

TO: Freedom of Information Commission  
FROM: Jennifer M. Mayo  
RE: Minutes of the Commission's regular meeting of September 28, 2022

A regular meeting of the Freedom of Information Commission was held on September 28, 2022. The Commission meeting of September 28, 2022 was conducted in person. The meeting convened at 2:06 p.m. with the following Commissioners present:

Commissioner Owen P. Eagan, presiding  
Commissioner Jonathan J. Einhorn  
Commissioner Matthew Streeter  
Commissioner Christopher P. Hankins  
Commissioner Stephen Fuzesi, Jr.

Also present were staff members, Colleen M. Murphy, Mary E. Schwind, Valicia D. Harmon, Paula S. Pearlman, Danielle L. McGee, C. Zack Hyde, Jennifer F. Miller, Kate Smith, Kevin W. Munn, Cindy Cannata, and Jennifer Mayo.

The Commissioners unanimously voted to approve the Commission's regular meeting minutes of September 14, 2022.

Those in attendance were informed that the September 28, 2022, regular meeting of the Commission was being recorded.

[Docket #FIC 2020-0403](#) Joseph Stephenson v. Angel Quiros, Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction

Joseph Stephenson appeared on his own behalf. Attorney Jennifer LePore appeared on behalf of the respondents. The Commissioners voted, 4-1, to deny the Complainant's Request for Continuance. Commissioner Fuzesi, Jr. voted against denying. The Commissioners unanimously voted to adopt the Hearing Officer's Report. The proceedings were digitally recorded.

[Docket #FIC 2020-0612](#) Daniel Riles v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Correction; and State of Connecticut, Department of Correction

The Commissioners unanimously voted to adopt the Hearing Officer's Report. The proceedings were digitally recorded.

[Docket #FIC 2022-0191](#) Roderick Lewis v. Joseph Perno, Chief, Police Department, City of West Haven; Police Department, City of West Haven; and City of West Haven

The Commissioners unanimously voted to adopt the Hearing Officer's Report. The proceedings were digitally recorded.

[Docket #FIC 2021-0122](#) Gregg and Jenn Haythorn v. First Selectperson, Town of Weston; and Town Administrator, Town of Weston

The Commissioners unanimously voted to adopt the Hearing Officer's Report. The proceedings were digitally recorded.

[Docket #FIC 2021-0333](#) Nancy Burton v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Agriculture; and State of Connecticut, Department of Agriculture

The Commissioners unanimously voted to adopt the Hearing Officer's Report. The proceedings were digitally recorded.

[Docket #FIC 2021-0581](#) Michael Picard v. Chief, Police Department, Town of South Windsor; Police Department, Town of South Windsor; and Town of South Windsor

The Commissioners unanimously voted to adopt the Hearing Officer's Report. The proceedings were digitally recorded.

[Docket #FIC 2021-0594](#) Lisa Backus and the Connecticut Health Investigative Team v. Commissioner, State of Connecticut, Department of Public Health; State of Connecticut, Department of Public Health; and State of Connecticut, Medical Examining Board

The Commissioners unanimously voted to adopt the Hearing Officer's Report. The proceedings were digitally recorded.

Attorneys Danielle L. McGee and Jennifer F. Miller reported on the Superior Court, Judicial District of New Britain, Memorandum of Decision dated September 20, 2022, in Town of Avon, et al. vs. Joseph Sastre, et al., Docket No. HHB-CV-21-6070256-S. The Commission took no action.

The Commissioners unanimously voted to add to the Agenda, the Consideration of the Appellate Court Decision in Clerk of the Common Council v. Freedom of Information Commission et al. (AC 44284) and Sebastian Giuliano et al. v. Freedom of Information Commission et al (AC 44295) (September 27, 2022).

Attorney Valicia D. Harmon and Colleen Murphy reported on the Appellate Court Decision in Clerk of the Common Council v. Freedom of Information Commission et al. (AC 44284) and Sebastian Giuliano et al. v. Freedom of Information Commission et al (AC 44295) (September 27, 2022). The Commission took no action.

Colleen M. Murphy reported that the in person hearings and meetings are running smoothly. Colleen also stated that the hiring process for a new secretary is moving along.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:08 p.m.

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