



# FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

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## Amended Notice of Special Meetings

The Freedom of Information Commission will hold in person special meetings during the week of June 26, 2023 through June 30, 2023 at the specific dates and times listed below. The purpose of each special meeting is to conduct a contested case hearing concerning the matters listed below. Real-time access to each meeting is available to the public by dialing the number and code noted below the case caption. At times, contested cases may be cancelled or postponed shortly before the scheduled time of the hearing. Members of the public may contact the Commission at (860)-566-5682 to check on hearing status.

Date	Time	Contested Case Docket #	CONTESTED CASE CAPTION
June 26, 2023	2:30 PM	FIC 2023-0095	Hilary Ram v. Town Council, Town of New Milford; and Town of New Milford  Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 500 300 586#
<b>NOTICE:</b> The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for June 26, 2023, at 2:30 PM, was cancelled. The complaint in this matter has been withdrawn.  <b>Docket #FIC 2023-0095; Hilary Ram v. Town Council, Town of New Milford; and Town of New Milford</b>			
June 27, 2023	9:30 AM	FIC 2022-0507	Gregory Weathers v. Roderick Porter, Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport  Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 418 653 367#
<b>NOTICE:</b> The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for June 27, 2023, at 9:30 AM, was postponed.  <b>Docket #FIC 2022-0507; Gregory Weathers v. Roderick Porter, Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport</b>			
	11:00 AM	FIC 2022-0600	John Feddern v. Chairman, Planning and Zoning Commission, City of Ansonia; Planning and Zoning Commission, City of Ansonia; and City of Ansonia  Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 942 925 547#
<b>NOTICE:</b> The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for June 27, 2023, at 11:00 AM, was cancelled. The complaint in this matter has been withdrawn.			

**Docket #FIC 2022-0600; John Feddern v. Chairman, Planning and Zoning Commission, City of Ansonia; Planning and Zoning Commission, City of Ansonia; and City of Ansonia**

**1:00 PM**

FIC 2023-0054

Maura Kjar v. Legal Director, State of Connecticut, Connecticut Technical Education and Career System; and State of Connecticut, Connecticut Technical Education and Career System

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075  
Conference Code: 756 707 732#

**NOTICE:** The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for June 27, 2023, at 1:00 PM, was postponed.

**Docket #FIC 2023-0054; Maura Kjar v. Legal Director, State of Connecticut, Connecticut Technical Education and Career System; and State of Connecticut, Connecticut Technical Education and Career System**

**June 28, 2023**

**9:30 AM**

FIC 2023-0084

Ira Alston v. Karl Jacobson, Chief, Police Department, City of New Haven; Police Department, City of New Haven; and City of New Haven

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075  
Conference Code: 582 003 97#

**NOTICE:** The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for June 28, 2023, at 9:30 AM, was postponed.

**Docket #FIC 2023-0084; Ira Alston v. Karl Jacobson, Chief, Police Department, City of New Haven; Police Department, City of New Haven; and City of New Haven**

**9:30 AM**

FIC 2022-0371

Lydia Scott v. Town Planner, Town of Cheshire; Chair, Inland Wetlands Commission, Town of Cheshire; Inland Wetlands Commission, Town of Cheshire; and Town of Cheshire

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075  
Conference Code: 269 724 419#

**NOTICE:** The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for June 28, 2023, at 9:30 AM, was cancelled. The complaint in this matter has been withdrawn.

**Docket #FIC 2022-0371; Lydia Scott v. Town Planner, Town of Cheshire; Chair, Inland Wetlands Commission, Town of Cheshire; Inland Wetlands Commission, Town of Cheshire; and Town of Cheshire**

**June 29, 2023**

**11:00 AM**

FIC 2023-0115

Thomas Banas v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Administrative Services; and State of Connecticut, Department of Administrative Services

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075  
Conference Code: 320 511 327#

**NOTICE:** The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for June 29, 2023, at 11:00 AM, was postponed.

**Docket #FIC 2023-0115; Thomas Banas v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Administrative Services; and State of Connecticut, Department of Administrative Services**

	<b>1:00 PM</b>	FIC 2023-0045	Joseph Watley v. First Selectman, Town of Thomaston; Land Use Administrator, Town of Thomaston; Assessor, Town of Thomaston; and Town of Thomaston  Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 674 304 147#
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An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on June 29, 2023, in the Freedom of Information Commission's Hearing Room, Conference Room H, located on the ground floor at 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.

**Docket #FIC 2023-0045; Joseph Watley v. First Selectman, Town of Thomaston; Land Use Administrator, Town of Thomaston; Assessor, Town of Thomaston; and Town of Thomaston**

Joseph Watley appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Steven Byrne appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded. [Part1](#) [Part2](#)

The hearing convened at 1:06 PM with Attorney Paula S. Pearlman presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 2:33 PM.

Dated: June 30, 2023

	<b>2:30 PM</b>	FIC 2022-0366	Evan Parzych v. Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport  Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 816 151 659#
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An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on June 29, 2023, in the Freedom of Information Commission's Hearing Room, Conference Room H, located on the ground floor at 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.

**Docket #FIC 2022-0366; Evan Parzych v. Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport**

Evan Parzych appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Michael Jankovski appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded. [Part1](#) [Part2](#) [Part3](#) [Part4](#)

The hearing convened at 2:46 PM with Attorney Barbara Housen presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 4:39 PM.

Dated: June 30, 2023

<b>June 30, 2023 WITHDRAWN</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>	FIC 2023-0113	Lawrence Riefberg v. Mayor, City of Danbury; Director of Finance, City of Danbury; and City of Danbury
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<b>June 30, 2023</b> <b>POSTPONED</b>	<b>11:00 AM</b>	FIC 2023-0110	Tom Curran, American News Camera v. Chief, Police Department, Town of Trumbull; Police Department, Town of Trumbull; and Town of Trumbull  Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 504 159 888#
	<b>1:00 PM</b>	FIC 2023-0116	Thomas Banas v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Administrative Services; and State of Connecticut, Department of Administrative Services  Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 982 319 321#

**Minutes:** An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on June 30, 2023, in the Freedom of Information Commission's Hearing Room, Conference Room H, located on the ground floor at 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.

**Docket #FIC 2023-0116; Thomas Banas v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Administrative Services; and State of Connecticut, Department of Administrative Services**

Thomas Banas appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Michael Barrera appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).

The hearing convened at 1:36 PM with Attorney Kevin W. Munn presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 2:52 PM.

Dated: June 30, 2023