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March 17, 2026

Board Members:

The Special Meeting of the **Advocacy Ad Hoc Committee** to be held on **Thursday, March 19, 2026, at 6:00 PM** at Aquaculture School, Board Conference Room, 60 Saint Stephens Road, Bridgeport, CT 06605.

**Public viewing** to the meeting will be made available through [www.bridgeportedu.net/stream](http://www.bridgeportedu.net/stream).

## Agenda

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of the February 25, 2026 Minutes
4. Public Forum - Discussions on the Following:
  - a. Welcome and Introductions
  - b. Reports on Developments Since Last Meeting
  - c. Planning and Discussion of Meeting with Bridgeport Delegation: a) Date/Time/Place; b) Agenda; c) Our Position; d) Who will invite them?
  - d. Other Plans: Lobbying Activities (Letters & Calls); CTFA Tax Day; Bridgeport Day; Other Thoughts?
  - e. Next Meeting
5. Adjourn

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Maritza Estremera Jimenez  
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## Committee Members

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