



Connecticut Fatherhood Initiative (CFI) Council Meeting

**Department of Social Services Central Office
55 Farmington Avenue, Hartford
First Floor, Room 1008-1011**

Monday, June 29, 2026 ✱ 1:30 - 3:30pm

Welcome/Opening Remarks

Commissioner Andrea Barton Reeves, Department of Social Services

Connecticut's Landmark Fatherhood Interagency MOU: Celebrating 20 Years

Anthony Judkins, Department of Social Services

Commissioner Nancy Navarretta, Department of Mental Health & Addiction Services

Deputy Commissioner Tina Jefferson, Department of Children and Families

Paul Bourdoulous, Director, Judicial Branch Support Enforcement Services

Presentation of Plaques for MOU Partner Agencies & Group Photo

Anthony Judkins

CFI Council Members' Reflections:

Our Collaborative Approach to Supporting Fathers, Children and Families

Doug Edwards, Director, Real Dads Forever

Meghan Scanlon, Executive Director, CT Coalition Against Domestic Violence

Michael Bartley, JFES Unit Director, Department of Labor

Melvette Hill, Executive Director, Commission on Women, Children, Seniors, Equity & Opportunity

Impact of Fatherhood Program Participation: Testimonials from Dads

CFI Dear Dad Tour: Revamped Logo, Website & Recap of the First 2026 Tour Stop

Frank Borres, American View Productions

Closing Remarks

Anthony Judkins

Networking, Refreshments, Photos