FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In the Matter of a Complaint by

FINAL DECISION

Robert Cushman,

Complainant

against

Docket # FIC 2024-0152

John Kelley, Chief, Police Department, Town of Vernon; Police Department, Town of Vernon; and Town of Vernon,

Respondents

August 28, 2024

The above-captioned matter was heard as a contested case on July 15, 2024, at which time the complainant and the respondents appeared and presented testimony, exhibits and argument on the complaint.

By email dated August 14, 2024, the complainant notified the Commission that he wished to withdraw the complaint. The Commission takes administrative notice of such withdrawal.

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

- 1. Based on the withdrawal, the complaint is dismissed.
- 2. The Commission commends the parties for their efforts in working amicably to resolve the complaint.

Approved by Order of the Freedom of Information Commission at its regular meeting of August 28, 2024.

Molly Steffes

Acting Clerk of the Commission

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:

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JOHN KELLEY, CHIEF, POLICE DEPARTMENT, TOWN OF VERNON; POLICE DEPARTMENT, TOWN OF VERNON; AND TOWN OF VERNON, c/o Attorney Louis A. Spadaccini, Blackwell & Spadaccini LLC, 158 East Center Street, Manchester, CT 06040

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