



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
STATE ELECTIONS ENFORCEMENT COMMISSION

AGENDA
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REGULAR MEETING

Via Teams

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July 15, 2026

9:30 AM

I. Call to Order

II. Approval of the Minutes

- 1. Approval of the Minutes of the Meeting of July 1, 2026*
- 2. Approval of the Minutes of the Meeting of July 9, 2026*

III. Administrative Reports

- 1. Report of Executive Director and General Counsel Ryan Burns*

IV. Executive Session per General Statutes §§ 1-200(6)(B),(E), and 1-210(b)(1), (3),(4),(10) and General Statutes §9-7a

(Preliminary draft and agency consideration of enforcement action and exempt records relative thereto)

- 1. Recommendation of Counsel: Discussion of Candidate Committee Validation Memoranda*

V. Consideration of Application for Public Grants from the Citizens' Election Fund

A. New Applications

- 1. "Joe Kelly for Senate," Joseph Kelly*
- 2. "Sam in 26," Smanatha Nestor*
- 3. "Laroche4CT," Amybeth Laroche*
- 4. "Cohen for Senate," Christine Cohen*
- 5. "Re-Elect Dave," David Yaccarino*
- 6. "Anthony for Glastonbury," Antony DiLizia*
- 7. "Friends of James Maroney," James Maroney*
- 8. "Friends of Sal Simsek," Sal Simsek*
- 9. "Gray 2026," Ollie Gray*
- 10. "Protect Connecticut," Aaron Zimmer*
- 11. "Ritter 2026," Matthew Ritter*

B. Continuation of Prior Applications Awaiting Additional Information to Qualify for a Grant

1. “Faith 2026 for the 75th,” Faithalee Goclowski
2. “Mandato for the 34th,” Brandi Mandato
3. “SamanthaForStateRep44,” Samantha Derenthal

VI. Pending Complaints, Investigations and Audits

A. Public Session

VII. Executive Session per General Statutes §§ 1-200(6)(B),(E), and 1-210(b)(1), (3),(4),(10) and General Statutes §9-7a

(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
Attorney: William B. Smith
2. Recommendation of Counsel: Regarding Complaints Received by the SEEC
Attorney: William B. Smith
3. In the Matter of a Referral by an Elections Officer of the SEEC
File No. 2021-138
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Johnny Ross, III
4. In the Matter of a Complaint by Thomas Gecewicz, Bridgeport
File No. 2026-026
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Johnny Ross, III
Legal Investigator: Ronald Perry
5. In the Matter of a Complaint by Benjamin Barnes, Stratford
File No. 2025-081
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Johnny Ross, III
Legal Investigator: Stephanie Fish
6. In the Matter of a Referral by the Secretary of the State, Hartford
File No. 2024-166
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney: Zak Jazlowiecki
Legal Investigator: Ronald Perry
7. In the Matter of a Complaint by Kimberly D. Thompson, Old Lyme

File No. 2025-106
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney:
Legal Investigator:

Zak Jazlowiecki
Scott Branfuhr

8. In the Matter of a SEEC Initiated Investigation

File No. 2023-078A
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney:
Legal Investigator:

Mario Borelli
Sheri-Lyn Lagueux

9. In the Matter of a Complaint by Michelle Krampitz, Glastonbury

File No. 2024-137
Recommendation of Counsel
Attorney:
Legal Investigator:

Mario Borelli
Stephanie Fish

VIII. Consideration of Matters Discussed in the above Executive Session

IX. Adjournment

The next regularly scheduled meeting is Thursday, July 16, 2026 at 3:30PM