

CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

November 10, 2025

City Council Chambers

Pledge of Allegiance

3rd Floor

Roll Call – Council Clerk

City Hall

6:55 p.m.- PUBLIC HEARING- Legislative Matters Committee- Communication B, from the October 14 agenda, from Mayor Dorinda Borer regarding an amendment to Chapter 206-Streets and Sidewalks-Adopting Article VIII-Automated Traffic Enforcement Safety Devices.

7:00p.m. PUBLIC SESSION

***Public Comment Procedures**

- There will be a five (5) minutes per person Public speaking allowed until such time as the Chair is satisfied that ample opportunity for all wishing to address the Council has been provided or until continuance of the session would compromise the responsible conduct of the Regular Council Meeting.
- There is a one-time speaking rule.
- Please wait to be recognized, approach the podium, and give your name and address.
- Please address the Council with your concern.
- Speakers, meeting attendees, and members are expected to observe proper decorum at all times.
- The use of profane, abusive, or disparaging language directed at the members of the City Council, City Officials, City employee, or members of the general public will not be tolerated.

7:05p.m. REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES:

Approval of the minutes of the Regular Meeting of October 27, 2025.

II. COMMUNICATIONS:

Communication A: From the Tax Collector regarding Overpayment of refunds for November 2025.

Communication B: From Deputy Chief Flemmig regarding Animal Shelter donations.

Communication C: From Mayor Dorinda Borer regarding an Amendment to Chapter 156, Nonresidential Landlord Registration, specifically Section 156-2(B), increasing each notice of residential address change fee from \$10.00 to \$20.00, and Section 156-4 to increase the first violation fine from \$250 to \$500 and include the language “or the maximum allowed by law”.

Communication D: From Mayor Dorinda Borer regarding an Amendment to City Ordinance Section 101 (I) – Fees of the City of West Haven Fire Department Allingtown.

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III. COMMITTEE MEETINGS:

Council-as-a-Whole: Updates

1. Energy Efficiency.
2. April Street Boat Ramp Project.

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IV: UNFINISHED BUSINESS:

V. COMMITTEE REPORTS

Clerk to read **Communication A** into record

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VII. COUNCIL LIAISON REPORTS

VIII. NEW BUSINESS

IX. ADJOURNMENT

Nicholas Pascale
Chairman of the Council

Stacy Riccio
Clerk of the Council

Carlotta M. Serrini
City Council Administrator