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MEETINGS SCHEDULED

FOR THE PERIOD OF AUGUST 31, 2020 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 13, 2020

Monday, August 31, 2020

10:30 AM	Rep. Scanlon Press Conference: Overdose Awareness Day	CAPGRDN	
11:30 AM	Sen. Logan: Demand Zero Press Conference for Opioid Abuse Victims	CAPGRDN	
Tuesday, September 1, 2020			
10:30 AM	Education Committee Informational Hearing (ATTACHMENT)	ZOOM	
Wednesday, September 2, 2020			
10:00 AM	Appropriations Committee, Human Services Committee and Public Health Committee: Potential Legislative Proposals on COVID-19 Related Public Health Issues Listening Session (ATTACHMENT)	ZOOM	
Thursday, September 3, 2020			
10:00 AM	Police Transparency & Accountability Task Force Virtual Listening Session	ZOOM	

6:00 PM	Police Transparency & Accountability Task Force Virtual Listening Session	ZOOM	
	Friday, September 4, 2020		
8:00 AM	Declaration of A Public Health Emergency Committee Meeting	HR2E Committee Members Only CT-N.com Public Viewing	
	Monday, September 7, 2020		
	State Holiday – Building Closed		
Tuesday, September 8, 2020			
10:30 AM	Energy & Technology Committee: LCO No. 3920. AAC Emergency Response by Electric Distribution Companies & Revising the Regulation of Other Public Utilities Listening Session	ZOOM	
	Thursday, September 10, 2020		
9:30 AM	MAPOC: Full Council Meeting via ZOOM	CT-N.com	
10:00 AM	Police Transparency & Accountability Task Force Virtual Listening Session	ZOOM	
6:00 PM	Police Transparency & Accountability Task Force Virtual Listening Session	ZOOM	

ATTACHMENTS

EDUCATION COMMITTEE

Informational Hearing

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2020

The Education Committee will hold a virtual Informational Hearing on Tuesday, September 1, 2020 beginning at 10:30 a.m. and ending no later than 12:30 p.m. via Zoom.

This Informational Hearing will be recorded and broadcast live on CT-N. It will also be available on demand from CT-N.

Please click <u>Connecticut Network</u> to access the informational hearing live stream.

APPROPRIATIONS, HUMAN SERVICES AND PUBLIC HEALTH COMMITTEES

Listening Session Regarding Potential Legislative Proposals on COVID-19 Related Public Health Issues

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2020

The Appropriations, Human Services and Public Health Committees will hold a virtual Listening Session on **Wednesday, September 2, 2020 at 10:00 A.M**. via Zoom. The Listening Session will end no later than 5:00 P.M.

The Committees will receive testimony on potential legislative proposals regarding COVID-19 related issues affecting nursing homes and other public health issues.

Topics to be Discussed:

- Resources and protocols essential to combatting a COVID-19 resurgence in nursing homes
- Communication and visitation policies for care in nursing homes
- Codify select healthcare Executive Orders in statute
- Enable pharmacists to administer COVID-19 vaccination
- Reporting of positive COVID-19 test results between employees and employers
- Funding of nursing homes
- Nursing home staffing levels

People who wish to testify via Zoom must register using the <u>On-line Testimony Registration Form</u>. Registration will <u>CLOSE</u> on Tuesday, September 1 at 12:00 P.M. Speaker order of approved registrants will be posted on the Public Health Committee website. If you do not have internet access, you may provide testimony via telephone. To register to testify by phone, call the Phone Registrant Line – 860-240-0062 – to leave your contact information.

Please email written testimony in Word or PDF format to PHtestimony@cga.ct.gov. Speakers will be strictly limited to 3 minutes of oral testimony. The Committees encourage witnesses to submit a written statement and to condense oral testimony to a summary of that statement.

All submitted testimony, written and spoken, is public information. As such, it may be made available on the Appropriations, Human Services and Public Health Committees' websites and indexed by internet search engines. Please do not include personal information you do not wish to be made public.

