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## **TOWN COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

## CHARTER REVISION COMMISSION

2021 AUG 13 PM 1: 46

**PUBLIC HEARING** 

TOWN CLERK EAST HARTFORD

AUGUST 10, 2021

PRESENT

Deb Arrieta, Richard Bates, Don Bell, Shelby Brown, Tom Rup,

Angel Santiago, Travis Simpson and Eric Thompson

ABSENT

Marcia Leclerc

ALSO

Richard F. Kehoe, Town Council Chair

PRESENT

## CALL TO ORDER

The public hearing was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Don Bell to receive public comment on issues that the Commission should review.

<u>Don Carvey</u>, 222 Colby Drive, spoke on the need for the Commission to review the hiring of a Town Manager – instead of electing a Mayor – since 28 towns in Connecticut utilize this form of governing. Additionally, Mr. Carvey believes that the Public Works and Parks & Recreation Departments should consolidate which would make those areas work more efficiently and therefore, be more cost effective for the taxpayers.

## **ADJOURNMENT**

MOTION

By Eric Thompson seconded by Tom Rup to **adjourn** (6:13 p.m.). Motion carried 8/0.