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Deadline for Budget Agreement Set & New DMV Leadership Team Revealed on *CT-N Capitol Report: Week in Review*

Hartford, CT – This Friday at 7 p.m., Connecticut Network viewers will recap a week where bipartisan budget deficit talks provided a timeframe for action, a new DMV leadership team was introduced and a vote on the much-discussed constitutional lockbox took place on the latest episode of *CT-N Capitol Report: Week in Review*.

When legislative leaders emerged from Governor Dannel Malloy's office after bipartisan [budget deficit talks](#) on Wednesday they revealed that they had come to an agreement about closing the estimated \$220 million deficit in the current fiscal year. The actual plan will still have to be negotiated, but a deadline of June 30, 2016 has been agreed upon. On the same day, the Governor revealed a new leadership team for the state's [Department of Motor Vehicles](#), with an emphasis on public-private partnership.

Over at the Legislative Office Building many of the Governor's proposals were discussed this past week. The [Transportation Committee](#) met its deadline to act on bills and voted on his constitutional lockbox for transportation funds and a bill to decrease wait times at the DMV. The [Judiciary Committee](#) also heard hours of testimony on his bill to remove firearms in temporary restraining order cases.

This week's episode will also cover the [Human Services Committee's](#) debate and vote on a bill that would impose a fee on large employers paying low wages, as well as the [Higher Education Committee's](#) vote on a compromise bill that would increase transparency at the UConn Foundation.

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.

All episodes of *Capitol Report* are available online, in keeping with the network's seamless integration of telecast and interactive content. Visit www.ct-n.com/CR for OnDemand viewing, annotated with synopses and links to related gavel-to-gavel coverage.

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