This Listening Session will be recorded and broadcast live on CT-N. It will also be available on demand from CT-N. To access the livestream of the virtual Listening Session, please visit CT-N.com.

POLICE TRANSPARENCY & ACCOUNTABILITY TASK FORCE

Listening Session

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2020 – 10:00 AM

The Police Transparency & Accountability Task Force will hold a virtual Listening Session on **Thursday**, **Sept. 3, 2020** at **10:00 A.M. to 12:00 PM** via Zoom. Virtual Listening Sessions will be held every Thursday in September from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM & 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. To access the livestream of the virtual listening sessions, please visit <u>CT-N</u> or <u>Facebook Live</u>.

Please email written testimony to <u>PTATFtestimony@cga.ct.gov</u>. Written testimony is HIGHLY ENCOURAGED.

To participate in one of the upcoming virtual listening sessions: **CLICK HERE TO REGISTER**

POLICE TRANSPARENCY & ACCOUNTABILITY TASK FORCE

Listening Session

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2020 – 6:00 PM

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ENERGY & TECHNOLOGY COMMITTEE

Listening Session Regarding LCO No. 3920

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2020

The Energy & Technology Committee will hold a virtual Listening Session on **Tuesday, September 8, 2020** at **10:30 AM** via Zoom regarding LCO No. 3920. AN ACT CONCERNING EMERGENCY RESPONSE BY ELECTRIC DISTRIBUTION COMPANIES AND REVISING THE REGULATION OF OTHER PUBLIC UTILITIES. The Listening Session will end no later than 8:00 PM. The Committee will receive testimony related to LCO No. 3920. A link to the Draft Bill can be found here.

People who wish to testify via Zoom must register using the On-line Testimony Registration Form. Registration will CLOSE on Monday, September 7th at 12:00 PM. Speaker order of approved registrants will be posted on the Energy and Technology Committee website. If you do not have internet access, you may provide testimony via telephone. To register to testify by phone, call the Phone Registrant Line – 860-240-0430 to leave your contact information. Please email written testimony in Word or PDF format to ETTestimony@cga.ct.gov. Speakers will be strictly limited to 3 minutes of oral testimony. The Committee encourages witnesses to submit a written statement and to condense oral testimony to a summary of that statement.

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This Listening Session will be recorded and broadcast live on CT-N. It will also be available on demand from CT-N.

All registrants must register by Monday, September 7, 2020 by 12:00 PM. Registrations after that deadline may be subject to cancellation.

POLICE TRANSPARENCY & ACCOUNTABILITY TASK FORCE

Listening Session

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 2020 – 10:00 AM

The Police Transparency & Accountability Task Force will hold a virtual Listening Session on **Thursday**, **Sept. 10, 2020** at **10:00 A.M. to 12:00 PM** via Zoom. Virtual Listening Sessions will be held every Thursday in September from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM & 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM. To access the livestream of the virtual listening sessions, please visit <u>CT-N</u> or <u>Facebook Live</u>.

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Public Parking

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Limited parking facilities make it impossible to guarantee parking for members of the public attending meetings and functions at the Capitol and LOB. Parking for the public must be on a space-available basis only.

Public Entry/Exit

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Prohibited Items

According to C.G.S. 2-1e At the State Capitol and Legislative Office Building, possession, other than for law enforcement or official ceremonial purposes, of any firearm, whether loaded or unloaded, or billy club, switchblade, gravity knife, bludgeon, brass knuckles or any other dangerous or deadly weapon or instrument, or any explosive, incendiary or other dangerous device, is illegal and punishable by up to five years in prison and \$5,000.

Use of Personal Electronics

Per Joint Rule 30(c) No person shall use a cellular telephone or similar device (pager) in the Senate Chamber while the Senate is meeting, in the House Chamber while the House is meeting, or in any room or area while a committee is meeting or holding a public hearing. DEVICES MUST BE DEACTIVATED OR HAVE THE ALERT MODE SET TO SILENT.

REVISION #3: 9.2.20 NMS