



May Waterside Coalition Meeting
Thursday, May 5th at 7:00 pm
St. Clements Church 535 Fairfield Avenue

AGENDA

- I. **Welcome and announcements - Glenda Blume, Chairman**
- II. **Update from City Representative - Elaine Mitchell**
- III. **Guest Speaker – Peter Yazbak, Outreach Coordinator, of Congressman Jim Himes office**

*FUTURE WATERSIDE COALITION MEETING DATES:
The Coalition meets the **first Thursday: Jun. 2nd**
at 7:00 pm at St. Clements Church:

Mark your calendar:

Representative from Congressman Himes Office – Peter Yazbak, Outreach Coordinator will discuss appropriation of federal funds for local projects that will effect Stamford, such as, economic development & affordable housing, education& job training, green environment, healthcare, public safety, and transportation.

March 3rd
Meeting Highlights

Domus/Chester Addison Community Center-Michael Hyman, Director:

- Michael identified the many and various services that the Center offers, from after school, tutoring, young adult support, to resume assistance and so much more. At the present time the Center serves 175 children. The Center strives to hire people from the community to work at the Center. The Center is expanding the scope to better include programs for seniors and young adults. They are also attempting to bring more parents into the programs and get them personally involved in their children's activities. For more information, you can call to make an appointment with Michael at (203)348-6491. His office is located at 245 Selleck Street, Stamford CT 06902.

- In an effort to build community spirit among the residents of Waterside, tee shirts and bumper magnets have been made up with the Waterside logo. **Tee-shirt** cost was \$6.00 per shirt; a \$10.00 donation is requested. **Bumper magnet** cost was \$2.00; a \$4.00 donation is requested.

Waterside Neighborhood Compliance Committee

Chairperson: Althea S. Brown, Community Director
Speaker: Lieutenant Dohmann and Captain Mullin
Next Meetings: April 25th and May 23rd
Time: 5:30 pm
Place: Outpost Pizza: 365 West Ave. – All are invited and Free Food!

Job Opportunity

Community News

Waterside Coalition News:

- Althea Brown, WC's Community Director. Call first: phone (203) 274-7597; fax (203) 274-7598; email: waterside@watersidecoalition.org.

NEED A JOB??? WANT TO HIRE SOMEONE??

WC and CTE are in alliance on employment opportunities for the neighborhood residents and business owners. Contact Waterside Coalition office at (203) 274-7597.

Recycling

- **Cooking Oil:** The Katrina Mygatt recycling center offer the opportunity to recycle waste cooking oil. A 150 gallon enclosed container provided by Biopur, a vegetable oil processing company, allows residents to bring their used cooking oil to recycle. The used oil will be cleaned in a safe and eco-friendly process and transformed into a clean burning alternative fuel.
- **RolyPig Composter:** The RolyPig composter is a fun and easy way for our school children to take the kitchen and food waste at school and turn into compost. After about 12-15 weeks of feeding and rolling, the RolyPig compost will be ready for the garden. The Solid Waste and Recycling Department have purchased six RolyPig composters, which will be used at six schools to compost organic food waste. This program is supported by Mayor Michael Pavia and Recycling Supervisor, Dan Colleluori.

Upcoming Events



- **Waterside Annual Planting and Cleanup:**
Date: May 7th (or rainy day - May 14th)
Time: 10 am to 12 pm
Starting Place: Southfield Park

Need volunteers, contact us at (203) 274-7597 or (203) 975-7770.



- **Waterside Harbor Cruise:**
Dates: June 22nd, July 6th, July 27th, and August 10th
Time: 6 pm to 9 pm
Place: Avalon South Docks by Southfield Park
Reservation: (203) 274-7597

Join us on the 2nd Choice, which is a 41 Ft. auxiliary sloop owned and operated by Capt. Henry E. Marx of Landfall Navigation & Dolphin Cove. Participants should bring windbreakers and/or sweater as it gets cool in the evening on the water. Snacks and beer/soda will be provided but you are welcome to bring other food as desired.



- **Job Fairs:**
Dates: In Waterside - June 10th
Time: 9:15 am to 11:45 am
Place: Domus/Chester Addison Community Center
245 Selleck Street, Stamford CT 06902

Dates: In Southend - June 17th
Time: 9:15 am to 11:45 am
Place: CTE
34 Woodland Avenue, Stamford CT 06902

For more information: (203) 274-7597 or (203)352-4824

Press Release



Community Service:

- David Hart and David Dearing presented \$25,000 check on behalf of Waterside Power, LLC to Waterside Coalition, Inc.

Look out for the announcement in the local newspaper and picture of representatives from Waterside Power, LLC and Waterside Coalition, Inc.

Animal Control

Guide to reporting and getting information:

[Stamford Animal Control Department](#)

Type of complaints: animal abuse, animal attacks, abandonment animal, etc.

Keep your dog on a leash and muzzle (if necessary) to avoid animal attack as you are out and about in the neighborhood.

Contact: Stamford Animal Control Department
(203) 977-4437

Local Business

Support Local Business:



Custom Handmade Dolls by Annette Williams:
Annetwilliams.byrd@yahoo.com; (203)360-5225

Chinese Xpress: 170 Selleck Street, Stamford, CT 06902;
(203) 428-4879.

Donation

Waterside Coalition is a non-profit, tax exempt 501(c) (3) organization dedicated to working on issues that are important to the community. Any contribution is tax deductible. Make check payable to Waterside Coalition, Inc., PO Box 113214, Stamford, CT 06911-3214.

Yes, I'd like to help...

Contact Name: _____ \$50, Supporter

Business Name: _____ \$100, Bronze Sponsor

Address: _____ \$250, Silver Sponsor

Telephone Number: (h) _____ (w) _____ \$500, Gold Sponsor

E-mail: _____