

# Boards & Commissions

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## **AFFORDABLE HOUSING TRUST FUND BOARD**

The Stamford Affordable Housing Trust Fund (SAHTF) was created by Board of Representatives by Ordinance in November 2020. Its purpose is the preservation of existing and the creation of new affordable rental and home ownership housing in the Stamford, pursuant to the City's Master and Affordable Housing plans.

Where does the Money in the Trust Fund come from? Is it tax dollars?

The money in the Trust Fund is generally NOT taxpayer money. The most important sources are the Commercial Linkage Fees, which is a percentage of the building permit fees for commercial development, and Fee-in-Lieu payments as part of the City's Below Market Rate (BMR) program. The City's BMR program, as established in Section 7.4. of the Stamford Zoning Regulations requires that all new residential development with ten or more units must set aside 10% of the new units as permanently affordable housing units. Under certain circumstances and by Special Permit approval only, developers can make a Fee-in-Lieu payment instead of providing the affordable units on Site.

What does "Affordable" mean?

Housing is considered "affordable" when a household does not spend more than 30% of their income for housing, such as rent, mortgage payments, taxes, or basic utilities. Stamford's BMR program targets households who make less than 80% of the Area Median Income. The Area Median Income is determined annually by the US Department of Housing and Urban Development and adjusted for Household Size.

What are the Pros and Cons of Fee-In-Lieu Payments?

The goal of the BMR program is to create integrated, socio-economically and otherwise diverse neighborhoods. Therefore, there is a strong preference for BMR units to be provided on-site. However, since BMR units get generated only in areas that see a lot of development and they are generally the same unit type as built in a development, BMRs tend to be concentrated in some neighborhoods and tend to be smaller in size. Fee-in-Lieu payments can be used to build affordable housing in other parts of town, produce dwelling units that the market doesn't provide or to target certain affordability levels that seem to be a high need for housing.

What data does the Board of Trustees use to make its decisions?

The Affordable Housing Trust Fund Ordinance requires the preparation of a housing study at least every 5 years to guide the decision-making process of the Board of Trustees.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/affordable-housing-trust-fund-board-of-trustees>

## **Details**

**Contact Name:** Emily Gordon  
**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-5650  
**Term Length:** 5 Years  
**Member Size:** 7

### Current Appointments (6)



**Frances Lane**  
**Start:** Apr 05, 2021 **End:** Dec 01, 2023  
**City of Stamford Email:** FLane@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin  
**Position:** Member of Public



**Rob Roqueta**  
**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A  
**City of Stamford Email:** RRoqueta@StamfordCT.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Ralph Blessing**  
**Start:** Dec 23, 2020 **End:** N/A  
**City of Stamford Email:** rblessing@stamfordct.gov  
**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin  
**Position:** Land Use Bureau Chief  
**Office/Role:** Chair



**David Stein**  
**Start:** Dec 23, 2020 **End:** N/A  
**City of Stamford Email:** dstein@stamfordct.gov  
**Position:** Zoning Board Chair



**Sharona Cowan**  
**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A  
**City of Stamford Email:** scowan@stamfordct.gov  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Laura Burwick**  
**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A  
**City of Stamford Email:** lburwick@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** Member of Public

### Current Vacancies



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** N/A

**Upcoming Vacancies**

No upcoming vacancies

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## ANTI-BLIGHT HEARING COMMITTEE

The Blight Hearing Committee is comprised of the Chairpersons of the Police Commission, the Fire Commission, the Zoning Board, the Health Commission, and the President of the Board of Representatives, or their designees.

It is the responsibility of the Blight Hearing Committee to hear appeals from the Notice of Civil Citation of Blight Notices. The Committee determines the appropriateness of blight citations for violations as of the date of the original notice of blight.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/anti-blight>

### Details

**Member Size: 5**

#### Current Appointments (5)



**Jeffrey Stella**

**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A

**City of Stamford Email:** [jstella@stamfordct.gov](mailto:jstella@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Position:** BOR Designee



**Pat Parry**

**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A

**City of Stamford Email:** [pparry@stamhealth.org](mailto:pparry@stamhealth.org)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** Health Commission Designee



**Rosanne Mcmanus**

**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A

**City of Stamford Email:** [rmcmanus@stamfordct.gov](mailto:rmcmanus@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Republican

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** Zoning Board Chair/Designee



**Michael Fedele**

**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A

**City of Stamford Email:** [mfedele@stamfordct.gov](mailto:mfedele@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Republican

**Position:** Police Commission Chair/Designee



**Geoff Alswanger**

**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A

**City of Stamford Email:** [galswanger@stamfordct.gov](mailto:galswanger@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** Chair of Fire Commission/Designee

**Current Vacancies**

No Current Vacancies

**Upcoming Vacancies**

No upcoming vacancies

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## APPOINTMENTS COMMISSION

The City of Stamford has created the Appointments Commission, which has been charged with facilitating and clarifying the appointments process to City boards and commissions.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/appointments-commission-955>

### Details

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 7

### Current Appointments (3)



**Jeffrey Stella**

**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A

**Replacing:** New Commission

**City of Stamford Email:** [jstella@stamfordct.gov](mailto:jstella@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Position:** BOR Member



**Patrick Sasser**

**Start:** Aug 01, 2022 **End:** Dec 31, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** [psasser@stamfordct.gov](mailto:psasser@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** New Commission

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Jaclyn Pioli**

**Start:** May 30, 2024 **End:** Dec 01, 2027

**Replacing:** New Commission

**City of Stamford Email:** [jpioli@stamfordct.gov](mailto:jpioli@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

### Current Vacancies



**Immediate Vacancy** **Term Ends:** N/A



**Immediate Vacancy** **Term Ends:** N/A



**Immediate Vacancy** **Term Ends:** N/A



**Immediate Vacancy** **Term Ends:** N/A

### Upcoming Vacancies



Patrick Sasser

**Term Ends:** Dec 31, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** psasser@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** New Commission

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

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## ARTS & CULTURE COMMISSION

