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Notice of Special Meetings

The Freedom of Information Commission will hold in person special meetings during the week of April 1, 2024 to April 5, 2024 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
April 1, 2024 WITHDRAWN	1:00 PM	FIC 2023-0534	Tom Curran v. First Selectwoman, Town of Fairfield; Chief, Police Department, Town of Fairfield; Police Department, Town of Fairfield; and Town of Fairfield Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 116 989 379#
	2:30 PM	FIC 2023-0497	Joao Campos v. Keith White, Chief, Police Department, Town of Monroe; Police Department, Town of Monroe; and Town of Monroe Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 624 224 204#

Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on April 1, 2024, 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 2023-0497; Joao Campos v. Keith White, Chief, Police Department, Town of Monroe; Police Department, Town of Monroe; and Town of Monroe

Joao Campos appeared on his own behalf. Attorney David A. Ryan, Jr. appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).

The hearing convened at 2:41 PM with Attorney Nicholas A. Smarra presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 3:30 PM.

Dated: April 11, 2024

April 2, 2024	9:30 AM	FIC 2023-0324	Kenneth McCoy v. Karl Jacobson, Chief, Police Department, City of New Haven;
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			Police Department, City of New Haven; and City of New Haven
			Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 612 960 623#

Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on April 2, 2024, 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 2023-0324; Kenneth McCoy v. Karl Jacobson, Chief, Police Department, City of New Haven; Police Department, City of New Haven; and City of New Haven

Kenneth McCoy appeared via speakerphone on his own behalf. Attorney Catherine E. LaMarr 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 Nicholas A. Smarra presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 10:08 AM.

Dated: April 11, 2024

April 2, 2024 POSTPONED	11:00 AM	FIC 2023-0271	Century Hills Property Owner, LLC v. Director, Human Resources Department, Town of Rocky Hill; Human Resource Department, Town of Rocky Hill; Town Manager, Office of the Town Manager, Town of Rocky Hill; Office of the Town Manager, Town of Rocky Hill; Director, Human, Youth and Senior Services Department, Town of Rocky Hill; Human, Youth and Senior Services Department, Town of Rocky Hill; and Town of Rocky Hill Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 405 680 745#
	1:00 PM	FIC 2023-0466	Alan Tuchmann v. Administrator, Land Use Department, City of Ansonia; Land Use Department, City of Ansonia; Director, Economic Development Department, City of Ansonia; Economic Development Department, City of Ansonia; and City of Ansonia Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 809 515 024#

Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on April 2, 2024, 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 2023-0466; Alan Tuchmann v. Administrator, Land Use Department, City of Ansonia; Land Use Department, City of Ansonia; Director, Economic Development Department, City of Ansonia; Economic Development Department, City of Ansonia; and City of Ansonia

Alan Tuchmann appeared on his own behalf. Attorney John Marini appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).

The hearing convened at 1:01 PM with Attorney Nicholas A. Smarra presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 1:57 PM.

Dated: April 11, 2024

	2:30 PM	FIC 2023-0336	Peter Currin v. Chief Clerk, State of Connecticut, Judicial Branch, New Britain Superior Court; and Judicial Branch, New Britain Superior Court Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 624 214 747#
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Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on April 2, 2024, 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 2023-0336; Peter Currin v. Chief Clerk, State of Connecticut, Judicial Branch, New Britain Superior Court; and Judicial Branch, New Britain Superior Court

Peter Currin appeared on his own behalf. James T. O'Connor, Esq. appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).

The hearing convened at 2:44 PM with Attorney Danielle L. McGee presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 3:55 PM.

Dated: April 11, 2024

April 3, 2024	9:30 AM	FIC 2023-0499	Tim Reilly v. Chief, Police Department, Town of Willimantic; Police Department, Town of Willimantic; and Town of Willimantic Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 558 382 948#
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Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on April 3, 2024, 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 2023-0499; Tim Reilly v. Chief, Willimantic Police Department, Town of Windham; Willimantic Police Department, Town of Windham; and Town of Windham

Tim Reilly did not appear. Attorney Kristi D. Kelly appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).

