



**West Hartford Town Council Meeting Minutes
50 South Main Street Legislative Chambers, Room 314
Tuesday, September 8, 2026 at 7:30 PM**

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 7:32 PM

Present: Mayor Cantor, Councilors Harris, Lazarus, Lyons, McGinnis, Deputy Mayor Polun, Walters, Wang and Wenograd

2. Proclamations

A. Proclamations

Mayor Cantor issued Proclamations recognizing the following:
Proclamation In Remembrance of 9/11 on the 25th Anniversary
40th anniversary of the National Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)

3. Public Forum

Richard McSorley, 109 LedgeWood Road, addressed the Council.

4. Consent Calendar

A. Consent Calendar

NONE

5. Approval of Minutes

A. Town Council Meeting Minutes August 12, 2026

Motion to Approve (Polun)

Second (McGinnis)

MOTION CARRIES (9 YEA, 0 NAY)

6. Unfinished Business

NONE

7. New Business

A. Resolution Authorizing the Town Manager to Participate in the State of Connecticut Legislatively Directed Grant Fund Program to Support the Construction of the Trout Brook Trail / East Coast Greenway Connector

Motion to Adopt (Polun)

Second (McGinnis)

MOTION CARRIES (9 YEA, 0 NAY)

B. Resolution Authorizing the Town Manager to Participate in the State of Connecticut Legislatively Directed Grant Fund Program to Support the Miracle League Field Pedestrian Bridge Replacement Project

Motion to Adopt (Polun)

Second (McGinnis)

MOTION CARRIES (9 YEA, 0 NAY)

C. Resolution Appropriating a Donation and Unexpended Funds to Support Programs and Activities for America's 250 Commemoration

Motion to Adopt (Polun)

Second (McGinnis)

MOTION CARRIES (9 YEA, 0 NAY)

D. Resolution Appropriating Unexpended Donation Funds from the Arthur R. Carling Revocable Trust

Motion to Adopt (Polun)

Second (McGinnis)

MOTION CARRIES (9 YEA, 0 NAY)

E. Resolution Appropriating Funds in the West Hartford Library Fund to Purchase Computers, Furniture, Equipment and Professional Services

Motion to Adopt (Polun)

Second (McGinnis)

MOTION CARRIES (9 YEA, 0 NAY)

F. Resolution Appropriating Unexpended Grant Funds in the 2026-2027 General Fund Budget for Various Town Departments

Motion to Adopt (Polun)

Second (McGinnis)

MOTION CARRIES (9 YEA, 0 NAY)

G. Resolution Approving a Collective Bargaining Agreement with CSEA, SEIU Local 2001 Clerical Unit for the Period July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2029 ***Revised Title**

Motion to Adopt (Polun)

Second (McGinnis)

MOTION CARRIES (9 YEA, 0 NAY)

H. Resolution Approving a Collective Bargaining Agreement with CSEA, SEIU Local 2001 Professional and Management Unit for the Period July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2029 ***Revised Title**

Motion to Adopt (Polun)

Second (McGinnis)

MOTION CARRIES (9 YEA, 0 NAY)

8. Reports of Town Manager

A. Town Manager's Report

Town Manager Richard Ledwith presented his report to the Council.

9. Reports of Corporation Counsel

A. Corporation Counsel's Report

NONE

10. Communications

NONE

11. Announcements

A. Announcements

Mayor Cantor and Councilors presented upcoming events and information.

12. Adjournment

A. Adjourn

Without Objection, Motion to Adjourn (Cantor)
MOTION CARRIES (9 YEA, 0 NAY)

The meeting adjourned at 8:45 PM.