

RTM Senior and Disabled Tax Relief Committee Meeting
Wednesday, August 30, 2023
7:00 pm
2nd Floor Conference room, Old Town Hall
611 Old Post Road, Fairfield, CT
Via Webex and in person

The regular meeting of the RTM Senior and Disabled Tax Relief Committee was held via Webex and in the conference room on the second floor of Old Town Hall, 611 Old Post Road on Wednesday, August 30, 2023, at 7:00 pm in Fairfield, Connecticut.

AGENDA

1. Call to Order: 7:15 PM
In attendance: Rep. Cindy Perham (Committee Chair), Rep. Jill Vergara (Committee Vice-Chair), Rep. Mark McDermott, Rep. Hannah Gale (Committee Secretary) No attendees on Webex.
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Approved of Minutes of July 19, 2023, Regular Meeting was unanimous.
4. Discussion the Subcommittee that includes our committee and the BOF members.
Discussion ensued regarding communication with BOF to have a report from this committee added to their September agenda (Sept 5, 2023).
5. Review the findings of the 16-town deferral of tax info from Ordinances (Rep McDermott, Rep. Perham, and Rep. Vergara)
Review was completed and will be submitted with recommendation to BOF sub committee.
6. Update on the following
 - a. Lowering the age on Deferral Program from 75 to 65.
Unanimous agreement that this is appropriate given the research in the state.
 - b. Appeals Process for one-time exemptions –
Discussion as to whether the Board of Assessment Appeals – is the appropriate group/
Board of Finance – Subcommittee to review all of our prospective changes.
7. Adjourn 8:15 pm

Submitted October 26, 2023
Hannah Gale, Secretary