The City of Stamford has created the Stamford Arts & Culture Commission, which has been charged with stimulating, facilitating, coordinating, and cooperating with Stamford's arts and cultural organizations (as well as individual artists) for the development of the creative, performing and visual arts. It shall serve as an information center and focal point in the city for activities in the arts.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/arts-culture-commission>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Aaron Miller

**Contact Email:** AMiller1@stamfordct.gov

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 9

### Current Appointments (7)



**Abraham Viera**

**Start:** Aug 05, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2026

**City of Stamford Email:** aviera@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Cuscuna

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** Arts Community Member



**Alexandra Siladi**

**Start:** Aug 05, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**Political Party:** Democrat

**City of Stamford Email:** asiladi@StamfordCT.gov

**Replacing:** McIntosh

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** Community Member



**Ellen Gordon**

**Start:** Aug 05, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2026

**City of Stamford Email:** egordon@stamfordct.gov

**Replacing:** Etter

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** Arts Community Member



**Michael E. Moran**

**Start:** Dec 02, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2026

**City of Stamford Email:** mmoran@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** Arts Community Member





**Lynne Colatrella**

**Start:** Dec 02, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2024  
**City of Stamford Email:** lcolatrella@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Replacing:** New Commission  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** Community Member



**Louis Ursone**

**Start:** Jul 05, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2025  
**City of Stamford Email:** lursone@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Replacing:** Reappointment  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** Arts Community Member



**Dennis Collins**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2021    **End:** Dec 01, 2024  
**City of Stamford Email:** dcollins@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Unaffiliated  
**Replacing:** Wattles  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** Community Member

## Current Vacancies



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2025  
**Replacing:** Cooper  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** Arts Community Member



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2025  
**Replacing:** Varamo  
**Position:** Arts Community Member

## Upcoming Vacancies



Lynne Colatrella

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024  
**City of Stamford Email:** lcolatrella@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Replacing:** New Commission  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** Community Member



Dennis Collins

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024  
**City of Stamford Email:** dcollins@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Unaffiliated  
**Replacing:** Wattles

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** Community Member

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## BOARD OF ASSESSMENT APPEALS

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### Board of Assessment Appeals

The Board of Assessment Appeals hearings for motor vehicles on the 2023 Grand List will be conducted in September 2024. Please check back in August 2024 for more information.

The Board of Assessment Appeals is an official municipal agency. It is designed to serve as an appeal body for taxpayers who believe that town or city assessors erred in the valuation of their properties or erroneously denied them exemptions. The Board is composed of persons who have been appointed by the Mayor of Stamford. The Board enables taxpayers to be heard by their peers at no expense. No fees are charged for the appeal process. Furthermore, taxpayers do not have to be represented by counsel.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.

<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/board-of-assessment-appeals>

### Details

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (5)



**George Sessa**

**Start:** Jan 04, 2021    **End:** Dec 01, 2023

**City of Stamford Email:** [gseffa@stamfordct.gov](mailto:gseffa@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Raymond Leyden**

**Start:** Mar 06, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** [rleydon@stamfordct.gov](mailto:rleydon@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Republican

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Jim Fleischer**

**Start:** Feb 06, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** [jfleischer@stamfordct.gov](mailto:jfleischer@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Edward Laux**

**Start:** Feb 06, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**Political Party:** Republican

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Larry F Ginsberg**

**Start:** Aug 03, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**City of Stamford Email:** [lginsberg@stamfordct.gov](mailto:lginsberg@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

## **Current Vacancies**

No Current Vacancies

## **Upcoming Vacancies**



Raymond Leyden

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** rleydon@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

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## BOARD OF ETHICS

The Board of Ethics is a 9-member board (7 Regular & 2 Alternates) appointed by the Mayor and confirmed by the Board of Representatives. The Board has the responsibility of investigating any complaints of violation of the Stamford Code of Ethics by an officer or employee of the City government. Officers include elected and appointed officials. In addition, the Board, when requested, issues Advisory Opinions to officers or employees of the City who seek guidance about their contemplated actions which might be considered a violation of the Code.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/board-of-ethics>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Kimberly Hawreluk  
**Contact Email:** Boardofethics@stamfordct.gov  
**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-4172  
**Term Length:** 3 Years  
**Member Size:** 9

### Current Appointments (9)



**Janibell Comerford**

**Start:** May 06, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2026  
**City of Stamford Email:** jcomerford@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Unaffiliated  
**Replacing:** Springer (R)  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Fred Springer**

**Start:** May 06, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2024  
**City of Stamford Email:** fspringer@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Republican  
**Replacing:** Lang (U)  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Ira Stechel**

**Start:** Jul 05, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2025  
**City of Stamford Email:** istechel@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Republican  
**Replacing:** Morgan  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Vito Quivelli**

**Start:** May 06, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2026  
**City of Stamford Email:** vquivelli@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Republican  
**Replacing:** Smyth (D)

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Laura Indelicati**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2026

**City of Stamford Email:** lindelicati@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Hynes

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Benjamin Folkinshteyn**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2026

**City of Stamford Email:** bfolkinshteyn@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Unaffiliated

**Replacing:** Martelli

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Christine Dzujna**

**Start:** Nov 07, 2018    **End:** Nov 30, 2021

**City of Stamford Email:** cdzujna@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Vandervoort

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Kevin j Quinn**

**Start:** May 06, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** kquinn@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Thomas

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Dennis Torres**

**Start:** May 01, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** dtorres@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Sessa

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

## Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

## Upcoming Vacancies



Fred Springer

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** fspringer@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Lang (U)

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

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## CAMERA REVIEW COMMITTEE

The Public Safety Camera Review Committee ("CRC") is charged with upholding and enforcing Chapter 7 of the City of Stamford Code of Ordinances. The Committee consists of the Mayor or his or her designee, the Director of Public Health & Safety or his or her designee, the President of the Board of Representatives or his or her designee, and two members of the public. The two members of the public shall be appointed by the Mayor and approved by the Board of Representatives.

The Code of Ordinances states that a CCTV Camera or Feed location shall be approved by the CRC by following and applying the Policies and Procedures Manual as established and approved by the Board of Representatives. A link to the Manual can be found using the link on the left.

The CRC meets occasionally as the requests for approvals, and reviews of policies, warrant.

