



**TOWN OF WEST HARTFORD PUBLIC HEARING
MARCH 8, 2016
Legislative Chamber**

**ORDINANCE REVISING THE COMPOSITION OF THE HISTORIC DISTRICT
COMMISSION:**

Public Hearing called to order at 7:33 p.m.

Vice President Cantor: Okay, I'm going to open the public hearing at 7:25. This is the Ordinance Revising the Composition of the Historic District Commission. Ms. Labrot.

Councilors Barnes, Cantor, Casperson, Davidoff, Kerrigan, Wenograd and Williams were present.

Vice President Cantor: Thank you, Ms. Labrot. The presentation from Mr. Alair.

Mr. Alair: Good evening. The purpose of the Ordinance in front of you is quite simple. If you read the text, it may seem a little bit counterintuitive to the objective. The objective is to be more inclusive of people in terms of membership on the Board of the Historic District Commission, be more inclusive of people who live in historic properties. We have eight of those properties in town, which are located outside historic districts. As the Ordinance is currently written, there are only three slots on the Commission that they can fill. The objective is to increase that to four slots that somebody could fill who lives in a historic property if they choose to and it's as simple as that.

Vice President Cantor: Okay. Any questions from the Council for the? No? Okay. Anybody signed up to speak?

Mr. Alair: There is but they may not. I'm not sure.

Vice President Cantor: Thank you. Jeff Remy is the signup for this public hearing on the historic district?

Mr. Remy: I signed on the wrong sheet.

Vice President Cantor: Okay, no problem. Thank you very much. All right. And I'm gonna close the public hearing.

Public Hearing closed at 7:35 p.m.

Essie S. Labrot
Town/Council Clerk

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