

**Trumbull Ethics Commission Meeting  
Town Hall – Long Hill Room  
January 28, 2026**

**MINUTES**

The January 28, 2026, Trumbull Ethics Commission meeting was called to order at 7:15 p.m.

**Attendees**

Members present: Attorney J.C. Cinelli, Chairman  
Charles Slack  
Morag Vance  
Attorney Andrew Lubin, Alternate Member

Also present:  
Daniel F. Schopick, Town Attorney

**Minutes of 11/19/25 Meeting**

A motion was made by Commissioner Vance, and seconded by Commissioner Lubin, to approve the Minutes of the 11/19/25 meeting of the Commission. Reading of the Minutes was dispensed with. There was no discussion and the motion was unanimously approved. The Minutes were approved as written and originally submitted.

**Executive Session**

A motion was made by Commission Chairman J.C. Cinelli, in accord with Section 1-82a of the Connecticut General Statutes, and/or the Code of Ethics of the Town of Trumbull, that the Commission adjourn into executive session, and/or confidential session, to determine the jurisdiction of a complaint or to accept or dismiss a complaint and/or to discuss a matter concerning the performance of a public officer/public official, particularly those issues as raised by Complaint #1-2025. Chairman Cinelli noted that Complaint #2-2025, and Complaint #3-2025 had

been withdrawn by the Complainants. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Lubin and unanimously carried. There was no discussion.

The Commission went into executive session at 7:18 p.m.

Town Attorney Schopick was present in Executive Session.

The motion was made by Commissioner Vance to come out of executive session. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Lubin. The motion passed unanimously without discussion.

The Commission came out of Executive Session at 7:40 p.m. and Public Session resumed at 7:41 p.m.

### **Motion by Commissioner Lubin**

A motion was made by Commissioner Lubin that the Commission find that there was no probable cause under the Code of Ethics of the Town of Trumbull as to Complaint #1-2025, as to either Respondent. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Vance. The motion passed unanimously without discussion.

### **Statement by Commission Chairman, J.C. Cinelli**

Commission Chairman J.C. Cinelli stated that the Commission will consider Complaint #4-2025 at its next meeting, at a suitable date to be determined.

### **Adjournment**

There being no further business to consider, upon motion by the Commission Chairman J.C. Cinelli, and seconded by Commissioner Lubin, the meeting of the Trumbull Ethics Commission adjourned by unanimous consent of the Commissioners present at 7:43 p.m.

Recorded and submitted,  
Commissioner Charles Slack, Secretary  
Dated: 01-30-26