Applications for approved camera sites can be made by the members of the public, elected City representatives, and City of Stamford employees.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.

<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/camera-review-committee>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Kathy Ruther

**Contact Email:** kruther@stamfordct.gov

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (5)



**Paul Waldron**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** pwaldron@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** At-Large



**James Grunberger**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2021    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** jgrunberger@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** BOR President/Designee



**Rodney Bass**

**Start:** N/A    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** rbass@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Unaffiliated

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** Mayor's Designee



**Eva Maldonado**

**Start:** May 01, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** emaldonado@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** At-Large



**Louis Derubeis**

**Start:** Oct 03, 2022    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** lderubeis@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** Director of Public Safety

### **Current Vacancies**

No Current Vacancies

### **Upcoming Vacancies**

No upcoming vacancies



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## CITATION HEARING OFFICERS

### Details

**Term Length:** 2 Years

**Member Size:** 0

### Current Appointments (3)



**Donald Sherer**

**Start:** May 05, 2014    **End:** Dec 01, 2018

**City of Stamford Email:** dsherer@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Christopher Weed**

**Start:** Apr 01, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2027

**City of Stamford Email:** cweed@stamfordct.gov

**Position:** City Employee



**Mark Diamond**

**Start:** Dec 02, 2016    **End:** Dec 01, 2018

**City of Stamford Email:** mdiamond@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

### Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

### Upcoming Vacancies

No upcoming vacancies

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## ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION

Economic Development provides rich business resources for the creation, growth and recruitment of companies, new business, organizations and real estate development in the City; promotes the expansion of existing industry by providing assistance to businesses seeking to improve or expand their scope of business activity in Stamford; promotes retention of existing business by assisting small and large businesses, as well as supporting women, veteran and minority-owned businesses; promotes tourism within the City; is the point of coordination for new businesses considering Stamford and oversees intergovernmental relations and management of the City's federal and State lobbying services.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/economic-development-commission>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Leah Kagan

**Contact Email:** lkagan@stamfordct.gov

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (5)



**Kenny Green**

**Start:** Nov 07, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** kgreen@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Huerta

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Margaret Feeney**

**Start:** Oct 05, 2020    **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**City of Stamford Email:** mfeeney@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Molgano

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Mark Diamond**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2016    **End:** Dec 01, 2018

**City of Stamford Email:** mdiamond@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Pastore

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Stephen Fischer**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2019    **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**City of Stamford Email:** sfischer@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**John J Louizos**

**Start:** Apr 04, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** jlouizos@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Winkel

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

## Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

## Upcoming Vacancies



John J Louizos

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** jlouizos@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Winkel

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

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## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION BOARD

The Environmental Protection Board (EPB) is organized by ordinance as a multi-purpose City agency combining the duties and responsibilities of:

Local Inland Wetlands and Watercourses Agency  
A local Conservation Commission  
A local Flood and Erosion Control Board

The board consists of 5 Regular Members and 3 Alternate Members.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/operations/environmental-protection-board>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Robert Clausi

**Contact Email:** rclausi@stamfordct.gov

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 8

### Current Appointments (7)



**Stephen Schneider**

**Start:** Oct 07, 2019 **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**City of Stamford Email:** sschneider@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Gordon

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Leigh Shemitz**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2022 **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** lshemitz@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Mills

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Laura Tessier**

**Start:** May 01, 2019 **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**City of Stamford Email:** ltessier@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Rosenfeld

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**David Kozlowski**

**Start:** Sep 03, 2019 **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**City of Stamford Email:** dkozlowski@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Tessier

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Joseph Gambino**

**Start:** Sep 08, 2020 **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**City of Stamford Email:** jgambino@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Levine

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Thomas Romas**

**Start:** Sep 03, 2019 **End:** Dec 01, 2020

**City of Stamford Email:** tromas@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Spaulding

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Gary H Stone**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2017 **End:** Dec 01, 2020

**City of Stamford Email:** gstone@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** Chair

## Current Vacancies



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2021

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Ley

## Upcoming Vacancies

No upcoming vacancies

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## FERGUSON LIBRARY TRUSTEES

### Details

**Term Length:** 5 Years

**Member Size:** 10

### Current Appointments (10)



**Susana Vidan**

**Start:** Oct 01, 2020    **End:** Oct 01, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Robert Granata**

**Start:** Oct 01, 2017    **End:** Oct 01, 2022

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Stephanie O'Shea**

**Start:** Sep 18, 2018    **End:** Oct 01, 2023

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Anderson Livingston**

**Start:** Oct 01, 2016    **End:** Oct 01, 2021

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Michael Hyman**

**Start:** Oct 01, 2019    **End:** Oct 01, 2024

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Ellen Bromley**

**Start:** Oct 01, 2020    **End:** Oct 01, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Steven Fredrick**

**Start:** Oct 01, 2019    **End:** Oct 01, 2024

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Sopong Kim**

**Start:** Oct 01, 2017    **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**R.J. Mercede**

**Start:** Aug 11, 2021    **End:** Sep 30, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Polly O'Brien-Morrow**

**Start:** Oct 01, 2018    **End:** Oct 01, 2023

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

## Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

## Upcoming Vacancies



Michael Hyman

**Term Ends:** Oct 01, 2024



**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

Steven Fredrick

**Term Ends:** Oct 01, 2024

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

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## FIRE COMMISSION

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/fire-commission>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Barbara Murphy

**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-4785

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (5)



**Chris Munger**

**Start:** Jan 03, 2022    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** cmunger@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Lodato

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Maria Linares**

**Start:** Feb 06, 2023    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** mlinares@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Hill

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Craig Baker**

**Start:** Jan 03, 2022    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** cbaker@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Unaffiliated

**Replacing:** Holmes

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Geoff Alswanger**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2022    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** galswanger@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Lyons

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Constance Hubbard**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2022    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** chubbard@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Perry

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Current Vacancies**

No Current Vacancies

**Upcoming Vacancies**

No upcoming vacancies

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## GOLF COMMISSION (E. GAYNOR BRENNAN)

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.

