



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 May 4, 2026 through May 8, 2026 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
May 4, 2026	9:30 AM	FIC 2025-0872	John Jevitts v. Compliance Officer, State of Connecticut, Connecticut State Community College; and State of Connecticut, Connecticut State Community College Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 630 049 53#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on May 4, 2026, 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 2025-0872; John Jevitts v. Compliance Officer, State of Connecticut, Connecticut State Community College; and State of Connecticut, Connecticut State Community College

John Jevitts appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Christopher Engler appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio1](#) [Audio2](#)

The hearing convened at 9:30 AM with Attorney Mary-Kate Smith presiding.
 The hearing adjourned at 11:03 AM.

Dated: May 6, 2026

	11:00 AM	FIC 2025-0565	Kurt Brace v. Chair, Board of Finance, Town of Windsor Locks; Board of Finance, Town of Windsor Locks; Board of Finance, Town of Windsor Locks; and Town of Windsor Locks Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 725 438 030#
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Docket #FIC 2025-0565; Kurt Brace v. Chair, Board of Finance, Town of Windsor Locks; Board of Finance, Town of Windsor Locks; and Town of Windsor Locks

Kurt Brace appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Carl T. Landolina appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio1](#) [Audio2](#) [Audio3](#)

The hearing convened at 11:09 AM with Attorney Paul V. Arce presiding.
The hearing adjourned at 11:55 AM.

Dated: May 6, 2026

	1:00 PM	FIC 2025-0888	Amber Allen v. Chief, Police Department, Town of Suffield; Police Department, Town of Suffield; and Town of Suffield Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 336 293 870#
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Docket #FIC 2025-0888; Amber Allen v. Chief, Police Department, Town of Suffield; Police Department, Town of Suffield; and Town of Suffield

The complainant failed to appear. Attorney Derek E. Donnelly appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio](#)

The hearing convened at 1:16 PM with Attorney Valicia D. Harmon presiding.
The hearing adjourned at 1:20 PM.

Dated: May 6, 2026

May 5, 2026	11:00 AM	FIC 2025-0686	David Michel v. Tom Cassone, Director, Office of Legal Affairs, City of Stamford; Office of Legal Affairs, City of Stamford; and City of Stamford Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 124 058 419#
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NOTICE: The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for May 5, 2026, at 11:00 AM, was postponed.

Docket #FIC 2025-0686; David Michel v. Tom Cassone, Director, Office of Legal Affairs, City of Stamford; Office of Legal Affairs, City of Stamford; and City of Stamford

May 5, 2026 Continued	1:00 PM	FIC 2025-0841	Dr. Natalie Levitt v. Anti-Blight Officer, Anti Blight, City of Stamford; Anti Blight, City of Stamford; and City of Stamford Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 588 868 310#
<p>NOTICE: The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for May 5, 2026, at 1:00 PM, was cancelled. The complaint in this matter has been withdrawn.</p> <p>Docket #FIC 2025-0841; Dr. Natalie Levitt v. Anti-Blight Officer, Anti Blight, City of Stamford; Anti Blight, City of Stamford; and City of Stamford</p>			
	2:30 PM	FIC 2025-0846	Justin DiMarco v. Chief, Police Department, Town of Wethersfield; Police Department, Town of Wethersfield; and Town of Wethersfield Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 244 900 219#
<p>An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on May 5, 2026, 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>Docket #FIC 2025-0846; Justin DiMarco v. Chief, Police Department, Town of Wethersfield; Police Department, Town of Wethersfield; and Town of Wethersfield</p> <p>Justin DiMarco appeared on his own behalf. Attorney John Bradley appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: Audio</p> <p>The hearing convened at 2:32 PM with Attorney Marybeth G. Sullivan presiding. The hearing adjourned at 4:07 PM.</p> <p>Dated: May 6, 2026</p>			
May 6, 2026	9:30 AM	FIC 2025-0884	Michael Mourning v. Executive Director, State of Connecticut, Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities; and State of Connecticut, Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 822 990 206#
<p>An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on May 6, 2026, 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>Docket #FIC 2025-0884; Michael Mourning v. Executive Director, State of Connecticut, Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities; and State of Connecticut, Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities</p> <p>The complainant failed to appear. Attorney Renee Vanden Wall Bake appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: Audio</p>			

The hearing convened at 10:46 AM with Attorney Mary-Kate Smith presiding.
The hearing adjourned at 10:49 AM.

Dated: May 6, 2026

11:00 AM

FIC 2025-0906

Nick Sambides Jr.; and Gregory Stroud v. Edward Reynolds, Chief, Police Department, Town of Hamden; Police Department, Town of Hamden; and Town of Hamden

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075
Conference Code: 127 986 062#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on May 6, 2026, 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 2025-0906; Nick Sambides Jr.; and Gregory Stroud v. Edward Reynolds, Chief, Police Department, Town of Hamden; Police Department, Town of Hamden; and Town of Hamden

The complainants failed to appear. Attorney J. Brendan Sharkey appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio](#)

The hearing convened at 11:18 AM with Attorney Valicia D. Harmon presiding.
The hearing adjourned at 11:26 AM.

