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## **Notice of Special Meetings**

The Freedom of Information Commission will hold in person special meetings during the week of March 3, 2025, through March 7, 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.

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March 3, 2025	9:30 AM	FIC 2024-0493	Curt Rivard 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: 707 477 733#	
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Correction; and State  NOTICE: The special	11:00 AM  meeting schedule	FIC 2024-0554	Michael Berkun v. Building Official, Land Use Department, Town of Killingworth; Land Use Department, Town of Killingworth; and Town of Killingworth  Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075	
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March 4, 2025	9:30 AM	FIC 2024-0578	Tim Howard v. Town Manager, Town of Hebron; and Town of Hebron
			Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 273 905 996#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on March 4, 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 2024-0578; Tim Howard v. Town Manager, Town of Hebron; and Town of Hebron

Tim Howard appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Kenneth R. Slater appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <u>Audio1 Audio2</u>

The hearing convened at 9:34 AM with Attorney Danielle L. McGee presiding. The hearing adjourned at 10:58 AM.

Dated: March 4, 2025

11:00 AM	FIC 2024-0580	C.J. Mozzochi v. Marshall Porter, Chief, Police Department, Town of Glastonbury; Police Department, Town of Glastonbury; and Town of Glastonbury
		Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 253 393 550#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on March 4, 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 2024-0580; C.J. Mozzochi v. Marshall Porter, Chief, Police Department, Town of Glastonbury; Police Department, Town of Glastonbury; and Town of Glastonbury

The complainant did not appear. Attorney Michael Collins appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <u>Audio</u>

The hearing convened at 11:15 AM with Attorney Nicholas A. Smarra presiding. The hearing adjourned at 11:16 AM.

Dated: March 4, 2025

March 4, 2025	1:00 PM	FIC 2024-0388	Neil Hornish v. First Selectman, Board of
Continued			Selectmen, Town of Suffield; Board of
			Selectmen, Town of Suffield; and Town of Suffield
			Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 682 921 129#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on March 4, 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 2024-0388; Neil Hornish v. First Selectman, Board of Selectmen, Town of Suffield; Board of Selectmen, Town of Suffield; and Town of Suffield

Neil Hornish appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Derek Connelly appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <u>Audio</u>

The hearing convened at 1:02 PM with Attorney Marybeth G. Sullivan presiding. The hearing adjourned at 1:33 PM.

Dated: March 4, 2025

2:30 PM	FIC 2024-0616	Maryanne Hornish v. First Selectman, Board of Selectmen, Town of Suffield; Board of Selectmen, Town of Suffield; and Town of Suffield
		Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 670 643 803#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on March 4, 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 2024-0616; Maryanne Hornish v. First Selectman, Board of Selectmen, Town of Suffield; Board of Selectmen, Town of Suffield; and Town of Suffield

Maryanne Hornish appeared on her own behalf. Attorney Derek E. Donnelly appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <u>Audio</u>

The hearing convened at 2:30 PM with Attorney Nicholas A. Smarra presiding. The hearing adjourned at 3:04 PM.

Dated: March 4, 2025

March 5, 2025	9:30 AM	FIC 2024-0565	John Lenti v. Commissioner, State of
			Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction
			Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 946 111 679#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on March 5, 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 2024-0565; John Lenti v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction

John Lenti appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Jennifer Lepore appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <u>Audio1 Audio2</u>

The hearing convened at 9:43 AM with Attorney C. Zack Hyde presiding. The hearing adjourned at 10:43 AM.

Dated: March 5, 2025

11:00 AM	FIC 2024-0570	Lauren Vernaglia v. Chairman, Board of Education, Bristol Public Schools; and Board of Education, Bristol Public Schools
		Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 445 985 761#

**NOTICE:** The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for March 5, 2025, at 11:00 AM, was cancelled. The complaint in this matter has been withdrawn.

Docket #FIC 2024-0570; Lauren Vernaglia v. Chairman, Board of Education, Bristol Public Schools; and Board of Education, Bristol Public Schools

2:30	) PM	FIC 2024-0559	Martin Edgar v. Superintendent of Schools, Hartford Public Schools; Hartford Public Schools; Michael Downes, President, Hartford Federation of Substitute Teachers; and Hartford Federation of Teachers
			Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 218 917 254#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on March 5, 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 2024-0559; Martin Edgar v. Superintendent of Schools, Hartford Public Schools; Hartford Public Schools; Michael Downes, President, Hartford Federation of Substitute Teachers; and Hartford Federation of Teachers

The complainant failed to appear. Attorney Lori Mizerak appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: Audio

The hearing convened at 2:47 PM with Attorney C. Zack Hyde presiding. The hearing adjourned at 2:48 PM.

Dated: March 6, 202

March 6, 2025	11:00 AM	FIC 2024-0615	Nina Schutzman v. Chief, Police Department,
			Town of New Milford; Police Department,
			Town of New Milford; and Town of New Milford

	Dial-in Number: 86	60-840-2075
	Conference Code:	939 280 033#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on March 6, 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 2024-0615; Nina Schutzman v. Chief, Police Department, Town of New Milford; Police Department, Town of New Milford; and Town of New Milford

Attorney Jeffrey Mirman appeared on behalf of the complainant. Attorney D. Randall DiBella appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <u>Audio</u>

The hearing convened at 11:00 AM with Attorney Mary-Kate Smith presiding. The hearing adjourned at 12:32 PM.

Dated: March 6, 2025

March 6, 2025	2:30 PM	FIC 2024-0617	David Moore v. Commissioner, State of
Continued			Connecticut, Department of Emergency
			Services and Public Protection; and State of
			Connecticut, Department of Emergency
			Services and Public Protection
			Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075
			Conference Code: 109 962 040#

**NOTICE:** The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for March 6, 2025, at 2:30 PM, was cancelled. The complaint in this matter has been withdrawn.

Docket #FIC 2024-0617; David Moore v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection; and State of Connecticut, Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection

March 7, 2025	9:30 AM	FIC 2024-0594	Jaden Yost v. Ronnell Higgins, Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection; and State of Connecticut, Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection
			Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 170 098 407#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on March 7, 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 2024-0594; Jaden Yost v. Ronnell Higgins, Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection; and State of Connecticut, Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection

Attorney Robert Cushman appeared on behalf of the complainant. Attorney Gwaina Wauldon appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <a href="Audio1"><u>Audio2</u></a> Audio3

The hearing convened at 9:33 AM with Attorney Marybeth G. Sullivan presiding. The hearing adjourned at 12:20 PM.

Dated: March 7, 2025

1:00 PM	FIC 2024-0610	DeeAnn Morton v. Chairman, Board of
1.00 1 111	110 2024 0010	Commissioners, Montville Housing Authority;
		and Board of Commissioners, Montville Housing Authority
		Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075
		Conference Code: 364 649 858#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on March 7, 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 2024-0610; DeeAnn Morton v. Chairman, Board of Commissioners, Montville Housing Authority; and Board of Commissioners, Montville Housing Authority

DeeAnn Morton appeared on her own behalf. The respondents did not appear. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: <a href="https://doi.org/10.2016/j.audio2">Audio2</a>

The hearing convened at 1:03 PM with Attorney Marybeth G. Sullivan presiding. The hearing adjourned at 1:47 PM.

Dated: March 7, 2025