

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION  
OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In the Matter of a Complaint By

FINAL DECISION

Bill Effros,

Complainant

against

Docket #FIC 2021-0303

Chairman, Planning and Zoning  
Commission, Town of Greenwich;  
Planning and Zoning Commission,  
Town of Greenwich; and Town of  
Greenwich,

Respondents

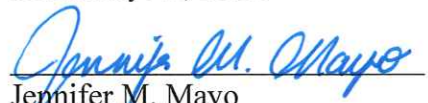
January 25, 2023

By letter of complaint, received and filed by the Commission on June 4, 2021, the complainant appealed to the Commission, alleging that the respondents violated the Freedom of Information ("FOI") Act by failing to provide a copy of a certain public record.<sup>1</sup> On July 22, 2022, the respondents moved to dismiss the matter without a hearing pursuant to §1-206(b)(4), G.S. The complainant did not file a written objection to such motion. However, by email dated January 24, 2023, the complainant withdrew his complaint. The Commission takes administrative notice of such email.

The following order by the Commission is hereby recommended on the basis of the record concerning the above-captioned complaint:

1. The complaint is dismissed pursuant to §1-206(b)(4)(A), G.S.

Approved by Order of the Freedom of Information Commission at its regular meeting of January 25, 2023.

  
Jennifer M. Mayo  
Acting Clerk of the Commission

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<sup>1</sup> On March 25, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order 7M, thereby suspending the provisions of Conn. Gen. Stat. §1-206(b)(1), which requires the Freedom of Information Commission to hear and decide an appeal within one year after the filing of such appeal. Executive Order 7M is applicable to any appeal pending with the Commission on the issuance date and to any appeal filed on or after such date, through June 30, 2021. Consequently, the Commission retains jurisdiction to decide the motion to dismiss.

PURSUANT TO SECTION 4-180(c), G.S., THE FOLLOWING ARE THE NAMES OF EACH PARTY AND THE MOST RECENT MAILING ADDRESS, PROVIDED TO THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION, OF THE PARTIES OR THEIR AUTHORIZED REPRESENTATIVE.

THE PARTIES TO THIS CONTESTED CASE ARE:

**BILL EFFROS**, 41 Old Church Road, Greenwich, CT. 06830

**CHAIRMAN, PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION, TOWN OF GREENWICH; TOWN OF GREENWICH; AND PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION, TOWN OF GREENWICH**, c/o Attorney Abby R. Wadler, Greenwich Town Attorney's Office, 101 Field Point Road, Greenwich, CT 06830

  
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Jennifer M. Mayo  
Acting Clerk of the Commission