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**To:** Mayor Hinchey and members of the City Council  
**From:** John Salomone, City Manager  
**Subject:** City Manager's Report  
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The Mayor and I continue our weekly meetings.

On August 8th, staff and I met regarding the Reid & Hughes contract update. Betsy Crum from the Women's Institute and their attorney met with the Zoning Office regarding the variances needed for their proposal. They have an application and were made aware of the dates to apply to the Zoning Board of Appeals to be included on the September Agenda.

Josh Pothier and I met with Abby Dolliver, Superintendent of Norwich Public Schools regarding budget updates.

Evan Blum, the buyer of the former Atlantic Packing Company stopped by to discuss his plans for the property he purchased at auction. I am trying to schedule another meeting with him and staff to further discuss his plans.

On Thursday, August 10<sup>th</sup> I was on the Stu Bryer Show at the WICH Studio.

I met with John Wong and the owner of the bus company regarding their proposed shuttle service for the Intermodal Transportation Center.

I participated via conference call for the SEAT Special Meeting to ratify the labor contract.

On Tuesday, August 15<sup>th</sup> I meet with a Laurel Hill resident regarding the condition of sidewalks in that neighborhood.

I have received a letter from the State of CT Commissioner of Revenue Services advising that the seven Neighborhood Assistance Act proposals have been approved for inclusion in this year's NAA Program. The Montessori Discovery School, Society of the Founders of Norwich, The Arc of New London County and the Norwich Historical Society were awarded 100% tax credit and the CT Radio Information System was awarded 60% tax credit. My assistant notified the applicants by mail of their approvals.

On Friday, August 18<sup>th</sup> a promotion ceremony was held for the following officers: Sgt. Jonathan Ley and Sgt. John Perry were promoted to lieutenant and Detective Harrison Formiglio and K-9 Officer Nicholas Rankin to sergeant. Congratulations to them and thank you for your service to the community.