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PLEASE SEND PAYMENT TO: 912 PROSPECT STREET, HAMDEN, CT 06517

31 August 2023

To: Hon. Thomas Cassone, Corporation Counsel
Tom Lombardo, CRC Chair
Valerie Rosenson, Legislative Officer, Board of Representatives

Re: Charter Revision Commission (July 2023)

Date	Services	Time	Amount
07-01	Telephone conference with Majority Leader Sherwood re – upcoming schedule of Board of Representatives meeting pertaining to Recommendations	.6	\$156.00
07-02	Draft proposed Board of Representative Recommendations	2.1	\$556.50
07-03	Telephone conference with V. Rosenson re – upcoming meetings; Telephone conference with Majority Leader Sherwood and Chair Bewkes re – Board of Representatives meeting; Telephone conference with Vice Chair Larobina re – appointment issues; Email from V. Rosenson re – rescheduled meeting of the Charter revision committee of the Board of Representatives	3.1	\$821.50
07-05	Telephone conference with Chair Freedman re – appointments, 5% cap on rainy day fund and joint public hearing on capital project amendments; Telephone conference with Majority Leader Sherwood re – Board of Representatives meeting; Telephone conference with Attorney Roberts re – outstanding issues; Email from commissioner Michelson re – Stamford Advocate opinion piece by Mayor Simmons	1.8	\$477.00
07-06	Email from Commission Halpern re – Stamford Advocate article	.4	n/c
07-07	Telephone conference with Chair Bewkes re – committee meeting; Draft Recommendations; Telephone conference with Commissioner Loeb re – land use issues post- PA 23-205; Telephone conference with V. Rosenson re – upcoming	2.9	\$768.50

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07-07 (con't)	meetings; Telephone conference with President Curtis re – upcoming meeting; ; Telephone conference with Vice Chair Larobina re – issues before the Board of Representatives		
07-08	Prepare background materials re – PA. 23-205	2.4	\$492.00
07-10	Prepare background materials on P.A. 23-205; Email to Board of Representatives re – proposed Recommendations by the Board of Representatives; Prepare for an attend Board of Representative Charter Revision Committee; Email exchange with V. Rosenson re – upcoming meeting schedule	6.5	\$1,722.50
07-11	Telephone conference with and email from Chair Lombardo re – outcomes from committee meeting; Telephone conference and email exchange with V. Rosenson re – BOR charter meeting dates	1.1	\$291.50
07-12	Email exchange with Chair Lombardo and Representative Bewkes re –scheduling issues	.4	n/c
07-13	Email exchange with Representative Bewkes re – scheduling issues	.4	n/c
07-14	Telephone conference with Chair Bewkes re – conversation with Representatives Ley and Weinberg; Telephone conference with Majority Leader Sherwood re – upcoming meeting with Board of representatives; Telephone conference with Representatives Ley and Weinberg re – miscellaneous issues before the Board of Representatives	1.4	\$371.00
07-17	Telephone conference and email exchange with V. Rosenson re – publication of charter and additional suggested recommendations from the Board of Representatives	.4	n/c
07-18	Telephone conference with V. Rosenson re – upcoming agenda and recommendations; Telephone conference with Attorney Roberts re – meeting with Corporation Counsel Cassone; Prepare for and attend Charter Revision Committee meeting; Email from Corporation Counsel Cassone re - meeting schedule logistics; Email from Chair Lombardo re – communication with CRC members; Emails from Commissioners Halpern, Michelson, and Camporeale re – upcoming meeting	4.5	\$1,192.50

