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Robert Cushman
Complainant(s)
against

Notice of Meeting

Docket #FIC 2016-0696

Chief, Police Department, City of Hartford; Police
Department, City of Hartford; and City of Hartford
Respondent(s)

August 18, 2017

Transmittal of Proposed Final Decision

In accordance with Section 4-179 of the Connecticut General Statutes, the Freedom of Information Commission hereby transmits to you the proposed finding and decision prepared by the hearing officer in the above-captioned matter.

This will notify you that the Commission will consider this matter for disposition at its meeting which will be held in the Freedom of Information Commission Hearing Room, 18-20 Trinity Street, 1st floor, Hartford, Connecticut, at **2:00 p.m. on Wednesday, September 13, 2017**. At that time and place you will be allowed to offer oral argument concerning this proposed finding and order. Oral argument shall be limited to ten (10) minutes. For good cause shown, however, the Commission may increase the period of time for argument. A request for additional time must be made in writing and should be filed with the Commission **ON OR BEFORE August 30, 2017**. Such request **MUST BE (1) copied to all parties, or if the parties are represented, to such representatives, and (2) include a notation indicating such notice to all parties or their representatives.**

Although a brief or memorandum of law is not required, if you decide to submit such a document, an **original and fourteen (14) copies** must be filed **ON OR BEFORE August 30, 2017**. **PLEASE NOTE: Any correspondence, brief or memorandum directed to the Commissioners by any party or representative of any party MUST BE (1) copied to all parties, or if the parties are represented, to such representatives, (2) include a notation indicating such notice to all parties or their representatives and (3) be limited to argument. NO NEW EVIDENCE MAY BE SUBMITTED.**

If you have already filed a brief or memorandum with the hearing officer and wish to have that document distributed to each member of the Commission, it is requested that **fifteen (15) copies** be filed **ON OR BEFORE August 30, 2017** and that **notice be given to all parties or if the parties are represented, to their representatives, that such previously filed document is being submitted to the Commissioners for review.**

By Order of the Freedom of
Information Commission

Wendy R.B. Paradis
Acting Clerk of the Commission

Notice to: Robert Cushman
Attorney Cynthia Lauture

FIC# 2016-0696/ITRA/TCB/LFS/WRBP/2017-08-18

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In The Matter of a Complaint by

Report of Hearing Officer

Robert Cushman,

Complainant

against

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Chief, Police Department, City of
Hartford; Police Department, City
of Hartford; and City of Hartford,

Respondents

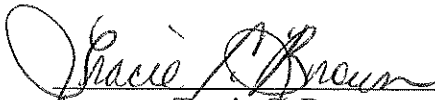
August 17, 2017

The above-captioned matter was heard as a contested case on December 19, 2016, January 12, 2017 and August 17, 2017, at which times the complainant and the respondents appeared, stipulated to certain facts and presented testimony, exhibits and argument on the complaint.

At the August 17, 2017 hearing on this matter, the parties reached a settlement of the case. The complainant stated, at that hearing, that he was withdrawing the complaint based on the respondents' representation that he will be provided with a copy of 5 minutes of video footage at any sobriety check point from the video camera identified as video camera 8 by August 28, 2017.

The following order by the Commission is hereby recommended on the basis of the record concerning the above-captioned complaint:

1. Based on the complainant's withdrawal of the complaint at the August 17, 2017 hearing, the complaint is hereby dismissed.



Attorney Tracie C. Brown
as Hearing Officer