

OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
HARTFORD MUNICIPAL BUILDING 550 MAIN STREET
REVISED
MONDAY JULY 16, 2018

Councilpersons; Deutsch, Gale Sánchez, Thames and Winch will represent the Council at a Public Hearing to be held in the Council Chambers of the Municipal Building at 7:00 P.M., Monday July 16, 2018.

- 1. Ordinance amending Chapter Two, Article VIII of the Municipal Code be amended by adding Section 2-330.87 through 2-330.95, Creating the Hartford Commission on Criminal Justice Reform.**

Referred to the Quality of Life and Public Safety Committee

- 2. Ordinance amending Chapter Two, Article VIII Section 2-850 Residency Requirements of the Municipal Code.**

Referred to the Operations, Management, Budget and Government Accountability Committee

Attest:

John V. Bazzano
City Clerk

For more information on committee meeting date please contact the following:

- A regular meeting of the Operations, Management, Budget and Government Accountability Committee will be held on the **third Monday of each month at 5:30 P.M.** in the Council Chambers.

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- A regular **Quality of Life and Public Safety Committee** meeting will be held on the **third Tuesday of each month at 5:30 P.M.** in the Council Chambers.

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Introduced by: Councilman Thomas J. Clarke II

HEADING
AND
PURPOSE

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2, ARTICLE VIII BY ADDING SECTION 2-330.87 THROUGH 2-330.95 OF THE HARTFORD MUNICIPAL CODE CREATING THE HARTFORD COMMISSION ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE REFORM.

COURT OF COMMON COUNCIL,
CITY OF HARTFORD

July 9, 2018

Be It Ordained by the Court of Common Council of the City of Hartford:

That Chapter Two, Article VIII of the Municipal Code be amended by adding Section 2-330.87 through 2-330.95 as follows:

An Ordinance Creating the Hartford Commission on Criminal Justice Reform

Sec. 2-330.87. *Established; membership.* There is hereby established a criminal justice reform commission consisting of eleven (11) members. There shall be 2 co-chairs of the commission who shall be persons who have been directly impacted by the criminal justice system, by virtue of having been incarcerated in jail or prison, or who have had felony convictions, families/caretakers and experienced professionals within the criminal justice system. The membership shall include persons employed in public health, substance abuse and addiction treatment, mental health care, harm reduction, emergency services, law, corrections, the judicial system, or public safety. The

chief of the Hartford Police Department and Director of Health and Human Services shall serve ex officio. The membership of the commission shall be diverse and reflective of the population of Greater Hartford. A majority of commissioners shall be electors of Hartford. Commissioners shall serve without compensation. Each member of the commission shall serve for three years, except that of those first appointed, three (3) members shall be appointed for a term of three (3) years, three (3) members shall be appointed for a term of two (2) years, and three (3) members shall be appointed for a term of one (1) year.

Sec. 2-330.88. *Function and duties.* The Commission shall be an advisory body to the Court of Common Council and Mayor in relation to policy and support for criminal justice reform, including public safety and health, mental health care, emergency services, substance abuse and addiction care, prevention, judicial diversion, and harm reduction.

Sec. 2-330.89. *Meetings.* The Commission shall meet monthly.

Sec. 2-330.90. *Review and Reporting.* The Commission shall select officers, including co -chairs, a secretary and assistant secretary. The Commission shall adopt a mission statement. It shall review services provided by government agencies, medical providers and nonprofits in Hartford as they relate to matters impacting criminal justice reform. The Commission shall prepare and present to the Council an annual report giving an evaluation of present services available in Hartford and make recommendations for support and deployment of resources to more effectively serve the people and City of Hartford.

Sec. 2-330.91-2-330.95 Reserved.

This ordinance shall take effect upon adoption.

Introduced
by:

Councilman Thomas J. Clarke II

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ON AGENDA

HEADING
AND
PURPOSE

**AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 2, SECTION 850 OF THE
HARTFORD MUNICIPAL CODE**

COUNCIL,

COURT OF COMMON

CITY OF HARTFORD

Date July 9, 2018

Be It Ordained by the Court of Common Council of the City of Hartford:

That Chapter Two, Article VIII of the Municipal Code be amended by changing Section 2-850 as follows:

Sec. 2-850. - Residency requirements.

(A) All council and Mayor appointees and Unclassified Employees employed by the City, shall maintain a continuous residence in the City during the period of such appointment or employment.

This section shall not apply to new employees or appointees during the first six (6) months of such employment or appointment. If such individual ceases to be a bona fide resident of the City once the residency has been established or fails to become a bona fide resident within six (6) months of the appointment or employment, the Council shall, by a vote of seven (7) members, send notice to the mayor that pursuant to the provisions of Chapter V, section 3(c) of the Hartford Charter, the office or position of the individual who has failed to remain a bona fide resident of Hartford shall thereupon become vacant, and such appointment or employment shall terminate.

(B) Definitions.

"Bona fide resident" is defined as [(1) An employee] a person who has a [Hartford] mailing address which is a street address in Hartford, not [A] a post office address; [does not qualify as a bona fide Hartford address;] is. [(2) Be] a registered Hartford voter; and [(3) I]if the [employee] person owns a motor vehicle, has registered said motor vehicle [must be registered] at an address in the City of Hartford.

"Residence" is defined as the actual principal residence of the person, where he or she normally and usually eats and sleeps and maintains his or her normal personal household effects.

(~~B~~)C) The provisions of subsections (A) and (B) above shall not apply to individuals who were employees and appointees at the time of the effective date of this section.

(D) The Department of Human Resources shall be responsible for determining and verifying the residence of employees.

This ordinance shall take effect upon adoption.