

CONNECTICUT STATE BOARD OF LABOR RELATIONS BOARD MEETING MINUTES

April 28, 2020

Present:¹ Wendella A. Battey, Barbara Collins, Katherine Foley, Harry Elliott & Frank Cassetta

The meeting was called to order by Wendella Battey @ 10:30 a.m.

I. GENERAL COUNSEL’S REPORT

a) Decisions – no decisions issued since the Board’s last meeting on 3/31/2020.

- 2 drafts pending review: **Shelton** MPP-33,626 and **State DOB** SE-33,686

b) Records pending – none. (**New London** MPP-33,689 rec’d – TBD)

c) Litigation:²

Stephanie Wilson – oral argument on supplemental briefs rescheduled to 5/11/2020 @ 2:00 pm at Wilson’s request.

Middlebury – Town filed appeal to Appellate Court on 3/23/2020.

Joan O’Rourke – Appellant’s brief due date extended to 4/28/2020 (appellees’ briefs due 5/28/2020) *but see* footnote 2.

Local 749 (DellaRocco) –

4/2/2020 – amended complaint filed

4/2/2020 – SBLR files answer to amended complaint

4/13/2020 – record filed

5/18/2020 – Union’s brief due

6/19/2020 – defendants’ briefs due

7/2/2020 – Union’s reply brief due

¹ By video and telephone.

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03/20/2020	Updated Notice from the Supreme Court and Appellate Court Please be advised that the time requirements for all Supreme and Appellate Court filings are suspended until further notice. Please see Governor Lamont's Executive Order, No. 7G, March 19, 2020. Due to staff shortage in the Office of the Appellate Clerk and in response to the COVID19 virus emergency, it is requested that no paper briefs be filed until further notice.
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City of Shelton (new appeal) Dec. 5120

4/23/2020 – appeal filed (due 4/24/2020)

4/23/2020 – SBLR appearance filed

4/24/2020 – list of record contents filed

4/27/2020 – SBLR answer filed

4/28/2020 – union appearance filed

II. AGENT’S REPORT

- a) **Hearings:** Labor Board hearings cancelled due to Covid-19 are being tentatively rescheduled.
- b) **Petitions:** Two certification elections are underway by mail-in ballot.

III. DISCUSSION

- a) Discussion of strategies for recommencing hearings.
- b) Hearing strategies to be revisited at special Board meeting scheduled for May 7, 2020.

IV. ADJOURNMENT