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Meeting Agenda

Tuesday, May 27, 2025

7:00 PM

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**Board of Alders Chamber - 165 Church Street, New Haven - 2nd
Floor**

Board of Alders

Attendance:(28-2) Present Alders (28): (Flores, Douglass, Hubbard, E. Rodriguez, Singh, C. Rodriguez, Sabin, Cupo, C. Smith, Festa, Morant, Ferraro-Santana, Miller, Redente, Crespo, Punzo, DeCola, Edwards, Mabery-Niblack, Streater, Morrison, Walker-Myers, Hamilton, Marchand, Marx, Furlow, Hogan, and Wingate,). Absent-Alders (2): (Murphy H. Smith).

Divine Guidance: (Alder Streater).

Special Presentation: (Alder Streater and Alder Hogan).

Approval of the Journal of May 19, 2025, Board of Alders Meeting. (Approved).

SECOND READINGS

Finance. Favorable.

a. Appropriating Ordinance #1, an Ordinance Making Appropriations for Operating City of New Haven Departments for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026. (Enacted by Roll Call Vote 26-2) (Voting Yes: (26) Alders: Flores, Douglass, Hubbard, E. Rodriguez, Singh, C. Rodriguez, Sabin, Cupo, C. Smith, Festa, Morant, Ferraro-Santana, Crespo, Punzo, DeCola, Edwards, Mabery-Niblack, Streater, Morrison, Walker-Myers, Hamilton, Marchand, Marx, Furlow, Hogan, and Wingate,). (Voting No: (2)Alders: Miller, Redente) (Absent Alders: Murphy and H.Smith).

b. Tax Levy and Revenue Appropriating Ordinance #2 An Ordinance making Tax Levy and Revenue assumptions for the Fiscal Year July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026. (Enacted by Roll Call Vote 28-0) (Voting Yes: (26) Alders: Flores, Douglass, Hubbard, E. Rodriguez, Singh, C. Rodriguez, Sabin, Cupo, C. Smith, Festa, Morant, Ferraro-Santana, Miller, Redente, Crespo, Punzo, DeCola, Edwards, Mabery-Niblack, Streater, Morrison, Walker-Myers, Hamilton, Marchand, Marx, Furlow, Hogan, and Wingate,). (Voting No: (0)) (Absent Alders: Murphy and H.Smith).

c. Appropriating Ordinance #3: An Ordinance Authorizing the Issuance of General Obligation Bonds, Fiscal Year 2025-2026. (Enacted by Roll Call Vote 28-0) (Voting Yes: (26) Alders: Flores, Douglass, Hubbard, E. Rodriguez, Singh, C. Rodriguez, Sabin, Cupo, C. Smith, Festa, Morant, Ferraro-Santana, Miller, Redente, Crespo, Punzo, DeCola, Edwards, Mabery-Niblack, Streater, Morrison, Walker-Myers, Hamilton, Marchand, Marx, Furlow, Hogan, and Wingate,). (Voting No: (0)) (Absent Alders: Murphy and H.Smith).

d. Appropriating Ordinance #4: An Ordinance Authorizing Issuance of General Obligation Tax Anticipation Notes and/or General Obligation Grant Anticipation Notes, Fiscal Year 2026. (Enacted by Roll Call Vote 28-0) (Voting Yes: (26) Alders: Flores, Douglass, Hubbard, E. Rodriguez, Singh, C. Rodriguez, Sabin, Cupo, C. Smith, Festa, Morant, Ferraro-Santana, Miller, Redente, Crespo, Punzo, DeCola, Edwards, Mabery-Niblack, Streater, Morrison, Walker-Myers, Hamilton, Marchand, Marx, Furlow, Hogan, and Wingate,). (Voting No: (0)) (Absent Alders: Murphy and H.Smith).