Dated: May 6, 2026

1:00 PM

FIC 2025-0740

Jean D. William v. Tax Assessor, Assessor's Office, City of Stamford; Assessor's Office, City of Stamford; and City of Stamford

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075
Conference Code: 648 913 73#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on May 6, 2026, 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 2025-0740; Jean D. William v. Tax Assessor, Assessor's Office, City of Stamford; Assessor's Office, City of Stamford; and City of Stamford

The complainant failed to appear. Attorney Michael Toma appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio](#)

The hearing convened at 1:16 PM with Attorney Mary-Kate Smith presiding.
The hearing adjourned at 1:19 PM.

Dated: May 12, 2026

2:30 PM

FIC 2025-0840

Lee McCreedy v. City Attorney, City of New London; and City of New London

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075

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An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on May 6, 2026, 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 2025-0840; Lee McCready v. City Attorney, City of New London; and City of New London

Lee McCready appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Brian Estep appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio1](#) [Audio2](#)

The hearing convened at 2:34 PM with Attorney C. Zack Hyde presiding.
The hearing adjourned at 4:04 PM.

Dated: May 12, 2026

May 7, 2026	9:30 AM	FIC 2025-0891	Raymond Cerilli v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 817 731 752#
<p>NOTICE: The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for May 7, 2026, at 9:30 AM, was postponed.</p> <p>Docket #FIC 2025-0891; Raymond Cerilli v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction</p>			
	11:00 AM	FIC 2025-0904	Dr. Justin Daley v. Chief, Police Department, Town of East Haven; Police Department, Town of East Haven; and Town of East Haven Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 725 438 030#
<p>An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on May 7, 2026, 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>Docket #FIC 2025-0904; Dr. Justin Daley v. Chief, Police Department, Town of East Haven; Police Department, Town of East Haven; and Town of East Haven</p> <p>Dr. Justin Daley appeared on his own behalf. The respondents failed to appear. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: Audio</p> <p>The hearing convened at 11:11 AM with Attorney Nicholas A. Smarra presiding. The hearing adjourned at 12:11 PM.</p> <p>Dated: May 12, 2026</p>			
	1:00 PM	FIC 2025-0908	Claire Howard v. Superintendent of Schools, Bridgeport Public Schools; and Bridgeport Public Schools Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 688 952 974#
<p>NOTICE: The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for May 7, 2026, at 1:00 PM, was cancelled. The complaint in this matter has been withdrawn.</p> <p>Docket #FIC 2025-0908; Claire Howard v. Superintendent of Schools, Bridgeport Public Schools; and Bridgeport Public Schools</p>			
	2:30 PM	FIC 2025-0676 PRVR# 21	Town of Greenwich, Greenwich Town Attorney's Office, and Greenwich Police Department v. Caitlin Hayes

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075
Conference Code: 363 967 864#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on May 7, 2026, 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 2025-0676; Town of Greenwich, Greenwich Town Attorney's Office, and Greenwich Police Department v. Caitlin Hayes

Attorney Lisa Waller appeared on behalf of the petitioners. The respondent failed to appear. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio](#)

The hearing convened at 2:37 PM with Commissioner Thomas A. Hennick presiding.
The hearing adjourned at 5:09 PM.

Dated: May 12, 2026

May 8, 2026

9:30 AM

FIC 2025-0886

Raymond Cerilli v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075
Conference Code: 262 169 869#

NOTICE: The special meeting scheduled in the following matter for May 8, 2026, at 9:30 AM, was postponed.

Docket #FIC 2025-0886; Raymond Cerilli v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction

11:00 AM

FIC 2025-0954

Luz Bueno v. Superintendent of Schools, Darien Public Schools; and Darien Public Schools

Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075
Conference Code: 121 096 536#

An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on May 8, 2026, 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 2025-0954; Luz Bueno v. Superintendent of Schools, Darien Public Schools; and Darien Public Schools

Luz Bueno appeared on her own behalf. Attorney Sarah Gleason appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio](#)

The hearing convened at 11:09 AM with Commissioner Thomas A. Hennick presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 12:59 PM.

Dated: May 13, 2026

	2:30 PM	FIC 2025-0922	Sharon Pealer v. Chairman, Town Council, Town of Ledyard; Town Council, Town of Ledyard; and Town of Ledyard Dial-in Number: 860-840-2075 Conference Code: 837 963 839#
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An evidentiary hearing of the Freedom of Information Commission in the following matter was held on May 8, 2026, 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 2025-0922; Sharon Pealer v. Chairman, Town Council, Town of Ledyard; Town Council, Town of Ledyard; and Town of Ledyard

Sharon Pealer appeared on her own behalf. Attorney Jonathan W. Fazzino appeared on behalf of the respondents. No votes were taken. The proceedings were digitally recorded and available here: [Audio1](#) [Audio2](#) [Audio3](#)

The hearing convened at 2:32 PM with Attorney Paul V. Arce presiding.

The hearing adjourned at 3:28 PM.

Dated: May 12, 2026