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**Monday, September 29, 2025 | 6:00 – 8:00 PM**

**Zoom Registration Link:** <https://ctdeep.zoom.us/meeting/register/gxfNymwhQra6jBp_QOFaQQ>

**Description**

Join the Connecticut Equity and Environmental Justice Advisory Council for a public quarterly meeting. The council will hear reports from subcommittees (Waste, Water, Land, Energy & Technology, and Air & Transportation) as well as engage in a discussion on environmental justice topics. Comments from the public are welcome at the beginning of the meeting. Please reach out to [DEEP.CEEJAC.@ct.gov](mailto:DEEP.CEEJAC.@ct.gov) if you have any questions.

This is a public meeting and will be recorded and posted on the [Connecticut Equity and Environmental Justice Advisory Council](https://portal.ct.gov/DEEP-CEEJAC) website.

**Quarterly Meeting Agenda**

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| **Welcome**  *Dr. Mark Mitchell, CEEJAC Co-Chair* | 6:00 – 6:10 PM  *10 mins* |
| **Community Dialogues (formerly Public Comment Period)**  *At this time, the council would like to hear from the audience about environmental justice issues or concerns in your community. These issues can cover a wide range of topics, such as energy efficiency and affordability, access to green space, clean air, concerns related to facilities, and access to clean rivers, lakes, and streams.* | 6:10 – 6:40 PM  *30 mins* |
| **Subcommittee Breakout Sessions**   1. Air & Transportation (Alex Rodriguez) 2. Energy & Technology (Jayson Velazquez and Kendall Keelen) 3. Water (Cierra Patrick) 4. Land (Yaw Darko and Jhoni Ada) 5. Waste (Adrienne Farrar Houel and Diane Lauricella) 6. General CEEJAC (Dr. Mark Mitchell)   Discussion Agenda:   * Group Introductions * Summary of subcommittee work thus far * What issues have not been discussed, but should be? * What issues have been discussed that need more research, advocacy, or other action from the subcommittee? * What are the key areas of focus that the subcommittee wants to work on? * What are the next steps for the subcommittee? | 6:40 – 7:20 PM  *40 mins* |
| **Report Out (Full Group)**  Subcommittees will have 5 minutes to report on three (3) key points and next steps.   1. Air & Transportation (Alex Rodriguez) 2. Energy & Technology (Jayson Velazquez and Kendall Keelen) 3. Water (Cierra Patrick) 4. Land (Yaw Darko and Jhoni Ada) 5. Waste (Adrienne Farrar Houel and Diane Lauricella) 6. General CEEJAC (Dr. Mark Mitchell) | 7:20 – 7:50 PM  *30 mins* |
| **Announcements and Closing**  **Upcoming Meetings** | 7:50 – 8:00 PM  *10 mins* |

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