<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/golf-commission-e-gaynor-brennan>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Hidalgo Nagashima

**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-5694

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (3)



**Robert Judge**

**Start:** Nov 06, 2019 **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**City of Stamford Email:** [rjudge@stamfordct.gov](mailto:rjudge@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Lindstrom

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** Chair



**Michael Briscoe**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2020 **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**City of Stamford Email:** [mbriscoe@stamfordct.gov](mailto:mbriscoe@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Graziosi

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Kenneth Considine**

**Start:** Aug 05, 2024 **End:** Dec 01, 2026

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Brantner

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

### Current Vacancies



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2021

**Political Party:** Unaffiliated

**Replacing:** Vera



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2022

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Tedesco

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

## **Upcoming Vacancies**

No upcoming vacancies

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## HARBOR MANAGEMENT COMMISSION

The Stamford Harbor Management Commission regulates and monitors waterfront development, encourages the retention of waterfront industries recreational uses in all parts of Stamford Harbor.

The commission consists of 7 Regular Members and 2 Alternate Members. Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information. <https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/harbor-management-commission>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Maria Vazquez-Gonclaves

**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-5087

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 9

### Current Appointments (9)



**Russ Hollander**

**Start:** Nov 08, 2018 **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**City of Stamford Email:** rhollander@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Loeb

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Damian Ortelli**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2015 **End:** Aug 02, 2018

**City of Stamford Email:** dortelli@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Bartley

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** Chair



**William Malloy**

**Start:** Aug 03, 2020 **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**City of Stamford Email:** wmalloy@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Bernadino

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** Ponus Yacht Club



**Robert Karp**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2020 **End:** Dec 01, 2023

**City of Stamford Email:** rkarp@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Sobel

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** At-Large



**John Coff**

**Start:** Jan 20, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2026  
**City of Stamford Email:** jcoff@stamfordct.gov  
**Replacing:** Abernathy  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Paul Adelberg**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2019    **End:** Dec 01, 2022  
**City of Stamford Email:** padelberg@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Replacing:** Reappointment  
**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin  
**Position:** Halloween Yacht Club



**Josef Graham**

**Start:** Aug 02, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2024  
**City of Stamford Email:** jgraham@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Replacing:** Redniss  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** Environmentalist



**Michael Pensiero**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2020    **End:** Dec 01, 2021  
**City of Stamford Email:** mpensiero@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Unaffiliated  
**Replacing:** Strada  
**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin  
**Position:** At-Large  
**Office/Role:** Secretary



**Yale Greenman**

**Start:** N/A    **End:** N/A  
**City of Stamford Email:** harbormaster@stamfordct.gov  
**Appointing Authority:** Governor Ned Lamont  
**Position:** Harbor Master

**Current Vacancies**



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 02, 2023  
**Replacing:** Saunders  
**Political Party:** Unaffiliated  
**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin  
**Position:** ALTERNATE

**Upcoming Vacancies**



Josef Graham  
**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** jgraham@stamfordct.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Replacing:** Redniss  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** Environmentalist

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## HEALTH COMMISSION

The Health Commission is a five-member Board appointed by the mayor and approved by the Board of Representatives. Their function is to assist the Health Director in formulating health policies for the City. They are also able to look into new policies and avenues of service for the Health Department as well as hear and act on appeals of decisions made by the Health Department. Their terms run 3 years after which they need to be reappointed by the Mayor.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/health-commission>

### Details

**Contact Email:** Healthcommission@stamfordct.gov

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (5)



**Lorraine Olson**

**Start:** Dec 02, 2021    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** lolson@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Cobb

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Thomas Getreuer**

**Start:** Mar 06, 2017    **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**City of Stamford Email:** tgetreuer@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Ballin

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Tabitha Fortt**

**Start:** Jan 04, 2021    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Decker

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Douglas York**

**Start:** Apr 03, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Parry

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Marc Peyser**

**Start:** Apr 03, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** mpeyser@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Unaffiliated

**Replacing:** Trinh

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

## Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

## Upcoming Vacancies



Lorraine Olson

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** lolson@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Cobb



**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

Tabitha Fortt

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Decker

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



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## HISTORIC PRESERVATION ADVISORY COMMISSION

The Historic Preservation Advisory Commission (HPAC) was established in 2013 after an amendment of the City's Charter.

The duties of HPAC are to:

- Advise officials, boards, commissions and departments of the City of Stamford regarding the protection of local cultural resources;
  - Recommend properties and sites for the designation of historic districts or landmarks;
  - Liaise on behalf of City of Stamford with individuals and organizations concerned with historic preservation;
  - Advise on the design of structures, improvements and cultural resources in the city's historic districts, as well as those adjacent to historical properties.
  - Catalogue the cultural resources in Stamford;
  - Educate Stamford residents about historic preservation issues and concerns.
- The commission shall consist of 5 Regular Members and 3 Alternate Members.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/historic-preservation-advisory-commission>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Ralph G. Blessing

**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-4714

**Term Length:** 5 Years

**Member Size:** 8

### Current Appointments (4)



**Rebecca Shannonhouse**

**Start:** Jan 06, 2020    **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**City of Stamford Email:** RShannonhouse@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Drobbin

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**David Woods**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2018    **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**City of Stamford Email:** dwoods@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Unaffiliated

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** Chair



**Elena Kalman**

**Start:** Jan 06, 2020    **End:** Dec 01, 2023

**City of Stamford Email:** ekalman@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Republican



**Barry Hersh**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2019    **End:** Dec 01, 2022  
**City of Stamford Email:** dhersh@StamfordCT.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

## Current Vacancies



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 02, 2027  
**Replacing:** Goslin  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**City of Stamford Email:** doberwetter@StamfordCT.gov



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 02, 2028  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 02, 2024  
**Political Party:** Democrat



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 02, 2023  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**City of Stamford Email:** RShannonhouse@StamfordCT.gov  
**Position:** ALTERNATE

## Upcoming Vacancies

No upcoming vacancies

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## HOUSING AUTHORITY - CHARTER OAK COMMUNITIES

### Details

**Term Length:** 5 Years

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (5)



