



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

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Notice of Special Meetings

The Freedom of Information Commission will hold special meetings during the week of July 11, 2022, through July 15, 2022, at the specific dates and times listed below. Due to public health concerns surrounding the COVID-19 pandemic, each special meeting will be held solely through the use of electronic equipment (remotely). 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. For further information concerning these hearings, please contact the Commission's administrative office at (860) 566-5682.

Date	Time	Contested Case Docket #	CONTESTED CASE CAPTION
July 11, 2022 POSTPONED	11:30 AM	FIC 2021-0311	Keith Ainsworth v. Chairman, State of Connecticut, Connecticut Siting Council; and State of Connecticut, Siting Council Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 771 564 452#
	2:00 PM	FIC 2021-0631	Kristin Norton v. Town Manager, Town of South Windsor; Office of the Town Manager, Town of South Windsor; and Town of South Windsor Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 243 009 685#
<p>Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on July 11, 2022, in the Freedom of Information Hearing Room, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut. <i>Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the state's response to it, the hearing was conducted via video conference.</i></p> <p>Docket #FIC 2021-0631; Kristin Norton v. Town Manager, Town of South Windsor; Office of the Town Manager, Town of South Windsor; and Town of South Windsor</p> <p>Attorney Edward C. Taiman, Jr. appeared on behalf of the complainant. Attorney Richard Carella appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here Part 1.</p> <p>The hearing convened at 2:01 PM with Attorney Valicia D. Harmon presiding.</p> <p>The hearing adjourned at 3:00 PM.</p> <p>Dated: July 12, 2022</p>			
July 12, 2022	9:30 AM	FIC 2022-0052	Albert Farah v. Angel Quiros, Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075
 Conference Code: 667 876 887#

Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on July 12, 2022, in the Freedom of Information Hearing Room, 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut. *Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and the state's response to it, the hearing was conducted remotely.*

Docket #FIC 2022-0052; Albert Farah v. Angel Quiros, Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction

Albert Farah appeared via speakerphone on his own behalf. Tracie C. Brown, Esq. appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part 1](#).[Part 2](#)

The hearing convened at 9:39 AM with Attorney Danielle L. McGee presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 10:54 AM.

Dated: July 12, 2022

WITHDRAWN	11:30 AM	FIC 2021-0115	Christine Davis, and Advanced Investigations LLC v. Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 851 766 335#
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July 12, 2022 WITHDRAWN	1:00 PM	FIC 2021-0297	Curtis Dowling v. President, Volunteer Fire Department Inc., Town of Andover; and Volunteer Fire Department, Town of Andover Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 478 682 503#
POSTPONED	2:00 PM	FIC 2021-0300	Kristy Porter v. Board of Education, East Haven Public Schools; and East Haven Public Schools Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 609 000 750#
July 13, 2022 WITHDRAWN	9:30 AM	FIC 2021-0316	Jesse Buchanan, And Record Journal v. Town Council, Town of Southington; and Town of Southington Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 221 734 051#
	9:30 AM	FIC 2021-0475	Russell Peeler v. Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport

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Docket #FIC 2021-0475; Russell Peeler v. Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport

Russell Peeler appeared via speakerphone on his own behalf. Attorney Michael Jankovsky appeared on behalf of the respondents. Attorney Dina A. Scalo appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken.

The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).

The hearing convened at 9:57 AM with Attorney C. Zack Hyde presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 10:39 AM.

Dated: July 14, 2022

July 14, 2022	9:30 AM	FIC 2020-0594	Luis Diaz v. Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 956 103 4#
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Docket #FIC 2020-0594; Luis Diaz v. Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport

Luis Diaz appeared via speakerphone on his own behalf. Dina A. Scalo, Esq. appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).

The hearing convened at 9:35 AM with Attorney Paula S. Pearlman presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 9:36 AM.

Dated: July 14, 2022

	11:30 AM	FIC 2021-0600	Shem Brijbilas v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 654 851 46#
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Docket #FIC 2021-0600; Shem Brijbilas v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction

Shem Brijbilas did not appear. Attorney Jennifer Lepore appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).

The hearing convened at 11:45 AM with Attorney Kathleen K. Ross presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 11:46 AM.

Dated: July 14, 2022

	1:00 PM	FIC 2021-0618	Christopher Aidone v. Chair, TEAM Westport, Town of Westport; TEAM Westport, Town of Westport; Board of Education, Westport Public Schools; and Westport Public Schools Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 745 592 643#
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Docket #FIC 2021-0618; Christopher Aidone v. Chair, TEAM Westport, Town of Westport; TEAM Westport, Town of Westport; Board of Education, Westport Public Schools; and Westport Public Schools

Christopher Aidone appeared on his own behalf. Sarah Gleason, Esq. appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#). [Part2](#)

The hearing convened at 1:03 PM with Attorney Barbara Housen presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 2:25 PM.

Dated: July 14, 2022

July 14, 2022 WITHDRAWN	2:00 PM	FIC 2022-0114	Jacques Parenteau v. First Selectman, Town of Griswold; and Town of Griswold Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 829 102 015#
July 15, 2022 WITHDRAWN	1:00 PM	FIC 2021-0113	Christine Davis, and Advanced Investigations LLC v. Chief, Police Department, Town of Old Saybrook; Police Department, Town of Old Saybrook; and Town of Old Saybrook Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 269 180 094#