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07-19	Telephone conference with Commissioners Loeb, Camporeale and McMullen re – outcomes from Board of Representatives Committee meeting; Email from Commissioner Halpern re – op-ed from Representative Weinberg; Emails from Commissioners Loeb, Halpern. Camporeale re – upcoming` CRC meeting; Email from V. Rosenson re - YLS review; Email from Corporation Counsel Cassone re – meeting with Mayor	1.6	\$424.00
07-20	Multiple telephone conference with (1) Chair Lombardo, Attorney Roberts, President Curtis and V. Rosenson re – Board of Representative meeting; Review Yale Law School opinion; Prepare for and attend meeting of Board of representatives; Email from Chair Lombardo re – scheduling issues; Email from Chair Bewkes re – CRC timeframe following Board of Representatives action	6.3	\$1,669.50
07-21	Telephone conference with Chair Lombardo, Commission Michelson re – dealing with P.A. 23-205; Telephone conference with President Curtis re Board of Representatives meeting; Telephone conference with Corporation Counsel Cassone re – P.A. 23-205 and meeting with Mayor; Prepare for CRC meeting; Email from S. Hughes re – Resolution 4224; Email from President Curtis re – background document	2.5	\$662.50
07-24	Telephone conference and email exchange with Chair Lombardo re – upcoming meeting issues; telephone conference with Commissioners Michelson, Loeb and Camporeale re – P.A. 23-205; Telephone conference with Majority Leader Sherwood re – P.A. 23-205; Telephone conference with V. Rosenson re – next CRC meeting; Email from V. Rosenson re – (1) communication from representative de la Cruz; (2) request for legal opinion from the Corporation Counsel and (3) communication from President Curtis	1.4	\$371.00
07-25	Telephone conference with Representative Weinberg re – miscellaneous issues; Prepare for CRC meeting; Email from Commissioners Williams, Camporeale and Michelson re – upcoming meetings	1.1	\$291.50
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07-26	Telephone conference with R. Roberts re – P.A. 23-205 list from Corporation Counsel Cassone; Review Cassone list; Email from Commissioners Williams, Camporeale and Michelson re – upcoming meetings	1.1	\$291.50
07-27	Telephone conference with multiple approaches to sunrise provisions; Email from Commissioner Pramberger re – upcoming meeting	1.5	\$397.50
07-28	Email exchange between Chair Lombardo and commissioner Pramberger	.4	n/c
07-29	CRC meeting; Email from Representative Ley re – comments on matters before the CRC; Email from Commissioners Camporeale, Michelson, McMullen and Lombardo re – rainy day fund cap	6.3	\$1,669.50
07-30	Prepare multi-board meeting/hearing background document	1.2	\$318.00
07-31	Telephone conference with V. Rosenzson re – update; Telephone conference with Attorney Roberts re – joint meetings; Telephone conference with representative Ley re – POCD; Telephone conference with Chair Lombardo re – final issues; Telephone conference with Commissioner McMullen re – leasing issues; Email from, R. Freedman re – rainy day Cap; Email from Representative Ley re – follow-up comments; Email from Commissioner Michelson re – response to Freedman comments;	3.9	\$1,033.50
	Balance Due: July 2023 @ \$265/hour¹	53.3	\$12,712.05
5	Halloran & Sage (see attached)		\$5,310.50
	Total Adjusted Balance Due (June 2023)		\$22,607.15
	Past Balance Due		
	June 2023		\$12,561.00
	June (Halloran Sage)		\$9,158.40
	May 2023		\$13,782.65
	May (Halloran Sage)		\$8,824.50
	April 2023		\$17,455.55
	April (Halloran Sage)		\$6,827.05

¹ 10% Discount (\$1,412.45)

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Billing History and Status

Date	Amount Billed	Amount Paid
11-12-22	\$4,054.50	\$4,054.50 (1/23)
12-7-22	\$9,709.60 ² \$3,688.80 ³	\$9,709.60 (1/23) \$3,688.80 (1/23)
1-13-23	\$6,651.50 \$2,989.20 ⁴	\$6,651.50 (6/28) \$2,989.20 (6/28)
2-26-23	\$12,402.00 ⁵ \$5,745.00 ⁶	\$12,402.00 (4/25) \$5,745.20 (4/25)
3-17-23	\$12,349.00 ⁷ \$4,982.00 ⁸	\$12,349.00 (4/25) \$4,982.00 (6/28)
4-24-23	\$11,519.55 ⁹ \$5,830.00 ¹⁰	\$11,519.55 (6/28) \$5,830.00 (6/28)
5-20-23	\$17,455.55 ¹¹ \$6,827.05 ¹²	
6-22-23	\$13,782.65 ¹³ \$8,824.50 ¹⁴	
7-14-23	\$12,561.00 ¹⁵ \$9,158.40	
8-31-23	\$12,712.05 ¹⁶ \$5,310.50 ¹⁷	
Total Billed	\$166,652.85	\$79,921.35
August	\$15,000.00 (est.)	
September	\$7,500.00 (est.)	
Total Est.	\$22,500.00 (est.)	

² SGM - November (20% discount - \$2,427.40))

³ Halloran & Sage (\$922.20 discount)

⁴ Halloran Sage (\$747.30 discount)

⁵ February (Write off – 11.4 hours - \$\$3,021.00)

⁶ Halloran Sage (\$1,436.30 discount)

⁷ February 2023 (7-hour discount - \$1,855.00).

⁸ Halloran Sage (\$1,245.50 discount)

⁹ March (10% Discount - \$1,279.95))

¹⁰ Halloran Sage (Discount)

¹¹ 30% Discount (\$7,480.95)

¹² Halloran Sage (\$1,149.45 discount)

¹³ June (30% Discount - \$5,906.85)

¹⁴ Halloran Sage (\$980.50 discount)

¹⁵ 40% Discount

¹⁶ 10% Discount (\$1,412.45)

¹⁷ Halloran Sage (\$1,500.00 discount)