**Richard Ostuw**

**Start:** Nov 30, 2020    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Lester McCoy**

**Start:** Jul 16, 2019    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**John Coff**

**Start:** Jan 20, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2027

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Sheila Brown Williams**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2014    **End:** Feb 01, 2019

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Bianca Shinn-Desra**

**Start:** Aug 12, 2021    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

### Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

### Upcoming Vacancies



Lester McCoy

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

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## MAYOR'S CABINET

### Details

**Member Size: 7**

#### Current Appointments (7)



**Leah Kagan**

**Start:** N/A **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Bridget Fox**

**Start:** N/A **End:** Nov 30, 2025



**Ben Barnes**

**Start:** N/A **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Matt Quinones**

**Start:** N/A **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Louis Derubeis**

**Start:** N/A **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Thomas Cassone**

**Start:** N/A **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Carmen Hughes**

**Start:** N/A **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

#### Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

#### Upcoming Vacancies

No upcoming vacancies

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## PARKING VIOLATIONS HEARING OFFICERS

The Parking Violations Hearing Board is responsible for reviewing and parking ticket appeals made by residents. Appeals are held in the sixth-floor training room at 5:00 p.m.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/parking-violations-hearing-board>

### Details

**Term Length:** 2 Years

**Member Size:** 2

### Current Appointments (5)



**Alan Sosnowitz**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2012    **End:** Dec 01, 2014

**City of Stamford Email:** [asosnowitz@StamfordCT.gov](mailto:asosnowitz@StamfordCT.gov)

**Political Party:** Unaffiliated

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Salvatore Ladestro**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2014    **End:** Dec 01, 2016

**City of Stamford Email:** [sladestro@StamfordCT.gov](mailto:sladestro@StamfordCT.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Robert King**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2018    **End:** Dec 01, 2020

**City of Stamford Email:** [rking@StamfordCT.gov](mailto:rking@StamfordCT.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Lori Legierse**

**Start:** Apr 05, 2021    **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**City of Stamford Email:** [llegierse@StamfordCT.gov](mailto:llegierse@StamfordCT.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**George Christiansen**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2015    **End:** Dec 01, 2017

**City of Stamford Email:** [gchristiansen@StamfordCT.gov](mailto:gchristiansen@StamfordCT.gov)

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Current Vacancies**

No Current Vacancies

**Upcoming Vacancies**

No upcoming vacancies

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## PARKS AND RECREATION COMMISSION

The Parks & Recreation Commission's objective is to oversee the policies and procedures for the administration and management of parks and programs in the City of Stamford. In addition, they oversee the care and maintenance of parks and advocate for the preservation and expansion of green space and natural resources within the City.

The Commission meets monthly on the third Wednesday of the month and welcomes public feedback at their meetings.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/parks-and-recreation-commission>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Kevin Murray

**Contact Email:** kmurray@stamfordCT.gov

**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-4606

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (5)



**Michael Tedder**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2021    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** mtedder@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Andreana

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Benjamin Pomerantz**

**Start:** Apr 01, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** bpomerantz@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Katz

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Paul Newman**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** mnewman@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Ruijter

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Melanie Hollas**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** mhollas@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Winston

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Angela Adetola**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2026

**City of Stamford Email:** aadetola@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Unaffiliated

**Replacing:** Brown

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

## Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

## Upcoming Vacancies



Michael Tedder

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** mtedder@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Andreana

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



Benjamin Pomerantz

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** bpomerantz@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Katz

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



Melanie Hollas

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** mhollas@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Winston

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



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## PATRIOTIC AND SPECIAL EVENTS COMMISSION

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/patriotic-special-events>

### Details

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (4)



**Sulabh Mehta**

**Start:** Jul 26, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2026  
**City of Stamford Email:** smehta@StamfordCT.gov  
**Political Party:** Unaffiliated  
**Replacing:** Shellman  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** Veteran



**Hubert Delaney**

**Start:** Apr 04, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2024  
**City of Stamford Email:** hdelaney@StamfordCT.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Replacing:** Carpanzano  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** Veteran



**Constance Degruttola**

**Start:** May 06, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2024  
**City of Stamford Email:** cdegruttola@StamfordCT.gov  
**Political Party:** Republican  
**Replacing:** Cook  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Joseph Gonzalez**

**Start:** Feb 20, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2027  
**City of Stamford Email:** jgonzalez@StamfordCT.gov  
**Political Party:** Republican  
**Replacing:** Colavito  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

### Current Vacancies



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2020  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Replacing:** Kaplan

## Upcoming Vacancies



Hubert Delaney

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** hdelaney@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Carpanzano

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Position:** Veteran

Constance Degruttola

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** cdegruttola@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Cook

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

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## PERSONNEL COMMISSION

The Personnel Commission consist of five members to serve overlapping terms of three years, to be appointed by the Mayor and approved by the Board of Representatives on accordance with the provisions of the City Charter. The organization, authority and duties of the Personnel Commission are established by Section C6-140-1 through Section C6-140-12 of the City Charter.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/personnel-commission>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Beatriz Nieves

**Contact Email:** BNieves@StamfordCT.gov

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (4)



**Marc Teichman**

**Start:** Mar 07, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2023

**City of Stamford Email:** mteichman@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Jaclyn Williams**

**Start:** Mar 07, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2023

**City of Stamford Email:** jwilliams@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Nanos

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Eilish Main**

**Start:** May 01, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** emain@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Oliver

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Lynn Arnow**

**Start:** Aug 01, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** larnow@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Adamson

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

### Current Vacancies



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2022  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Replacing:** Weinberg

### **Upcoming Vacancies**

No upcoming vacancies

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## PLANNING BOARD

Who are we?

The Planning Board prepares the City's Master Plan and drafts the Capital Budget. It consists of five voting members and up to three alternates, all of whom are appointed by the Mayor. Members serve for four years in staggered terms. All members of the City's Planning Board are volunteers, and meet on average twice a month.

What do we do?

The Planning Board is responsible for planning and coordinating the development of the City. The Board has two main tools to plan for the City's future. The Master Plan is a vision, policy and implementation plan that guides the City forward. Based on the analysis of existing conditions and anticipated needs, it is a comprehensive plan that addresses economic development, transportation and mobility sustainability and other issues.