- e. Ordinance Amendment Section 17-201 of the General Code of Ordinances authorizing additions and changes in permits, licenses, and user fees for the Fiscal Year 2025-2026. (Enacted by Roll Call Vote 28-0) (Voting Yes: (26) Alders: Flores, Douglass, Hubbard, E. Rodriguez, Singh, C. Rodriguez, Sabin, Cupo, C. Smith, Festa, Morant, Ferraro-Santana, Miller, Redente, Crespo, Punzo, DeCola, Edwards, Mabery-Niblack, Streater, Morrison, Walker-Myers, Hamilton, Marchand, Marx, Furlow, Hogan, and Wingate,). (Voting No: (0)) (Absent Alders: Murphy and H.Smith).
- f. Order of the New Haven Board of Alders reallocating three million nine hundred thousand and zero cents (\$3,900,000) from previously approved American Rescue Plan projects for the purpose of supplementing funding for eligible American Rescue Plan Projects and General Fund Fiscal Year 2025-2026 budget line items. (Order Passed).
- g. Order approving the 2025-26 Alling Memorial Golf Course Enterprise Fund Budget. (Order Passed).
- h. Order approving the 2025-26 Ralph Walker Skating Rink Enterprise Fund Budget. (Order Passed).
- i. Order approving the 2025-26 East Rock Park Communications Tower Enterprise Fund budget. (Order Passed).
- j. Order approving the 2025-26 Lighthouse Park Carousel Enterprise Fund Budget. (Order Passed).
- k. Order imposing a levy as municipal tax levy in the Chapel West Special Services District, Fiscal Year 2025-2026. (Order Passed).
- l. Order imposing a levy as municipal tax levy in the Grand Avenue Special Services District, Fiscal Year 2025-2026. (Order Passed).
- m. Order imposing a levy as municipal tax levy in the Town Green Special Services District, Fiscal Year 2025-2026. (Order Passed).
- n. Order imposing a levy as municipal tax levy in the Whalley Avenue Special Services District, Fiscal Year 2025-2026. (Order Passed).

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*** SECOND READINGS**

[OR-2025-0006](#) APPROPRIATING ORDINANCE #1 AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR OPERATING CITY OF NEW HAVEN DEPARTMENTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2025, THROUGH JUNE 30, 2026

[OR-2025-0007](#) TAX LEVY AND REVENUE APPROPRIATING ORDINANCE #2 AN ORDINANCE MAKING TAX LEVY AND REVENUE ASSUMPTIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR JULY 1, 2025, THROUGH JUNE 30, 2026

[OR-2025-0008](#) APPROPRIATING ORDINANCE #3 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS, FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026

[OR-2025-0009](#) APPROPRIATING ORDINANCE #4 AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION TAX ANTICIPATION NOTES AND/OR GENERAL OBLIGATION GRANT ANTICIPATION NOTES FISCAL YEAR 2026

[OR-2025-0010](#) ORDINANCE AMENDMENT TO SECTION 17-201 OF THE GENERAL CODE OF ORDINANCES AUTHORIZING ADDITIONS AND CHANGES IN PERMITS, LICENSES AND USER FEES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026.

[LM-2025-0127](#) ORDER OF THE NEW HAVEN BOARD OF ALDERS, REALLOCATING THREE MILLION NINE HUNDRED THOUSAND AND ZERO CENTS (\$3.900,000) FROM PREVIOUSLY APPROVED AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN PROJECTS FOR THE PURPOSE OF SUPPLEMENTING FUNDING FOR ELIGIBLE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN PROJECTS AND GENERAL FUND FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026 BUDGET LINE ITEMS

[LM-2025-0134](#) ORDER APPROVING THE 2025-26 ALLING MEMORIAL GOLF COURSE ENTERPRISE FUND BUDGET

[LM-2025-0137](#) ORDER APPROVING THE 2025-26 RALPH WALKER SKATING RINK FUND BUDGET

[LM-2025-0135](#) ORDER APPROVING THE 2025-26 EAST ROCK PARK COMMUNICATIONS TOWER ENTERPRISE FUND BUDGET

[LM-2025-0136](#) ORDER APPROVING THE 2025-26 LIGHTHOUSE CAROUSEL FUND BUDGET

[LM-2025-0146](#) ORDER IMPOSING A LEVY AS MUNICIPAL TAX LEVY IN THE CHAPEL WEST SPECIAL SERVICES DISTRICT, FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026.

[LM-2025-0147](#) ORDER IMPOSING A LEVY AS MUNICIPAL TAX LEVY IN THE GRAND AVENUE SPECIAL SERVICES DISTRICT, FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026.

[LM-2025-0144](#) ORDER IMPOSING A LEVY AS MUNICIPAL TAX LEVY IN THE TOWN GREEN SPECIAL SERVICES DISTRICT, FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026.

[LM-2025-0145](#) ORDER IMPOSING A LEVY AS MUNICIPAL TAX LEVY IN THE WHALLEY AVENUE SPECIAL SERVICES DISTRICT, FISCAL YEAR 2025-2026.