

Town of Southington



2008 CHARTER REVISION COMMISSION

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AGENDA CHARTER REVISION COMMISSION MEETING Wednesday, July 1, 2009 – 7:00 p.m. Town Hall, 75 Main Street, Southington, CT

Regular Meeting

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Pledge of Allegiance
- IV. Approval of Minutes
- V. Commissioner Communications
- VI. Public Communications*
- VII. Discussion, Deliberation, Debate and Action on Schedule B (Attached)
- VIII. Discussion, Deliberation, Debate and Action on Schedule C (Attached)
- IX. Miscellaneous
- X. Adjournment

* Remarks of any qualified elector or taxpayer (town resident over age 18) shall, in the discretion of the Chair, be limited to 5 minutes.

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Schedule B - Items for Discussion, Debate and Action

Items for Discussion, Debate and Action	Tabled or Forwarded Items		
	Forwarded From Schedule A	Forwarded to Schedule C	Dismissed
Modification of Section 746 (a) Requiring Referendum Coincide with General Election	Forwarded From Schedule A 06-03-09		
Financial Amount to Require Public Referendum Option 1 - Establish Alternative Amount as a Percentage of Annual Budget Option 2 - Establish Alternative Fixed Dollar Amount	Tabled 06-03-09		
Financial Amount Required For Published Bid Option 1 - Establish Alternative Amount as a Percentage of Annual Budget Option 2 - Establish Alternative Fixed Dollar Amount	Tabled 06-03-09		
Referendum Vote on Annual Budget Option 1 - Automatic Referendum Option 2 - Referendum By Petition Option 3 - Referendum By Trigger	Tabled 03-04-09		
Update to Section 1107 to comport with Section 2-204 of the Code of Ethics	Forwarded From Schedule A 06-03-09		
Review of Section 302 - Definition Chairman and Vice Chairman	Forwarded From Schedule A 06-03-09		
Police and Fire Reporting Structure		Forwarded to Schedule C 06-03-09	
Modify Budget Timeline Allowing TC Amendments One Mtg before Final Vote Only		Forwarded to Schedule C 06-03-09	
No Person Can Serve on Multiple Boards		Forwarded to Schedule C 05-09-09	
Provision for Council Override of BOF		Forwarded to Schedule C 03-04-09	
Town Manager Serves by Contract		Forwarded to Schedule C 04-01-09	
Sect. 208 BOF vacancies to be filed by BOF & Water Brd		Forwarded to Schedule C 04-15-09	
Appropriations or Bonds Ordinances reimbursable by Grants be exempt from public referendum if net amount is below the threshold established in Section 746(b).		Forwarded to Schedule C 04-15-09	
Appropriations or Bonds Ordinances mandated by court order be exempt from public referendum established in Section 746(b).		Forwarded to Schedule C 04-15-09	
Mayor/Manager or Combination Option 1 - Strong Mayor Option 2 - Mayor and Manager Option 3 - Ceremonial Mayor Option 4 - No Change			Dismissed 06-03-09
No former Council member can hold compensated employment by the city until 1 year after expired term			Dismissed 06-03-09
Senior Center and Library Reporting Structure			Dismissed 05-06-09
Town Council Should Set The Mil Rate			Dismissed 05-06-09
No Council member can hold any other city office or			Dismissed 05-06-09

employment during his elected term			
Town Clerk (Elected vs Appointed)			Dismissed 04-01-09
Recall of Elected Officials*			Dismissed 04-01-09
Term Limits*			Dismissed 03-04-09
Minimum percentage of voters to make referendum binding (Special Appropriations and Bond Ordinances)			Dismissed 04-15-09
First Vote by Town Council on Budget must be on BOF Budget			Dismissed 04-15-09

* May include items that are illegal or not allowed by Statute

Schedule C - Items for Charter Draft Codification

Items for Discussion, Debate and Action	Action Taken	
	Tabled or Forwarded Items	Forward to Schedule D
Modify Budget Timeline Allowing TC Amendments One Mtg before Final Vote Only	Forwarded From Schedule C 06-03-09	
Police and Fire Reporting Structure	Forwarded From Schedule C 06-03-09	
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