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Notice of Special Meetings

The Freedom of Information Commission will hold special meetings during the week of July 18, 2022, through July 22, 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 18, 2022	11:30 AM	FIC 2022-0129	Jim Haddadin, and the Connecticut Public v. Mayor, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 104 905 206#
<p>Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on July 18, 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 2022-0129; Jim Haddadin, and the Connecticut Public v. Mayor, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport</p> <p>Jim Haddadin appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Dina A. Scalo 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 11:30 AM with Attorney Valicia D. Harmon presiding.</p> <p>The hearing adjourned at 12:57 PM.</p> <p>Dated: July 18, 2022</p>			
	2:00 PM	FIC 2022-0035	Robert Cushman v. Jason Thody, Chief, Police Department, City of Hartford; Police Department, City of Hartford; and City of Hartford Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 793 611 115#
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Docket #FIC 2022-0035; Robert Cushman v. Jason Thody, Chief, Police Department, City of Hartford; Police Department, City of Hartford; and City of Hartford

Robert Cushman appeared on his own behalf. Nathalie Feola-Guerrieri, Esq. appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken.

The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part 1](#). [Part 2](#). [Part 3](#). [Part 4](#). [Part 5](#)

The hearing convened at 2:05 PM with Attorney Jennifer Miller presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 3:37 PM.

Dated: July 18, 2022

July 19, 2022	9:30 AM	FIC 2021-0689	Joseph Sargent v. Members, Parks and Recreation Commission, Town of Fairfield; and Parks and Recreation Commission, Town of Fairfield Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 682 571 357#
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Docket #FIC 2021-0689; Joseph Sargent v. Members, Parks and Recreation Commission, Town of Fairfield; and Parks and Recreation Commission, Town of Fairfield

Joseph Sargent appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Catherine L. Creager appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part 1](#).

The hearing convened at 9:30 AM with Attorney Valicia D. Harmon presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 9:35 AM.

Dated: July 19, 2022

POSTPONED	11:30 AM	FIC 2022-0069	Michael Iezzi v. John Sullivan, Chief, Police Department, Town of Hamden; Police Department, Town of Hamden; and Town of Hamden Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 705 110 399#
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July 20, 2022	9:30 AM	FIC 2022-0037	Patricia Cofrancesco v. Finance Director, Town of East Haven; Assistant Director of Administration and Management, Town of East Haven; and Purchasing Agent, Town of East Haven Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 536 997 228#
<p>Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on July 20, 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 2022-0037; Patricia Cofrancesco v. Finance Director, Town of East Haven; Assistant Director of Administration and Management, Town of East Haven; and Purchasing Agent, Town of East Haven</p> <p>Attorney Patricia Cofrancesco appeared on her own behalf. Attorney Michael Luzzi 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 9:33 AM with Attorney C. Zack Hyde presiding.</p> <p>The hearing adjourned at 9:41 AM.</p> <p>Dated: July 20, 2022</p>			
POSTPONED	1:00 PM	FIC 2021-0221	Kevin Curseaden v. Treasurer, Bay View Improvement Association; and Bay View Improvement Association Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 980 518 912#
WITHDRAWN	2:00 PM	FIC 2022-0134	Eric Brown v. Director, Human Resources and Labor Relations, City of Hartford; and Human Resources and Labor Relations, City of Hartford Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 443 664 150#
July 21, 2022 POSTPONED	9:30 AM	FIC 2021-0694	John Kaminski v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Public Health; and State of Connecticut, Department of Public Health Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 565 211 2#
	9:30 AM	FIC 2021-0273	David Traichel v. Environmental and Natural Resources Planner, Town of Wallingford; and Town of Wallingford

			Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 560 650 524#
<p>Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on July 21, 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 2021-0273; David Traichel v. Environmental and Natural Resources Planner, Town of Wallingford; and Town of Wallingford</p> <p>David Traichel appeared on his own behalf. Janis Small, Esq. appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here Part 1.Part 2</p> <p>The hearing convened at 9:35 AM with Attorney Paula S. Pearlman presiding.</p> <p>The hearing adjourned at 9:49 AM.</p> <p>Dated: July 21, 2022</p>			
	11:30 AM	FIC 2021-0554	Gregg & Jenn Haythorn v. Chairman, Board of Education, Town of Weston; and Board of Education, Town of Weston Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 810 602 971#
<p>Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on July 21, 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 2021-0554; Gregg & Jenn Haythorn v. Chairman, Board of Education, Town of Weston; and Board of Education, Town of Weston</p> <p>Gregg and Jenn Haythorn appeared on their own behalf. Jessica Richman Smith, Esq. appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here Part 1.Part 2</p> <p>The hearing convened at 11:37 AM with Attorney Barbara Housen presiding.</p> <p>The hearing adjourned at 12:43 PM.</p> <p>Dated: July 21, 2022</p>			

July 21, 2022 Continued	1:00 PM	FIC 2021-0122	Gregg and Jenn Haythorn v. First Selectperson, Town of Weston; and Town Administrator, Town of Weston Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 274 376 799#
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POSTPONED	2:00 PM	FIC 2022-0130	M. L. Nestel v. Chief, Police Department, Town of Fairfield; Police Department, Town of Fairfield; and Town of Fairfield Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 576 852 554#
July 22, 2022 POSTPONED	11:30 AM	FIC 2022-0056	Robert Schacht, And Millers Pond Company, LLC v. Barry Weiner, Chairman, Water and Water Pollution Control Authority, City of New London; Marianna McGuirk, Executive Assistant, Water and Water Pollution Control Authority, City of New London; and Water and Water Pollution Control Authority, City of New London Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 251 756 372#
WITHDRAWN	2:00 PM	FIC 2021-0116	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: 529 966 692#