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Joseph Sargent,
Complainant(s)
against

Notice of Meeting

Docket #FIC 2013-248

Joseph Capalbo, Corporation Counsel,
City of Stamford; Emmet Hibson, Director,
Human Resources Division, City of Stamford;
and City of Stamford,

Respondent(s)

February 25, 2014

Transmittal of Proposed Final Decision

In accordance with Section 4-179 of the Connecticut General Statutes, the Freedom of Information Commission hereby transmits to you the proposed finding and decision prepared by the hearing officer in the above-captioned matter.

This will notify you that the Commission will consider this matter for disposition at its meeting which will be held in the Freedom of Information Commission Hearing Room, 18-20 Trinity Street, 1st floor, Hartford, Connecticut, at **2 p.m. on Wednesday, March 26, 2014**. At that time and place you will be allowed to offer oral argument concerning this proposed finding and order. Oral argument shall be limited to ten (10) minutes. For good cause shown, however, the Commission may increase the period of time for argument. A request for additional time must be made in writing and should be filed with the Commission **ON OR BEFORE March 14, 2014**. Such request **MUST BE (1) copied to all parties, or if the parties are represented, to such representatives, and (2) include a notation indicating such notice to all parties or their representatives.**

Although a brief or memorandum of law is not required, if you decide to submit such a document, an **original and fourteen (14) copies** must be filed **ON OR BEFORE March 14, 2014**. **PLEASE NOTE: Any correspondence, brief or memorandum directed to the Commissioners by any party or representative of any party MUST BE (1) copied to all parties, or if the parties are represented, to such representatives, (2) include a notation indicating such notice to all parties or their representatives and (3) be limited to argument. NO NEW EVIDENCE MAY BE SUBMITTED.**

If you have already filed a brief or memorandum with the hearing officer and wish to have that document distributed to each member of the Commission, it is requested that **fourteen (14) copies** be filed **ON OR BEFORE March 14, 2014**, and that **notice be given to all parties or if the parties are represented, to their representatives, that such previously filed document is being submitted to the Commissioners for review.**

By Order of the Freedom of
Information Commission

W. Paradis
Acting Clerk of the Commission

Notice to: Joseph Sargent
Chris Dellaselva, Esq.

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT

In The Matter of a Complaint by

Report of Hearing Officer

Joseph Sargent,

Complainant

against

Docket #FIC 2013-248

Joseph Capalbo, Corporation Counsel,
City of Stamford; Emmet Hibson, Director,
Human Resources Division, City of Stamford;
and City of Stamford,

Respondents

February 24, 2014


The above-captioned matter was scheduled to be heard as a contested case on October 17, 2013, at which time the complainant, and the respondent Corporation Counsel and the respondent City of Stamford appeared. At that time, it was determined that the Director of Human Resources, Emmet Hibson, also should have been named as a respondent. The case was continued to give Mr. Hibson notice of this matter, and the case caption was amended to identify Mr. Hibson as a respondent.

Thereafter, this matter was heard as a contested case on November 26, 2013, at which time the complainant and the respondents appeared, stipulated to certain facts and presented testimony, exhibits and argument on the complaint. For purposes of hearing, the matter was consolidated with Docket #FIC 2013-247; Joseph Sargent v. Joseph Capalbo, Corporation Counsel, City of Stamford; Emmet Hibson, Michael Handler, Director of Administration, Office of Administration, City of Stamford; and City of Stamford, and Docket #FIC 2013-249; Joseph Sargent v. Joseph Capalbo, Corporation Counsel, City of Stamford; Michael Scacco, Fleet Manager, Fleet Maintenance, City of Stamford; and City of Stamford.

After the November 26, 2013 continued case hearing was convened, the complainant indicated that he wished to withdraw this matter.

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

1. Based on the withdrawal of the complaint, the case is hereby dismissed.


Valicia Dee Harmon
as Hearing Officer