

Summary of Changes

County Clerks Records Retention Schedule v.8.2 (July 2025)

New Records Series Added

- None

Retention Changes

- One (1) records series has changes to its retention period/cutoff:
 1. **Exhibits (General) (DAN CL65-01-22) p.9**

Decreased from “6 years after entry of final judgement and until court order authorizing return, transfer, or destruction of exhibit(s) has been signed and entered (Archival – Appraisal Required)” to “5 years after entry of final judgement and until court order authorizing return, transfer, or destruction of exhibit(s) has been signed and entered (Archival – Appraisal Required)”

Rationale: Minimum retention period reduced by recent legislative change to RCW 36.23.070 which took effect on July 27, 2025.

Other Minor Changes

- One (1) records series has changes to its title and/or description:
 1. **Exhibits (General) (DAN CL65-01-22) p.9**

Rationale: Updated retention rationale note to reflect recent legislative change to RCW 36.23.070 which took effect on July 27, 2025.

Essential Designation Changes

- None

Archival Designation Changes

- None

Series Being Revoked

- None

No Change in Number of Records Series: (30 series)