



Connecticut Network
Your State. Your Government. Your Network.

Capitol Place
21 Oak Street • Suite 605
Hartford, CT 06106
Tel. (860) 246-1553
Fax (860) 246-1547
www.ct-n.com

News Release

For Immediate Release

February 19, 2015

Contact: Chris Zaccaro
(860) 246-1553, ext. 116
chris.zaccaro@cga.ct.gov

Budget Plans Revealed & Potential Candy Tax Receives Sweet and Sour Reaction on *CT-N Capitol Report: Week in Review*

Hartford, CT – Starting at 7 p.m. Friday, Connecticut Network viewers will recap a week that included the Governor’s biennial budget address, confirmation hearings for incoming state leaders and a discussion on taxing sugary drinks and candy on *CT-N Capitol Report: Week in Review*.

This past Wednesday was Budget Day at the State Capitol and Governor Dannel Malloy laid out his much anticipated budget proposal for the next two years. His address to the General Assembly, which included his future vision for transportation and corrections in Connecticut, marked the official start to the state budget process and set the stage for many debates during this legislative session. Friday’s episode will have highlights from the Governor’s speech, details of his proposed plan and the immediate reactions from the state’s legislative leaders.

The following day, the confirmation hearings for a number of Governor Malloy’s newly nominated commissioners took place, including nominees for the Departments of Motor Vehicles, Consumer Protection, Aging and Administrative Services. *Capitol Report* will review the hearings, as well as a bill currently being considered by the Committee on Children that imposes a tax on sugary drinks and candy.

Capitol Report: Week in Review summarizes the activity at the State Capitol during the week, using voice over and graphics to combine history, context, and next steps in the process with full-length excerpts from the week’s proceedings. The program premieres on CT-N every Friday night at 7:00 p.m., then rebroadcasts at Noon and 7:00 p.m. on Saturdays, 8:00 p.m. on Sundays, and 6:00 a.m. Monday mornings; check CT-N’s online program schedule for additional airtimes. Each episode runs between 30 and 60 minutes.

In keeping with the network’s seamless integration of telecast and interactive content, all episodes of *Capitol Report* are available online on www.CT-N.com and CT-N’s Capitol Report YouTube channel. Visit www.ct-n.com/CR for OnDemand viewing, annotated with synopses and links to related gavel-to-gavel coverage.

CT-N is available full-time for Frontier Communications U-Verse customers on channel 83 and on expanded basic cable statewide. Visit ct-n.com to find the channel location for the network in your community or to watch online. All Connecticut Network programming is closed captioned for the hearing impaired.

Nominated for a 2012 Boston/New England Emmy Award, Winner of the national Sunshine Award from the Society of Professional Journalists and the Excellence in Journalism Award from the Connecticut Chapter of the Society of Professional Journalists, the Connecticut Network is the state’s source for complete and balanced television and webcast coverage of state government and public affairs. For more information, become a fan of CT-N on Facebook, follow the network at www.twitter.com/CTNetworkTV or visit CT-N’s website at www.ct-n.com.

#####