



PARKS, RECREATION, YOUTH AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

## Youth Commission

Wednesday, April 26, 2023 at 6:00 p.m.

Bristol Parks, Recreation, Youth and Community Services – 51 High Street, Bristol CT

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## Regular Meeting Minutes

### 1. Call to Order

- a. Chair Matthew Gotowala called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.
- b. Attendance

Present: Officer Matthew Gotowala, Chairman  
Deborah Ahl, Vice Chair  
Dr. Corey Nagle, Secretary  
Ryan Broderick, Commissioner  
Jonathan Lukasiewicz, Commissioner  
Richard Kilby, Commissioner  
Ramon Peters, Commissioner  
Erick Rosengren, City Council Member  
Renee Singleton, Commissioner

Stephen Bynum, Youth & Community Services Supervisor  
Dr. Joshua Medeiros, Superintendent

Absent: Makayla Cervantes, Commissioner  
Lance Washington, Commissioner

### 2. Acceptance of meeting minutes

- a. **MOTION:** Made by Commissioner Kilby to accept the February 8, 2023 Regular Meeting Minutes.  
Seconded by: Vice Chair Ahl, all in favor; motion carried.

### 3. Public Participation: None.

### 4. Youth and Community Services Supervisor's Reports

- a. Youth & Community Services Supervisor Bynum reviewed the Year-to-Date Financials; discussion followed.
- b. Youth & Community Services Supervisor Bynum reviewed the Youth Community Services Supervisor's Report; discussion followed.

### 5. Old Business

- a. By Commissioners: None.

### 6. New Business

- a. Commissioners reviewed the Youth & Prevention Leader Award Nominations 2023; discussion followed.

**MOTION:** Made by Commissioner Broderick to approve and award the two individual Youth & Prevention Leader Award Nominations.

Seconded by: Commissioner Kilby, all in favor; motion carried.

**MOTION:** Made by Vice Chair Ahl to approve and award all group Youth & Prevention Leader Award Nominations.

Seconded by: Commissioner Kilby, all in favor; motion carried.

- b. Youth & Community Services Supervisor Bynum discussed the Youth & Prevention Leader Awards Event logistics.
- c. Youth & Community Services Supervisor Bynum provided updates on Summer Programs & Scholarships; discussion followed.
- d. Superintendent Medeiros made Commissioners aware of an upcoming Youth and Community Services Strategic Planning Workshop; discussion followed.
- e. By Commissioners:
  - i. Vice Chair Ahl inquired about the status of Pine Lake; discussion followed.

## 7. Adjourn

- a. **MOTION:** Made by Vice Chair Ahl to adjourn the meeting at 6:55 p.m.

Seconded by: Commissioner Kilby, all in favor; motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,  
Jazzya Coakley  
Recording Secretary  
Youth Commission