The second tool the Planning Board has available is the Capital Budget . The Capital Budget lays out the City's investments in streets, schools, parks and other infrastructure and facilities. The Planning Board drafts the Capital Budget which is then reviewed and approved by the Mayor, the Board of Finance and the Board of Representatives. Other responsibilities include maintaining the City's official map, review of subdivision applications, etc.

Who do we work with?

The Land Use Bureau provides technical support to the Planning Board. Developers and homeowners come to the Board for subdivision approvals. For the Master Plan, the Board reaches out to the public for their input. As part of the Capital Budget, the Board works with virtually all City agencies and many of the other Boards.

The board shall consist of 5 Regular Members and 3 Alternate Members.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/planning-board>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Lindsey Cohen

**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-4388

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 8

### Current Appointments (6)



**William Levin**

**Start:** Jul 08, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** [wlevin@StamfordCT.gov](mailto:wlevin@StamfordCT.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Jennifer Godzeno**

**Start:** Jan 04, 2016    **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**City of Stamford Email:** jgodzeno@StamfordCT.gov  
**Political Party:** Working Families Party  
**Replacing:** Quick  
**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin  
**Office/Role:** Secretary



**Prasad Tungaturthy**  
**Start:** Jul 08, 2024 **End:** Dec 01, 2025  
**City of Stamford Email:** ptunga@StamfordCT.gov  
**Political Party:** Republican  
**Replacing:** Totilo (R)  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Chester Salit**  
**Start:** Jul 08, 2024 **End:** Dec 01, 2026  
**City of Stamford Email:** csalit@StamfordCT.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Replacing:** Perry  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Subramanian Ravi**  
**Start:** Jul 08, 2024 **End:** Dec 01, 2026  
**City of Stamford Email:** sravi@StamfordCT.gov  
**Political Party:** Unaffiliated  
**Replacing:** Dell (R)  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Jay Tepper**  
**Start:** Jul 08, 2024 **End:** Dec 01, 2026  
**City of Stamford Email:** jtepper@StamfordCT.gov  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**Replacing:** Reappointment  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

## Current Vacancies



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 02, 2022  
**Political Party:** Democrat  
**City of Stamford Email:** mbuccino@StamfordCT.gov  
**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** N/A

## Upcoming Vacancies

No upcoming vacancies

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## POLICE COMMISSION

Meetings are generally held on the first Monday of each month, held at Police Headquarters in the Community Room and begin at 5:00pm.

The Stamford Police Department will accept complaints against employees in writing, verbal, in person, by mail, by telephone, by facsimile, electronic, or anonymous. Our address is 725 Bedford Street, Stamford, CT, 06901. The phone number to the Internal Affairs Unit is (203) 977-4777. The most efficient way to file a complaint is through the Stamford Police Department website, [www.stamfordct.gov/police](http://www.stamfordct.gov/police), once on the site view "Quick Links" and open a "Citizen Complaint Form".

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/police-commission>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Faye Kay

**Contact Email:** [policecommission@stamfordct.gov](mailto:policecommission@stamfordct.gov)

**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-5344

**Term Length:** 4 Years

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (5)



**Erik Findeisen**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2022    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** [efindeisen@StamfordCT.gov](mailto:efindeisen@StamfordCT.gov)

**Political Party:** Republican

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Michael Fedele**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2022    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** [mfedele@stamfordct.gov](mailto:mfedele@stamfordct.gov)

**Political Party:** Republican

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Rodney Bass**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2022    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** [rbass@StamfordCT.gov](mailto:rbass@StamfordCT.gov)

**Political Party:** Unaffiliated

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Dorye Jackson**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2022    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** [djackson@StamfordCT.gov](mailto:djackson@StamfordCT.gov)

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Roberto Aveiro**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2022    **End:** Nov 30, 2025  
**City of Stamford Email:** raveiro@StamfordCT.gov  
**Political Party:** Unaffiliated  
**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

### **Current Vacancies**

No Current Vacancies

### **Upcoming Vacancies**

No upcoming vacancies



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## SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

The functions of the School Building Committee are set forth in Connecticut General Statutes (CGS) and State Board of Education Regulations (SBER). CGS 10-291 requires that plans for all state funded school building projects must be approved by the building committee of such town. SBER section 10-287c-21 requires that the school building committee approve final plans and cost estimates for school projects and the sites of such projects.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.

<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/school-building-committee>

### Details

**Member Size: 8**

#### Current Appointments (8)



**Mary Lou Rinaldi**

**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Office/Role:** BOF Designee



**Shawn Reed**

**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A

**Office/Role:** Chief Building Inspector



**Nancy Ormsby-Flynn**

**Start:** Aug 04, 2014 **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Office/Role:** Licensed Architect



**Andy George**

**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A

**Appointing Authority:** Board of Education

**Office/Role:** BOE Designee



**Jeff Curtis**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2021 **End:** N/A

**Appointing Authority:** President Jeff Curtis

**Office/Role:** BOR President



**Ralph Blessing**

**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Office/Role:** Planning Board Chair/Designee



**Matt Quinones**

**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A

**Office/Role:** Director of Operations



**Lou Casolo**

**Start:** N/A **End:** N/A

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons  
**Office/Role:** City Engineer

**Current Vacancies**

No Current Vacancies

**Upcoming Vacancies**

No upcoming vacancies

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## SOCIAL SERVICES COMMISSION

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<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/social-services-commission>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Sharona Cowan

**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-4051

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (5)



**Caroline Temlock Teichman**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2018    **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**City of Stamford Email:** cteichman@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Kolenberg

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Ellen Petersen**

**Start:** Jul 01, 2019    **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**City of Stamford Email:** epetersen@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Aponte

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Kathleen Lombardo**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2021    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** klombardo@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Flannery

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Linda Gornitsky**

**Start:** May 01, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** lgornitsky@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Ospina

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Renai Y Strother**

**Start:** Sep 09, 2020    **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**City of Stamford Email:** rstrother@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Independent

**Replacing:** Jackson

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

## Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

## Upcoming Vacancies



Kathleen Lombardo

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** klombardo@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Flannery

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

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## STAMFORD GOLF AUTHORITY (STERLING FARMS GC)

The Stamford Golf Authority is a nine-member Board set up by the City of Stamford to operate the Sterling Farms Golf Facility located on Newfield Avenue in Stamford. Sterling Farms has an 18-hole Municipal Golf Course, 44 Bay Golf Driving Range, 6 Tennis Courts, 2 restaurants and hosts live theater productions at the Curtain Call Theater. The facility is open, 12 months, weather permitting.

