MEMORANDUM

TO: ASHLEY FYLNN-NATALE
    CITY AND TOWN CLERK

FROM: CHRISTOPHER FORTE, ASSISTANT GENERAL COUNSEL

DATE: APRIL 18, 2022

RE: NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE LGBTQIA+ COMMISSION

THE LGBTQIA+ COMMISSION WILL HOLD A REGULAR MEETING ON TUESDAY, APRIL 19, 2021 AT 5:30 P.M. THE MEETING WILL BE A CONDUCTED AS A HYBRID MEETING, HELD ONLINE VIA WEBEX, AND IN-PERSON IN ROOM 208, CITY HALL, 245 DeKOVEN DRIVE, MIDDLETOWN, CT.
* THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING IS WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE *

LGBTQIA+ COMMISSION

AGENDA FOR REGULAR MEETING
TO BE HELD IN-PERSON AND VIA WEBEX
TUESDAY, APRIL 19, 2022 AT 5:30 p.m.

FOR PUBLIC ATTENDANCE IF ATTENDING IN PERSON
City of Middletown City Hall
Room 208, Second Floor
245 deKoven Drive
Middletown, CT 06457

FOR VIRTUAL PUBLIC ATTENDANCE

https://middletownct.webex.com/middletownct/j.php?MTID=m1e6e06472b7cc7952e720f8b6687c74

OR
Webex.com
Join a Meeting
Event Number: 2333 624 7579
Password: Middletown

OR
Dial: 408-418-9388
Access Code: 2333 624 7579

1. Call to Order By Chair.

2. Approval of the Minutes for the March 15, 2022 Regular Meeting of the LGBTQIA+ Commission.

3. Public Session on Agenda Items.

   A. Invitation for Commissioners to attend Pride events around the state.
      1. Earth Day Family Fun Event (April 23, 2022)
      2. Bethel Pride (May 7, 2022)
      3. New Britain Pride Flag Raising (June 6, 2022)
      4. Pride in the Park (June 11, 2022)

If you require special accommodations for any meeting, please call the ADA Coordinator at (860) 638-4540, (voice) or (860) 638-4812 (TDD/TTY), or the Town Clerk’s Office at (860) 638-4910 at least ten (10) days prior to the scheduled meeting.
5. Juneteenth (June 19)

5. Old Business.
   A. Safety for LGBTQIA+ Community in Middletown (Commissioner Timmons).

   B. Update on Middletown Pride Initiatives.
      1. Q+ Partnership Update (AGC Forte).
      2. LGBTQIA+ 101 Training on April 21 from 5:30 – 7:00 pm (AGC Forte).
      3. Earth Day Family Event on April 23 at Harbor Park from 10:00 am – 2:00 pm (Russell Library).

   C. Planning for Middletown Pride 2022.
      1. LGBTQIA+ Exhibit in City Hall (AGC Forte).
      2. Pride Flag Raising and Kick-Off on June 1 (AGC Forte).
      3. Middletown Pride Charity Event on June 3 (Mia).
         1. Selection of Charity to Support.
      4. Middletown PrideFEST on June 4 (AGC Forte and Middlesex County Chamber of Commerce).
      5. Middletown Pride Band Night on June 9 (AGC Forte).
      7. Wesleyan Movie Event on June 24 (AGC Forte).
      8. Downtown Main Street Cleanup with Cinder & Salt on June 11 (Russell Library).
      9. Drag Artist Story Hours update (Russell Library)
         1. June 1 at McCutcheon Park at Crystal Lake.
         2. June 23 at Wadsworth Mansion.

   10. Events with Q+ (Russell Library).
       1. Silent Disco on June 12
       2. Youth Open Mic Night on June 26
       3. Craft Night on June 22

   11. Event to Honor Activists during Middletown Pride on June 30
       (Commissioner Rebstock and Middlesex County Historical Society).

   12. Transgender and Intersex Panel (Russell Library and Commissioner Timmons).

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13. Self-Defense Classes for the community (Commissioners Santacroce and Barry).

6. Adjournment.