

# **CONNECTICUT PROBATE ASSEMBLY** **MEETING**

**Wednesday December 2, 2015**

1. **Call to Order:** 9:15 a.m.
2. **Approval of the September 22, 2015 Minutes**  
Approved
3. **Report of the Treasurer – Judge Magistrali**  
- Refund of bond money
4. **Committee Reports**
  - Ethics – Judge Magistrali**
    - Changes between new and old code
  - Education – Judge Becker** – Great program today – last of the year
    - Next year – January 26 – Fiduciary Responsibility and Protection of Assets
    - June – Decedents’ Estates
    - Ideas on new topics – let committee know
  - Legislative – Judge Mahon**
    - Judge Knierim and Vinny working on the budget
  - Nominating – Judge Egan** – No report
  - Planning – Judge Brandt** – No report
  - Procedures Review – Judge Wright** – No report
  - Public Information – Judge Purnell** – No report

## **Ad Hoc Committees:**

- Conservatorship Guidelines – Judge DeGennaro** – No report
- Court Security – Judge DePanfilis** – Active Shooter Training at Middletown Town Hall
- Floating Clerks – Judge Berkenstock** – No report
- Hospitality – Judge Yamin**
  - National College of Probate Judges – Judge Anthony completed a successful presidency
- Judicial Selection Working Group** – Work in progress
  - February is next meeting
- Judge Elkin** –
  - Thankful for all those who have worked on Conservatorship Guidelines

- Clerks on front line have been wonderful about supplying info
- E-mail to judges went out on November 30, 2015 regarding proposed regulation

**5. Remarks of the Probate Court Administrator – Hon. Paul J. Knierim**

- Thanked judges and staff who served Hartford Probate Court during vacancy
- Executive committee
  - Will be reviewing proposed changes to Regulation 16 re: compensation of conservators

**6. Adjournment**

- A motion was made and seconded to adjourn the Probate Assembly meeting
- The motion passed. The meeting adjourned at 9:33 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

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Recording Secretary