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<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/stamford-golf-authority>

### Details

**Member Size: 9**

#### Current Appointments (9)



**Duffy Sasser**

**Start:** Dec 05, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Swatland

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Matthew Stendardi**

**Start:** Jan 02, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2026

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Friedman

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Tracy Sachs-Lavery**

**Start:** Dec 04, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Anderson

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Michael Miller**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2022    **End:** Jan 01, 2025

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Patricia McGrath**

**Start:** Jun 02, 2014    **End:** Dec 01, 2016

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Plotnick

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Alexander Lionetti**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2019    **End:** Dec 31, 2021

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Jesse Baker**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2020    **End:** Dec 31, 2023

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Kapiloff

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Carlton Thompson**

**Start:** Jan 02, 2024    **End:** Dec 01, 2026

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Malloy

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**John Masi**

**Start:** Nov 06, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Tarzia

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

## Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

## Upcoming Vacancies



Tracy Sachs-Lavery

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Anderson

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



Michael Miller

**Term Ends:** Jan 01, 2025

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

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## TRANSIT DISTRICT

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### Details

**Contact Name:** Maria Vazquez-Goncalves

**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-5087

**Term Length:** 4 Years

**Member Size:** 4

### Current Appointments (4)



**Andrew Krill**

**Start:** Apr 07, 2014    **End:** Dec 01, 2016

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Ryan

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Jon Gallup**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2017    **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Matt Quinones**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2021    **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** McGrath

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Office/Role:** Director of Operations



**Robert Figueroa**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2017    **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Liberatore

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

### Current Vacancies



**Immediate Vacancy**    **Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2015

### Upcoming Vacancies

No upcoming vacancies

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## **URBAN REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION**

The Urban Redevelopment Commission is an agency created by the City of Stamford in 1954 that handles municipal development projects.

Members are appointed by the Mayor with the approval of the Board of Representatives for a five-year term. The powers and authorities of the Commission are conferred by the State and are described in the General Statutes.

The URC is authorized to prepare and/or approve plans for urban redevelopment and urban renewal projects, as well as certain other projects. Those plans must be approved by several City Boards, and ultimately by the Board of Finance and the Board of Representatives in order to become effective. The URC is designated as the Development Agency for the City of Stamford.

Generally, the URC serves as primary City entity for eminent domain matters. It has functioned on behalf of Stamford in its development of the downtown Central Business District (CBD) also known as the Downtown Special Services District (DSSD) as well as in the acquisition of properties for the Mill River Park Collaborative. Additionally, the URC has been instrumental in the preparation and use of Tax Incremental Financing (TIFs), on a limited basis, for the City of Stamford.

The URC serve as the municipal conduit in developing the Park Square West area in Stamford. This zone has seen the construction, and occupancy of several residential and commercial improvements. Moreover, the URC was the lead City Agency in the process that has building taking place at the former Hole in the Ground at Greyrock and Tresser Boulevard.

In February 2017, the Mayor and City Board of Representatives voted to place the URC into the Office of Economic Development for the City of Stamford. The URC continues its functions with the supplementary mandate of working to further enhance economic as well as community development on behalf of Stamford residents.

### **Mission Statement**

The Stamford Urban Redevelopment Commission provides the critical leadership for the continuing innovative revitalization of the City.

Working in collaboration with the community, the Commission focuses on rehabilitating blighted areas; balancing population density and socio-economic diversity; promoting convenient affordable housing; enhancing pedestrian presence; improving the availability of suitable parking; expanding the job and tax base; and ensuring the attractiveness of buildings, open areas and urban infrastructure.

The successful result of the Commission's activities will enhance the appeal of the City as a dynamic community in which to live work and shop.

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<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/stamford-transit-district>

### **Details**

**Contact Name:** Theresa Bowen

**Contact Phone:** (203) 595-5381



**Term Length:** 5 Years

**Member Size:** 5

### Current Appointments (5)



**Mara Siladi**

**Start:** Aug 01, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** msiladi@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Conclin

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Fran Pastore**

**Start:** Oct 03, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** fpastore@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Winkel

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Kenny Green**

**Start:** Nov 07, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**City of Stamford Email:** kgreen@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Diamond

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**Richard Evanko**

**Start:** Sep 08, 2020    **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**City of Stamford Email:** revanko@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Sciaretta

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Stephen Fischer**

**Start:** Apr 06, 2020    **End:** Dec 01, 2022

**City of Stamford Email:** sfischer@stamfordct.gov

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

### Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

### Upcoming Vacancies



Mara Siladi

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** msiladi@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat



**Replacing:** Condlin

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

Fran Pastore

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**City of Stamford Email:** fpastore@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Winkel

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

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## WATER POLLUTION CONTROL AUTHORITY

The WPCA Board of Directors includes the City of Stamford Director of Administration, the City of Stamford Director of Operations, Chairman of the City of Stamford Board of Finance (or his/her designee from the Board of Finance), the President of the City of Stamford Board of Representatives (or his/her designee from the Board of Representatives), and five at-large members appointed by the mayor and approved by the Board of Representatives. At least one of the at-large members must be an accountant or financial manager and at least one must be an engineer. City officials who become members of the WPCA Board of Directors shall retain this responsibility throughout their tenures in their non-WPCA positions as City officials. At-large members shall be appointed for three years.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/wpca-board>

### Details

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 9

### Current Appointments (7)



**Amiel Goldberg**

**Start:** N/A **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**Replacing:** DiCostanzo

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Office/Role:** BOR Designee



**Richard Freeman**

**Start:** N/A **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**Replacing:** Mannis

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Board of Representatives

**Office/Role:** BOF Designee



**Steven Bagwin**

**Start:** Nov 04, 2020 **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Capano

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** At-Large



**Matt Quinones**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2021 **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Office/Role:** Director of Operations



**Ben Barnes**

**Start:** N/A **End:** Nov 30, 2025

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Office/Role:** Director of Administration



**Edward J. Kelly**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2018    **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** At-Large



**Robert Barocas**

**Start:** Dec 03, 2018    **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Huppert

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** At-Large

## Current Vacancies



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 02, 2025

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

**Position:** Engineer



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** N/A

## Upcoming Vacancies

No upcoming vacancies

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## ZONING BOARD

Who are we?

