



Public Safety & Health Committee - Board of Representatives

Jeffrey Stella, Chair

Eric Morson, Vice Chair

Notice of Meeting

Date: Thursday, September 21, 2023

Time: 6:30 p.m.

This meeting will be held remotely and can be accessed by computer, tablet or smartphone at <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89352714885>; or at

Place: *<http://www.zoom.com>– Webinar ID: 893 5271 4885 ; or by telephone at 1 646 558 8656 – Webinar ID: 893 5271 4885.*

The Public Safety & Health Committee will meet as indicated above. The agenda is as follows:

Item No.	Description	Invitee(s) or Designee(s)
1. PS31.047	ORDINANCE for publication; Amending Chapter 242 of the Code of Ordinances Adding § 242-5 Prohibiting the Possession of Firearms and Explosives in Government Buildings and Polling Places. 09/05/23 – Submitted by Lou DeRubeis	L. DeRubeis T. Cassone
2. PS31.002	REVIEW; Administration Plans to pursue Air Quality Monitoring as Proposed in Resolution 4081 . (Previously PS30.092) 12/08/21 – Submitted by Reps. de la Cruz, Berns, and Grunberger 12/13/21 – Moved to Pending 03/01/23 – Report Made 03/06/23 – Recommitted to Steering at Board Meeting by Unanimous Voice Vote 03/13/23 – Moved to Pending 04/20/22 – Held by Committee 6-0-0 05/18/22 – No Action Taken 06/13/22 – Moved to Pending 05/18/23 – Report Made 06/05/23 – Recommitted to Steering by Full Board 06/12/23 – Moved to Pending 08/24/28 – No Action Taken	L. DeRubeis J. Bishop-Pullan A. Carpenter

3. [PS31.030](#) REVIEW; Health Risks related to use of PFAs (Per- and Polyfluoroalkyl Substances) in Public Safety Agencies PPE (Personal Protective Equipment) and all Other Safety Equipment, as well as to the Environment.
09/06/22 – Submitted by Reps. Stella and Curtis
10/19/22 – Report Made & Held by Committee
11/14/22 – Moved to Pending
08/24/28 – No Action Taken

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L. DeRubeis
T. Roach
N. McMillan**

Possibly in Executive Session:

4. PS31.039 REVIEW; of How the City of Stamford is Handling the Presumed Occupational Cancer within the Fire Department
04/05/2023 – Submitted by Reps. Stella, Curtis, Watkins, Campbell, Baxter, Figueroa, Matheny, Boeger, Pierre-Louis, Pavia, Roqueta, de la Cruz, Tomas, Sherwood and Garst.
04/20/23 – Held
05/18/23 – Held by Committee
06/12/23 – Moved to Pending
08/24/23 – No Action Taken

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T. Cassone**

5. PS31.048 REVIEW; Stamford's Ban of Plastic Straws and the Safety of Paper Straws.
09/06/23 – Submitted by Rep. Stella

TO BE HELD

As a Secondary Committee at the Fiscal Committee meeting 9/27/23 – 7:00 p.m.:

6. [F31.228](#) \$68,755.00 ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION (Grants Budget); EPA Air Quality; 31 Month Air Quality Monitoring Grant from the EPA; Program will focus on NO₂, Particulate Matter and Ozone (Source of Funds: 100% grant funded).
05/30/23 – Submitted by Mayor Simmons
06/08/23 – Held by Board of Finance 6-0-0
06/12/23 – Held at Steering
07/13/23 – Approved by Board of Finance 6-0-0
07/24/23 – Approved by Committee 9-0-0
08/07/23 – Recommitted to Steering by Full Board
08/28/23 – Approved by Committee 10-0-0
09/05/23 – Recommitted to Steering by Full Board