

Town of Goshen

Code of Ethics Drafting Committee

Meeting Minutes

Date: Wednesday, April 16, 2025

Time: 6:00 PM

Location: 42A North Street, Goshen, CT 06756 & via Zoom

Call to Order:

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 PM by First Selectman Todd Carusillo, who provided a brief introduction and welcomed the newly formed committee. Following his remarks, Mr. Carusillo departed the meeting.

Selectman Scott Olson then joined the meeting briefly to thank the committee members for volunteering and for their willingness to serve the town.

Roll Call – Members Present:

- Jonathan Moore
- John Krukar
- James Lefevre
- James Thibault
- David Bonaguide

Election of Officers:

The committee unanimously elected the following officers:

- Chairperson: David Bonaguide
- Vice Chairperson: James Thibault
- Recording Secretary: Jonathan Moore

Discussion Items:

1. Background and Reference Materials:

- The committee reviewed the history of prior efforts to develop a Code of Ethics for the Town of Goshen. Documents and examples provided by First Selectman Todd Carusillo were acknowledged, including codes from neighboring towns and the 2008 draft previously created for Goshen.

2. Initial Working Document:

- The committee agreed to use the 2008 draft Code of Ethics as a starting point. Each member will review the draft individually and bring back notes, questions, and proposed revisions for discussion at upcoming meetings.

3. Outreach to Previous Participants:

- James Thibault and James Lefevre volunteered to reach out to individuals previously involved in ethics drafting efforts to gather feedback and context that may assist the committee's current work.

4. Meeting Schedule:

- The committee agreed to meet monthly, on the third Wednesday of each month at 6:00 PM, as needed. These dates are tentative and subject to cancellation if no business is scheduled.

Proposed 2025 Meeting Dates (As Required):

- May 21
- June 18
- July 16
- August 20
- September 17
- October 15
- November 19
- December 17

Adjournment:

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 7:00 PM.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jonathan Moore

Recording Secretary

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Attest [Signature]
Asst. Goshen Town Clerk