

## Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)-Board Meeting Minutes

**DATE:** Wed., May 15, 2024

**TIME:** 7:00pm

**LOCATION:** Stamford PD Community Room

Via Microsoft:

**MEETING ATTENDANCE:** The following CERT Board Members attended the meeting via Teams:

**CERT BOARD MEMBERS : (9)** Anne de Jonge, Brittany Dube, Sgt. Kevin Fitzgibbons, Pete Muller, Exec. Dir. Jon Perelstein, Donnalisa Persiani, Barbara Sexton, Jill Tomasello, Steve Urso

**CERT MEMBERS : (35)** Linda Ziac, Gene Conti, Susan Bach, Donnalisa Persiani, Linda Lyons, Patrick Esposito, Richard Gillespie, Marcia Mandi, Karl Sygall, Linda Laken, Anthony Simone, Byron Freeman, Gulam Mohiuddin Kakiwala, Sergio F. Roque, Ricardo Arce, Alvin Maroquin, Lourdes Roque, Rosa D. Coloma, Joe Esposito, Jevera Hennessey, Joseph Collin, Jon Gallup, Bridgenne Mallozi, Patty Boyd, Sarah Boyd, Sherill Stover, Paul Elrich, Keyosha Duncan-Freeman, Lance Vinnick, Bill Catazaro, Sue Halpern, Muffy Munger, Chris Munger, Yessenia Jimenez, Eddie Richards

**ALSO:** Lou DeRubeis and Various SPD and SFD and Health Dept, Officials, as well as the Munger family.

### CHRIS MUNGER AWARD

ITEM#	ITEM NAME	PURPOSE
1.	<b>Call to Order</b>	CERT Executive Director Jon Perelstein called the meeting to order at 7:07pm.
2.	<b>Chris Munger Award</b>	Mayor Simmons was introduced by Lou DeRubeis. DeRubeis thanked CERT for their work. Chris Munger, past Executive Director, has been with CERT for 12 years and is an extremely active member of Toys For Tots, Veterans' and other groups. This evening, he was recognized for his outstanding service to CERT.

**3. Presentation:** In the presence of the Munger Family, Friends and Co-Workers, Chris was awarded the very first **CHRIS MUNGER AWARD**, in his name, which is intended to honor those who embody the very spirit of **CERT**. A heartfelt round of applause and hugs went around for Chris by and from a grateful community.

4. Eddie Richardson made a request for new CERT baseball caps.

5. Adjournment                      Perelstein moved to adjourn the meeting at  
7:31pm. Steve Urso seconded the motion.

Minutes Respectfully submitted by:

Barbara Sexton 7/10/24

CERT Director and Information Officer

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