



# FREEDOM OF INFORMATION

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## Notice of Special Meetings

The Freedom of Information Commission will hold in person special meetings during the week of October 27, 2025 through October 31, 2025 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
October 27, 2025	9:30 AM	FIC 2025-0348	Michael Dubreuil and Citizens for Colchester v. Daniel P. Sullivan III, Superintendent of Schools, Colchester Public Schools; Colchester Public Schools; and Colchester Board of Education  Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 648 266 477#
<p>An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on October 27, 2025, in the Freedom of Information Commission's Hearing Room, Conference Room H, located on the ground floor at 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.</p> <p><b>Docket #FIC 2025-0348; Michael Dubreuil and Citizens for Colchester v. Daniel P. Sullivan III, Superintendent of Schools, Colchester Public Schools; Colchester Public Schools; and Colchester Board of Education</b></p> <p>Michael Dubreuil appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Rebecca Santiago appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <a href="#">Audio</a></p> <p>The hearing convened at 9:33 AM with Attorney Jonathan M. McCann presiding. The hearing adjourned at 10:57 AM.</p> <p>Dated: October 29, 2025</p>			
	11:00 AM	FIC 2025-0291	Connecticut Light and Power Co., Yankee Gas Services Co., Aquarion Water Co. of CT, and UIL Holdings Corp. v. Marissa Paslick Gillet, Chairman, State of Connecticut, Public Utilities Regulatory Authority; and State of Connecticut, Public Utilities Regulatory Authority  Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075

Conference Code: 898 986 33#

**NOTICE:** The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for October 27, 2025, at 11:00 AM, was postponed.

**Docket #FIC 2025-0291; Connecticut Light and Power Co., Yankee Gas Services Co., Aquarion Water Co. of CT, and UIL Holdings Corp. v. Marissa Paslick Gillet, Chairman, State of Connecticut, Public Utilities Regulatory Authority; and State of Connecticut, Public Utilities Regulatory Authority**

**1:00 PM**

FIC 2025-0332

Nancy Griswold v. Thomas J. Mueller, Chairman, Water Pollution Control Authority, Town of Thomaston; Water Pollution Control Authority, Town of Thomaston; and Town of Thomaston

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075

Conference Code: 271 061 983#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on October 27, 2025, 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 2025-0332; Nancy Griswold v. Thomas J. Mueller, Chairman, Water Pollution Control Authority, Town of Thomaston; Water Pollution Control Authority, Town of Thomaston; and Town of Thomaston**

Nancy Griswold appeared on her own behalf. Attorney Nicole Byrne and Attorney Steven Byrne appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio](#)

The hearing convened at 1:02 PM with Attorney Paul V. Arce presiding.  
The hearing adjourned at 1:46 PM.

Dated: October 29, 2025

**October 28, 2025**

**9:30 AM**

FIC 2025-0300

Elizardo Montanez v. Roderick Porter, Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075

Conference Code: 445 070 969#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on October 28, 2025, 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 2025-0300; Elizardo Montanez v. Roderick Porter, Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport**

Elizardo Montanez appeared via speakerphone on his own behalf. Attorney Karen L. Miller appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio](#)

The hearing convened at 9:54 AM with Attorney Paul V. Arce presiding.  
The hearing adjourned at 10:17 AM.

Dated: October 29, 2025

	<b>1:00 PM</b>	FIC 2025-0296	<p>Andrew Schilkowski v. Corporation Counsel, Office of the Corporation Counsel, City of Waterbury; Office of the Corporation Counsel, City of Waterbury; and City of Waterbury</p> <p>Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 587 874 088#</p>
<p>An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on October 28, 2025, in the Freedom of Information Commission's Hearing Room, Conference Room H, located on the ground floor at 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.</p> <p><b>Docket #FIC 2025-0296; Andrew Schilkowski v. Corporation Counsel, Office of the Corporation Counsel, City of Waterbury; Office of the Corporation Counsel, City of Waterbury; and City of Waterbury</b></p> <p>Andrew Schilkowski appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Kevin J. Daly appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <a href="#">Audio1</a> <a href="#">Audio2</a></p> <p>The hearing convened at 1:02 PM with Attorney C. Zack Hyde presiding. The hearing adjourned at 2:31 PM.</p> <p>Dated: October 29, 2025</p>			
	<b>2:30 PM</b>	FIC 2024-0709	<p>Nancy Griswold v. Stacey Sefcik, Zoning Enforcement Officer and Land Use Administrator, Building and Land Use Department, Town of Thomaston; Building and Land Use Department, Town of Thomaston; and Town of Thomaston</p> <p>Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 895 592 039#</p>
<p>An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on October 28, 2025, in the Freedom of Information Commission's Hearing Room, Conference Room H, located on the ground floor at 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.</p> <p><b>Docket #FIC 2024-0709; Nancy Griswold v. Stacey Sefcik, Zoning Enforcement Officer and Land Use Administrator, Building and Land Use Department, Town of Thomaston; Building and Land Use Department, Town of Thomaston; and Town of Thomaston</b></p> <p>Nancy Griswold appeared on her own behalf. Attorney Steven Byrne appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <a href="#">Audio1</a> <a href="#">Audio2</a></p> <p>The hearing convened at 2:36 PM with Attorney Marybeth G. Sullivan presiding. The hearing adjourned at 3:35 PM.</p> <p>Dated: October 31, 2025</p>			
<b>October 29, 2025</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>	FIC 2025-0370	<p>Jeff Rieck v. Executive Director, Housing Authority of the City of Danbury; and Housing Authority of the City of Danbury</p>

			Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 917 417 781#
<p>An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on October 29, 2025, in the Freedom of Information Commission's Hearing Room, Conference Room H, located on the ground floor at 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.</p> <p><b>Docket #FIC 2025-0370; Jeff Rieck v. Executive Director, Housing Authority of the City of Danbury; and Housing Authority of the City of Danbury</b></p> <p>Jeff Rieck appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Joseph Mortelliti appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <a href="#">Audio1</a> <a href="#">Audio2</a></p> <p>The hearing convened at 9:34 AM with Attorney C. Zack Hyde presiding. The hearing adjourned at 11:41 AM.</p> <p>Dated: October 31, 2025</p>			
	<b>11:00 AM</b>	FIC 2025-0317	<p>Briana J. Brumaghim v. Chairman, Zoning Board of Appeals, Town of Plymouth; Zoning Board of Appeals, Town of Plymouth; and Town of Plymouth</p> <p>Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 299 483 711#</p>
<p><b>NOTICE:</b> The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for October 29, 2025, at 11:00 AM, was postponed.</p> <p><b>Docket #FIC 2025-0317; Briana J. Brumaghim v. Chairman, Zoning Board of Appeals, Town of Plymouth; Zoning Board of Appeals, Town of Plymouth; and Town of Plymouth</b></p>			
	<b>1:00 PM</b>	FIC 2024-0840	<p>Kimberly Ciprian v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Revenue Services; and State of Connecticut, Department of Revenue Services</p> <p>Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 373 254 914#</p>
<p>An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on October 29, 2025, in the Freedom of Information Commission's Hearing Room, Conference Room H, located on the ground floor at 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.</p> <p><b>Docket #FIC 2024-0840; Kimberly Ciprian v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Revenue Services; and State of Connecticut, Department of Revenue Services</b></p> <p>Kimberly Ciprian appeared on her own behalf. Attorney Louis P. Bucari appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <a href="#">Audio</a></p> <p>The hearing convened at 1:00 PM with Attorney Valicia D. Harmon presiding. The hearing adjourned at 1:28 PM.</p> <p>Dated: October 31, 2025</p>			

	<b>2:30 PM</b>	FIC 2025-0139	<p>Rose Kallor, LLP v. Executive Director, Housing Authority of the City of Meriden; and Housing Authority of the City of Meriden</p> <p>Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 947 266 624#</p>
<p><b>NOTICE:</b> The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for October 29, 2025, at 2:30 PM, was cancelled. The complaint in this matter has been withdrawn.</p> <p><b>Docket #FIC 2025-0139; Rose Kallor, LLP v. Executive Director, Housing Authority of the City of Meriden; and Housing Authority of the City of Meriden</b></p>			
<b>October 30, 2025</b>	<b>9:30 AM</b>	FIC 2024-0810	<p>Jarrel Baker v. Roderick Porter, Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport</p> <p>Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 205 890 479#</p>
<p>An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on October 30, 2025, in the Freedom of Information Commission's Hearing Room, Conference Room H, located on the ground floor at 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.</p> <p><b>Docket #FIC 2024-0810; Jarrel Baker v. Roderick Porter, Chief, Police Department, City of Bridgeport; Police Department, City of Bridgeport; and City of Bridgeport</b></p> <p>Jarrel Baker appeared via speakerphone on his own behalf. Attorney Raymond J. Rigat appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <a href="#">Audio1</a> <a href="#">Audio2</a></p> <p>The hearing convened at 9:36 AM with Attorney C. Zack Hyde presiding. The hearing adjourned at 10:12 AM.</p> <p>Dated: November 3, 2025</p>			
	<b>2:30 PM</b>	FIC 2025-0192	<p>Katie Gerarde v. Principal, Amity Middle School, Amity Regional School District #5; Amity Middle School, Amity Regional School District #5; and Amity Regional School District #5</p> <p>Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 807 224 215#</p>
<p>An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on October 30, 2025, in the Freedom of Information Commission's Hearing Room, Conference Room H, located on the ground floor at 165 Capitol Avenue, Hartford, Connecticut.</p> <p><b>Docket #FIC 2025-0192; Katie Gerarde v. Principal, Amity Middle School, Amity Regional School District #5; Amity Middle School, Amity Regional School District #5; and Amity Regional School District #5</b></p> <p>Katie Gerarde appeared on her own behalf. The respondents did not appear. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <a href="#">Audio</a></p>			

The hearing convened at 2:52 PM with Attorney Nicholas A. Smarra presiding.  
The hearing adjourned at 3:26 PM.

Dated: November 6, 2025

<b>October 31, 2025</b>	<b>11:00 AM</b>	FIC 2025-0485	Michael Katzmark v. Paula Cofrancesco, First Selectman, Town of Bethany; and Town of Bethany  Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 922 974 627#
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An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on October 31, 2025, 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 2025-0485; Michael Katzmark v. Paula Cofrancesco, First Selectman, Town of Bethany; and Town of Bethany**

Attorney John A. Parese appeared on behalf of the complainant. The respondents failed to appear. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio1](#) [Audio2](#) [Audio3](#) [Audio4](#)

The hearing convened at 11:00 AM with Attorney Marybeth G. Sullivan presiding.  
The hearing adjourned at 12:18 PM.

Dated: November 5, 2025

	<b>1:00 PM</b>	FIC 2025-0372	Elijah El-hajj-bey v. Chief Executive Officer, The Metropolitan District; and The Metropolitan District  Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 162 279 959#
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An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on October 31, 2025, 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 2025-0372; Elijah El-hajj-bey v. Chief Executive Officer, The Metropolitan District; and The Metropolitan District**

Elijah El-hajj-bey appeared on his own behalf. Attorney John S. Mirtle appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio](#)

The hearing convened at 1:08 PM with Attorney Jonathan M. McCann presiding.  
The hearing adjourned at 2:34 PM.

Dated: November 5, 2025