The hearing convened at 9:47 AM with Attorney Mary-Kate Smith presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 9:53 AM.

Dated: April 11, 2024

	1:00 PM	FIC 2023-0474	Matthew Waggener v. Director, Human Resources Department, Town of Fairfield; Human Resources Department, Town of Fairfield; and Town of Fairfield Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 422 579 60#
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Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on April 3, 2024, 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 2023-0474; Matthew Waggener v. Director, Human Resources Department, Town of Fairfield; Human Resources Department, Town of Fairfield; and Town of Fairfield

Matthew Waggner appeared on his own behalf. Attorney James T. Baldwin appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).[Part2](#)

The hearing convened at 1:07 PM with Attorney Valicia D. Harmon presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 2:07 PM.

Dated: April 11, 2024

April 3, 2024 POSTPONED	2:30 PM	FIC 2023-0403	Kristen McDowell v. Superintendent of Schools, New Haven Public Schools; and New Haven Public Schools Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 860 777 498#
April 4, 2024 WITHDRAWN	11:00 AM	FIC 2023-0577	Tom Curran v. First Selectman, Office of First Selectmen, Town of Fairfield; Office of First Selectmen, Town of Fairfield; Director, Human Resources Department, Town of Fairfield; Human Resources Department, Town of Fairfield; and Town of Fairfield Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 307 372 442#
	1:00 PM	FIC 2023-0505	Colleen Shaddox v. Director, State of Connecticut, Department of Economic and Community Development; and State of Connecticut, Department of Economic and Community Development Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 970 425 42#

Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on April 4, 2024, 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 2023-0505; Colleen Shaddox v. Director, State of Connecticut, Department of Economic and Community Development; and State of Connecticut, Department of Economic and Community Development

Colleen Shaddox appeared on her own behalf. Diaghilev Lubin-Farnell, Esq. appeared on behalf of the respondents. Andrew A. DePeau, Esq. appeared on behalf of the intervenor. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).

The hearing convened at 1:00 PM with Attorney Mary-Kate Smith presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 2:15 PM.

Dated: April 11, 2024

	2:30 PM	FIC 2023-0533	Dave Howey v. Executive Director, Vernon Housing Authority; and Vernon Housing Authority Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 196 971 177#
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Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on April 4, 2024, 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 2023-0533; Dave Howey v. Executive Director, Vernon Housing Authority; and Vernon Housing Authority

Dave Howey appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Michael Wrona appeared on behalf of the respondents. Attorney John Smith appeared on behalf of the intervenor. Attorney Thomas Freeman appeared on behalf of the intervenor. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).[Part2](#)

The hearing convened at 2:37 PM with Attorney C. Zack Hyde presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 3:40 PM.

Dated: April 11, 2024

April 5, 2024	11:00 AM	FIC 2023-0540	Pasquale Salemi v. Chief Executive Officer, Metropolitan District Commission; and Metropolitan District Commission Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 535 843 214#
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Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on April 5, 2024, 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 2023-0540; Pasquale Salemi v. Chief Executive Officer, Metropolitan District Commission; and Metropolitan District Commission

Attorney James Sullivan appeared on behalf of the complainant. Attorney Maura Mastrony appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).[Part1](#)

The hearing convened at 11:03 AM with Attorney Kevin W. Munn presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 1:03 PM.

Dated: April 11, 2024

	1:00 PM	FIC 2023-0291	Luz E Bueno v. Chair, Advisory Committee on Sustainability, Town of Darien; Advisory Committee on Sustainability, Town of Darien; and Town of Darien Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 246 977 391#
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Minutes: An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on April 5, 2024, 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 2023-0291; Luz E Bueno v. Chair, Advisory Committee on Sustainability, Town of Darien; Advisory Committee on Sustainability, Town of Darien; and Town of Darien

Luz Bueno appeared on her own behalf. Attorney John Wayne Fox appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here [Part1](#).

The hearing convened at 1:09 PM with Attorney C. Zack Hyde presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 1:52 PM.

Dated: April 11, 2024