of records as requested and issue a written report of compliance to the GM, AGM and DOF. An audit may be initiated at any time by the GM, AGM or DOF to determine compliance with this policy.

The audit should include, as a minimum, a review that the correct documents are being retained, revisions are correct, and the document management procedures for efficient retrieval are in place. Documents not in compliance shall be scheduled for destruction as soon as practically possible.

An original document shall be defined as any final record of RCSC created in either a paper or electronic form by an employee of RCSC, the RCSC Board of Directors, RCSC Member committees, or by a legal agent of RCSC such as legal counsel, financial institutions or auditors. Documents created by companies or individuals performing other contractual service for RCSC shall not be defined as originated by RCSC.

Correspondence received by RCSC but not originating within RCSC will not be considered to be documents of RCSC. Operating manuals, third party policies and procedures, warranties, and all other documents not meeting the definition of a RCSC original document may be disposed at the end of their useful life.

Time periods may be extended for select documents by RCSC Senior Management or Board of Directors when a lawsuit is anticipated or in progress, a subpoena has been served, the Corporation has been informed that an investigation is underway or as required.

This policy is intended to comply with the legal requirements of the state of Arizona and the United States Government.

The following Retention Schedule shall be used:

# **Type of Record**

# **Retention Period**

#### **CORPORATE**

Articles of Incorporation (including amendments)	PERMANENT
Audit Reports – Financial & 401(k)	PERMANENT
Board Meeting Agendas, Motions, Documents	7 YEARS
Board of Directors – Election Records	7 YEARS
Board of Directors – List Names Served	PERMANENT
Board Policy Resolutions (including amendments)	PERMANENT
Bylaws (including amendments)	PERMANENT
Cardholder Disciplinary Hearings/Action	7 YEARS
Committee Summaries	7 YEARS

Conflict Disclosures 7 YEARS after conflict has expired

Corporate Annual Reports PERMANENT

Corporate Document Requests 7 YEARS

Deeds, Property Parcel Records, Real Estate Purchases/Exchanges PERMANENT

Facilities Agreements, Versions of PERMANENT

Management Reports (when not part of minutes) 7 YEARS

Minutes – Board Meetings PERMANENT Minutes – Executive Sessions **PERMANENT** Minutes – Investment Commission 7 YEARS Minutes – Membership Meetings **PERMANENT PERMANENT** Motions (when not part of minutes) Project and Bid Commission Approval Records **PERMANENT Proxies** 7 YEARS Tax Returns – Income **PERMANENT PERMANENT** Tradenames and Trademarks (registered) Video Recording of Annual Membership Meeting 1 YEAR Video Recordings of Board of Director Meetings 90 DAYS Video Recordings of Presentations Posted on Website 1 YEAR **PERMANENT** Water Rights, Arizona Department of Water Resources

## **GENERAL**

Accident reports and claims 7 YEARS After Accident/Settlement

Construction Records (including Drawings, Plans, Easements and Permits)

PERMANENT

Contracts 7 YEARS After the Term

Fire Inspection and Safety Reports 7 YEARS

Incident Reports 7 YEARS

Insurance Claims 7 YEARS After Settlement

Insurance Documents and Policies 7 YEARS After the Term

Leases 7 YEARS After the Term

Newsletters and Other Marketing Material 7 YEARS

Other Agreements 7 YEARS After the Term

Standard Operating Procedures, Training Manuals - Current PERMANENT

# CARDHOLDER SERVICES

Certs - Golf 3 YEARS

Collection Files – Closed 3 YEARS

Facilities Agreement – Post Resale if not recorded PERMANENT

Facilities Agreement – Post Resale if recorded 1 YEAR

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Membership Records PERMANENT
Ownership Records PERMANENT
Resale Packets – Aged 2 years 3 YEARS
Transfer Files – Closed prior year 3 YEARS

