

**Town of Mansfield
Complete Count Committee Meeting**

**Wednesday, February 19, 2020
Town Manager's Office
Audrey P. Beck Municipal Building
9:30 AM**

Draft Minutes

Members Present: John Carrington, Kelly Lyman, Pat Schneider, John Armstrong, Rebecca Fields, Pastor Ron Baker

Other Staff Present: Catherine Marx, U.S. Census Bureau

John C. Carrington called the meeting to order at 9:30 AM

1. PUBLIC COMMENT

No members of the public were in attendance.

2. INTRODUCTIONS

Members introduced themselves.

3. UPDATE FROM CATHERINE MARX

Catherine Marx gave a thorough briefing on the 2020 Census. The off-campus count of UConn students presents a challenge and it will require education and effort. The Census is responsible for how the Federal Government allocates funding and congressional positions. The count will happen in 21 days. The timeframe to respond is March 12 - March 20. The response is online by household. The count is safe and secured, the information is only for the Census and cannot be used for anything else without sever penalty. The members asked questions and received answers. The members pledged to take the information back to their communities and properly disseminate it.

The next meeting will be Thursday March 26th at 9:00 AM in the Town Manager's Office.

4. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned at 10:30 AM.

Respectfully submitted,
John C. Carrington, Interim Town Manager