

Town of West Hartford Human Rights Commission Mission Statement

"The West Hartford Human Rights Commission fosters mutual understanding and respect among people, and encourages equality of treatment of all people, regardless of race, color, religious creed, sex, sexual orientation, civil union status, gender identity or expression, marital status, familial status, genetic information, age, economic status, lawful source of income, national origin or ancestry, veteran status, or present or past history of physical, mental, intellectual or learning disability including, but not limited to blindness."

Town of West Hartford Human Rights Commission Meeting

7:00 p.m. Wednesday, February 1, 2023

In-Person Meeting: Elmwood Community Center, Room # 24
1106 New Britain Ave, West Hartford, CT 06110

Public Meeting Viewing & Participation Instructions:

- Members of the public can attend the meeting in-person.
- Anyone requiring auxiliary aid or service for effective communication or modification of policies or procedures to participate in a meeting, service, program or activity of the Town of West Hartford, should contact Suzanne Oslander, ADA Coordinator, at suzanneo@westhartfordct.gov or (860) 561-7580, as soon as possible, preferably seven days beforehand.

Agenda:

- Attendance
- Welcome New Commissioners
- Welcome Invited Speakers:
 - Ron Simpson and Ann Galer, Investigator in the Capitol Region Office of the Connecticut Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities
- Secretary Aurora Melita reports on Celebration of Universal Human Rights Declaration
- WHHRC Recommends the adoption of Antisemitism Definition: Update from Commissioner Eric Schoenberg
- Co-Chair Dawn Ennis proposes WHHRC issue a statement in response to the murder of Tyre Nichols by police officers in Memphis, Tennessee.
- Discussion of future online holiday posts by commissioners and new assignments
- WHHRC member outreach (ONE VACANCY REMAINING)
- Open Discussion
- Announce Next Meeting Date, Wednesday, March 1, 2023
- Adjournment