## **HUMAN RESOURCES**

5500 7 YEARS Background Checks – Pre Employment 4 YEARS Post Separation **Benefit Election Forms** 4 YEARS Post Separation Benefits Records – Expired Plans 7 YEARS Correspondence – Department of Labor **PERMANENT** Correspondence – Internal Revenue Service **PERMANENT 4 YEARS Post Separation** Drug Test Records **EEO-1 Reports PERMANENT Employment Agreements** 7 YEARS Post Separation **FMLA Leave Records** 4 YEARS Post Separation Health and Benefits Beneficiary Forms **4 YEARS Post Separation** Health Care Continuation – COBRA 4 YEARS Post Separation Help Wanted Ads and Job Opening Notices 2 YEARS Hiring Records 4 YEARS Post Separation **HR** Policies Current + 3 YEARS 4 YEARS Post Date of Hire I9 Form New Hire Reports – State 3 YEARS 5 YEARS from Issue Date OSHA 300/300A Personnel Records – General – 401k Allocation, EAP, Conflict of Interest Statement, Disciplinary Records, Employment Application, Employee Development, Employee Change Action, Employee Review, Employee Policy 4 YEARS Post Separation Acknowledgements, Exit Interview, New Hire Action Form, Offer Letter, Resignation Letter, Termination Action Form

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**USERRA** Leave Records

Retirement Plan/401(k) Plan Information

Workers' Compensation Claim Detail

Safety Data – Occupational Injury and Illness Records

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**PERMANENT** 

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7 YEARS

# **FINANCE & ACCOUNTING**

1099	7 YEARS
Accounts Payable Records and Reports	7 YEARS
Accounts Receivable Records & Reports	7 YEARS
Asset Acquisition, Fixed Asset Records, Bills of Sale (invoices, cancelled checks, depreciation schedules)	PERMANENT
Bank Statements, Deposit Slips, Reconcilliations	7 YEARS
Budgets	7 YEARS
Cancelled Checks - Fixed Assets, Income Taxes	PERMANENT
Cancelled Checks - Payroll, payroll taxes, general	7 YEARS
Capital Reserve Study - Current	PERMANENT
Chart of Accounts	PERMANENT
Correspondence – Department of Labor	PERMANENT
Correspondence – Internal Revenue Service/Taxing Authorities	PERMANENT
Debt Related Documents	7 YEARS
Depreciation Schedules	PERMANENT
Electronic Payment Records	7 YEARS
Employee Expense Reports	7 YEARS
Financial Statements – Monthly	7 YEARS
Financial Statements – Year End	PERMANENT
Freight Bills and Bills of Lading	7 YEARS
General Ledger Detail	7 YEARS
Inventory Records	7 YEARS
Investment Account Statements and Confirmations	PERMANENT
Liquor Licenses, Layout of Facilities Licensed - Current	PERMANENT
Pay Records — Earnings Register, Paychecks/stubs, Forms W-4, Employee Withholding, Federal & State Payroll Tax Forms	7 YEARS
Payroll Journal	7 YEARS
Payroll Tax Returns includes Forms W-2	PERMANENT
Property and Equipment Records and Invoices	7 YEARS after disposal
Property Tax Records	7 YEARS
Purchase Records including Purchase Orders	7 YEARS

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Statistics	10 YEARS
Subsidiary Ledgers (accounts receivable, accounts payable, ed	quipment) 7 YEARS
Tax Documents Relating to Preparation of Tax Returns	7 YEARS
Tax Returns – Payroll	7 YEARS
Tax Returns – Sales & Use	PERMANENT
Time Cards/Time Sheets	4 YEARS
Trail Balance – Year End	PERMANENT
Utility Records	7 YEARS
Vendor Invoices	7 YEARS
LEGAL and INSURANCE	
Accident Reports and Claims	7 YEARS post Settlemen
Court Filings and Pleadings	7 YEARS
Insurance Policies - Current	PERMANENT
Insurance Policies - Expired	7 YEARS
Legal Opinions	PERMANENT
Legal Recommendations	7 YEARS
Litigation Records	PERMANENT
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resomembers and shall be made available to members upon a	<u> </u>
Adopted and signed this 25 <sup>th</sup> day of June, 2020 at a dul Recreation Centers of Sun City, Inc. Board of Directors.	y called Board meeting by a majority (5) of the
ATTEST:	
Dan Schroeder, Board President	Darla Akins, Secretary