

Roxanne Maher

From: Roxanne Maher
Sent: Wednesday, February 26, 2025 11:45 AM
To: martyengrew@gmail.com
Cc: Roxanne Maher
Subject: FW: Resignation from Planning and Zoning

Hello Marty:

Per our conversation, please see email below.
Roxanne

From: Fred Allyn, III <mayor@ledyardct.org>
Sent: Tuesday, February 25, 2025 9:24 AM
To: Kristen Chapman <mayoral.asst@ledyardct.org>
Subject: Fw: Resignation from Planning and Zoning

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NOTE: Town Hall is open Monday-Thursday 7:30-4:45,
CLOSED FRIDAY.

From: Paul Whitescarver <pwhitescarver@secter.org>
Sent: Monday, February 10, 2025 4:35 PM
To: Fred Allyn, III <mayor@ledyardct.org>
Cc: Elizabeth Burdick <planner@ledyardct.org>
Subject: Resignation from Planning and Zoning

Mr. Mayor and to the Ledyard Planning & Zoning Commission,

I have decided to resign my seat on the Planning & Zoning commission due to it preventing me from advocating for economic development projects in the region. My role as the Executive Director of the Southeastern Connecticut Enterprise Region is to promote economic development within the Council of Governments geographic region and across all sectors of the economy. With that said, seCTer works with entities involved in the Blue Economy including Cashman Dredging and Gateway Terminal.

Furthermore, seCTer will be advocating for increased housing development to meet known shortages, improved access to childcare and upgrades to municipal infrastructure. I will always be trying to get to "yes" provided all regulations are met in many of the requests that will be coming before the commission. I believe my role at seCTer will always provide a real and perceived conflict of interest to our constituents in my participation on the commission.

Having served in the Navy for close to 40 years, I want to thank you and the Town of Ledyard in providing me a continued avenue to serve my community. The commission gave me a great deal of insight into municipal economic development that has assisted me in my growth as a regional advocate for development.

Finally, I commend the commissioners in their continued service to the community. The sacrifice each of the commissioners provides on a voluntary basis is often overlooked.

Sincerely,

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