



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
STATE ELECTIONS ENFORCEMENT COMMISSION

AGENDA
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REGULAR MEETING
5th Floor Conference Room
April 18, 2018
9:30 A.M.

I. Call to Order

II. Approval of the Minutes

Approval of the Minutes of the Meeting of March 23, 2018

III. Administrative Reports

IV. Pending Complaints and Investigations

A. Hearing Officer Report

1. In the Matter of a Referral by the Campaign Disclosure and Audit Unit
File No. 2017-033NF
Proposed Final Decision
Respondent: Lamont Finney
Hearing Officer: Michael J. Ajello
Prosecutor: Ryan M. Burns

B. Public Session

1. In re: Referral of Greenwich Registrars of Voters, Fred A. DeCaro and Michael Aurelia
File No. 2017-030
Proposed Consent Order & Agreement
Respondent: Sylvia E. James
Attorney: Ryan M. Burns
Legal Investigator: Scott Branfuhr
2. In the Matter of Bernice C. Bartlett, Haddam
File No. 2017-059
Proposed Consent Order & Agreement
Respondent: Leonard J. Weir
Attorney: Ryan M. Burns
Lead Legal Investigator: Gilberto Oyola
3. In the Matter of a Referral by Stacey Gravino, Town Clerk, East Haven
File No. 2015-132A & 2015-132B
Proposed Consent Orders & Agreements

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Respondents: Richard DePalma and
Michael Speer
Attorney: William B. Smith
Lead Legal Investigator: Gilberto Oyola

4. In the Matter of a Complaint by John Traynor, Self-Report
File No. 2018-002
Proposed Consent Order & Agreement
Respondents: John Traynor
Attorney: William B. Smith

V. ***Executive Session per General Statutes §§ 1-200(6)(B) and (E), and 1-210(b)(1), (3),(4),(10) and General Statutes §9-7a, as amended by Public Act 11-48 §300 (Preliminary draft and agency consideration of enforcement action and exempt records relative thereto)***

1. Recommendation of Counsel: Necessary to Investigate Determination pursuant to General Statutes §9-7a, as amended by Public Act 11-48 §300
2. In the Matter of a Complaint by Thomas J. Daly, Jr., North Haven
File No. 2017-040
Proposed Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: William B. Smith
Legal Investigator: Scott Branfuhr
3. In the Matter of a Complaint by Linda Szyrkowicz, Middletown
File No. 2016-093
Proposed Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: William B. Smith
Legal Investigator: Scott Branfuhr
4. In the Matter of a Complaint by Timothy J. Sullivan, Barkhamstead
File No. 2017-079
Proposed Recommendation of Counsel
Proposed Consent Order & Agreement
Attorney: William B. Smith
Lead Legal Investigator: Gilberto Oyola
5. In the Matter of a Complaint by Athena-Lee Maynard and Deborah Maynard, Voluntown
File No. 2016-096 & 2016-097
Proposed Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Ryan M. Burns
Legal Investigator: Scott Branfuhr

6. In the Matter of a Complaint by James Millington, Fairfield
File No. 2017-024
Proposed Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Ryan M. Burns
Legal Investigator: Scott Branfuhr

7. In the Matter of a Complaint by Peter A. Nystrom, Norwich
File No. 2017-063
Proposed Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Ryan M. Burns
Legal Investigator: Scott Branfuhr

8. In the Matter of a Complaint by Stephen P. Funk, Self-Report
File No. 2018-012
Proposed Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Ryan M. Burns
Legal Investigator: Scott Branfuhr

9. In the Matter of a Complaint by Norman Goldman, Self-Report
File No. 2018-015
Proposed Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Ryan M. Burns
Legal Investigator: Scott Branfuhr

10. In the Matter of a Complaint by Maryli Secret, Bridgeport
File No. 2015-117
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Kevin M. Ahern
Legal Investigator: Scott Branfuhr

11. In the Matter of a Complaint by Deolinda Ann Ruas, et al, Bridgeport
File No. 2015-137
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Kevin M. Ahern
Lead Legal Investigator: Gilberto Oyola

12. In the Matter of a Complaint by Sean Byrnes, Westport
File No. 2017-086
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Kevin M. Ahern
Lead Legal Investigator: Gilberto Oyola

13. In the Matter of a Complaint by Elissa Ann K. Voccola, Hartford
File No. 2014-095
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: James Talbert-Slagle
Legal Investigator: Scott Branfuhr

14. In the Matter of a Complaint by Wayne von Hardenburg, Wethersfield
File No. 2014-123

Recommendation of Counsel

Attorney:

James Talbert-Slagle

Legal Investigator:

Scott Branfuhr

15. In the Matter of a Complaint by Thomas J. Banisch, Madison

File No. 2014-120

Recommendation of Counsel

Attorney:

James Talbert-Slagle

Legal Investigator:

Scott Branfuhr

16. Draft Audit Report

1. "Gary for Senate," Gary Winfield

Examiner: Dinorah Collado

17. Recommendation of Counsel Regarding Petition for Declaratory Ruling on
the Political Activity of Organized Groups as requested by Arnold F. Skretta
(on behalf of Connecticut Compliance and Law Services LLC)

VI. Consideration of Matters Discussed in Executive Session

VII. Adjournment

***The next regular scheduled meeting is May 16, 2018 at 9:30 A.M. in the 5th Floor
Conference room.***