



## Town of Portland, Connecticut

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Equal Opportunity Provider and Employer

**Ethics Commission**

### 2019-2020 Annual Report

The Ethics Commission held one special meeting in 2019-2020. Commission members were George Law, chairman; Jim Probolus, vice chairman; Jeannette Hodge, secretary; and Jay Swanson.

In accordance with the Ethics Ordinance requirements, the following is reported for 2019-2020:

- **Summary of public decisions and opinions:** Advisory Opinion AO2020-01 was issued.
- **Number of decisions regarding complaints:**
  - Complaint 2019-01 – Dismissed due to lack of probable cause.
  - Complaint 2019-02 – Dismissed due to lack of probable cause.
- **Recommendations of any legislative or administrative actions regarding the Town policies and practices which the Commission believes could enhance the ethical environment in which the Town representatives work:** No action taken.

The 34 slide PowerPoint presentation posted on the Town's website was used for training of Town representatives elected or hired in 2019. Certificates of Compliance were received throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

George Law, Chair