The Zoning Board plays a critical role in shaping the city. It regulates the height, bulk and uses of property based on Stamford's Zoning Regulations and the city's Zoning Map. The Zoning Board is appointed by the Mayor and comprises of five regular members and three alternate members. The Zoning Board members are volunteers and are listed below.

What do we do?

The Zoning Board reviews applications for changes to the Zoning Map, Zoning Text, Special Exceptions, Site and Architectural Plans and Coastal Site Plans. The board conducts public hearings and administrative review of applications based on rules defined in the City Charter. The meetings are held in the cafeteria, 4th floor of the Government Center.

Who do we work with?

The Zoning Board is advised by the Land Use Bureau planning staff on the various applications. Depending on the nature of the application, the board receives referral comments on the applications from various City departments, Commissions and agencies including the Zoning Enforcement Officer, Fire Marshall, Department of Health, Engineering Bureau, Transportation Bureau, Harbor Management Commission, Historic Preservation Advisory Committee, Office of Long Island Sound, Harbor Management Commission, Western Connecticut Council of Government, Board of Representatives and neighboring towns. The Zoning Board consults with the City's Corporation Counsel on applications.

When should you talk to us?

You should contact the Land Use Bureau staff if you are interested in submitting an application to the Zoning Board for approval of a Site and Architectural Plan, Special Exception, Coastal Site Plan review or administrative review of a prior approval. You are encouraged to schedule a pre-application meeting where the Land Use Bureau staff who can provide guidance regarding the application requirements and the application review process.

The public is encouraged to participate in the review of applications during the public hearings conducted by the Zoning Board. View the schedule of Zoning Board meetings.

Visit the City of Stamford website for minutes, agendas, and more information.  
<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/zoning-board>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Courtney Fahan

**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-4719

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 8

### Current Appointments (5)



**Racquel Smith-Anderson**

**Start:** Nov 07, 2022    **End:** Dec 01, 2024

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Rosenfeld

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Rosanne Mcmanus**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2016 **End:** Dec 01, 2018

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Consentini

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Gerry Bosak**

**Start:** Dec 05, 2022 **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Quick/Vacancy

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons



**William Morris**

**Start:** Mar 03, 2014 **End:** Dec 01, 2019

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**David Stein**

**Start:** Jul 07, 2014 **End:** Dec 01, 2017

**City of Stamford Email:** dstein@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Parson

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

## Current Vacancies



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** Dec 02, 2026

**Political Party:** N/A

**Replacing:** Simmons

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** N/A

**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Immediate Vacancy Term Ends:** N/A

## Upcoming Vacancies



Racquel Smith-Anderson

**Term Ends:** Dec 01, 2024

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Rosenfeld

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** ALTERNATE

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## ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

The primary function of the Zoning Board of Appeals is to consider variances of the zoning regulations where there is an unusual hardship with the land.

The board shall consist of 5 Regular Members and 3 Alternate Members.

Uses of property permitted under the zoning regulations but subject to the approval of the Board are considered under the heading of special exception. The Board also rules on appeals from the decisions of the Zoning Enforcement Officer. Whenever a variance or special exception application concerns property in the Coastal Area Management Area, the Board conducts a preliminary coastal site plan review on the matter. The Board also considers motor vehicle certificates of approval for dealer and repairer licenses and retail gasoline station permits. Zoning Board of Appeals decisions may be appealed to the Superior Court.

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<https://www.stamfordct.gov/government/boards-commissions/zoning-board-of-appeals>

### Details

**Contact Name:** Mary Judge

**Contact Phone:** (203) 977-5704

**Term Length:** 3 Years

**Member Size:** 8

### Current Appointments (8)



**John Sedlak**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2018    **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Joseph Pigott**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2019    **End:** Dec 01, 2023

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Gilmore

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Ernie Matarasso**

**Start:** Aug 07, 2017    **End:** Dec 01, 2019

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Lauren Jacobson**

**Start:** Mar 01, 2021    **End:** Dec 01, 2023

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Savage

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Jeremiah Hourihan**

**Start:** Jul 06, 2021    **End:** Dec 01, 2021

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Jacobson

**Position:** ALTERNATE



**Claire Friedlander**

**Start:** Dec 01, 2013    **End:** Dec 01, 2016

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Matthew Tripolitsiotis**

**Start:** Mar 01, 2021    **End:** Dec 01, 2023

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Vacant

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

**Position:** ALTERNATE



**George Dallas**

**Start:** May 01, 2023    **End:** Dec 01, 2025

**Political Party:** Republican

**Replacing:** Antonelli

**Appointing Authority:** Caroline Simmons

## Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

## Upcoming Vacancies

No upcoming vacancies



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## ZONING CITATION OFFICER

### Details

**Member Size: 3**

### Current Appointments (3)



**Dan Trapp**

**Start:** Jun 04, 2018    **End:** N/A

**City of Stamford Email:** dtrapp@StamfordCT.gov

**Replacing:** New Commission

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Frank Fedeli**

**Start:** Feb 03, 2020    **End:** Jun 30, 2021

**City of Stamford Email:** ffedeli@StamfordCT.gov

**Political Party:** Democrat

**Replacing:** Reappointment

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin



**Frank Conti**

**Start:** Jun 04, 2018    **End:** Jun 30, 2021

**City of Stamford Email:** fconti@StamfordCT.gov

**Replacing:** New Commission

**Appointing Authority:** David R. Martin

### Current Vacancies

No Current Vacancies

### Upcoming Vacancies

No upcoming vacancies