FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In the Matter of a Complaint by

FINAL DECISION

Joe Quaranta,

Complainant

against

Docket #FIC 2024-0442

Mayor, Town of New Milford; and Town of New Milford,

Respondents

July 9, 2025

The above-captioned matter was scheduled to be heard as a contested case on January 3, 2025, at which time neither the complainant nor the respondents appeared. The complainant had previously informed Commission staff that he intended to withdraw his complaint and would not be attending the January 3 hearing. After waiting approximately fifteen minutes past the scheduled time for the hearing, and having not received any such withdrawal from the complainant, the undersigned hearing officer opened the hearing.

After the January 3 hearing, the respondents informed the Commission that the complainant withdrew his complaint; however, to date, the Commission has not received any such withdrawal in the above-captioned matter.

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

1. The complaint is dismissed for failure to prosecute.

Approved by Order of the Freedom of Information Commission at its regular meeting of July 9, 2025.

Jennifer M/Mayo

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:

JOE QUARANTA, 87 Boardman Road, New Milford, CT 06776

MAYOR, TOWN OF NEW MILFORD; AND TOWN OF NEW MILFORD, c/o Attorney Joseph P. Mortelliti, Cramer & Anderson LLP, 30 Main Street, Suite 204, Danbury, CT 06810

Jennifer M. Mayo

Acting Clerk of the Commission

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