

Advocacy Chat Recordings



Advocacy Chat: 2026 Wrap-Up

June 15, 2026

That's a wrap! Josh Hanford, VLCT's Director of Intergovernmental Relations, and Samantha Sheehan, VLCT's Municipal Policy and Advocacy Specialist, reviewed the results of the 2026 legislative session. The presentation included updates on legislative action related to:

- Act 181 Reform
- Municipal Authority Over Agriculture
- Town Highway Funding
- Property Valuation
- PILOT Fund Appropriations
- Housing, Planning, and Zoning
- Special Assessment Bond Authority
- Animal Welfare
- Windham County Law Enforcement Pilot
- Minimum Wage for Municipal Officials Change
- and more!

Also, hear what your municipal colleagues from around the state have to say about the legislative session and additional concerns created by new legislation.

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Tune in to learn what's happening in the State House during the 2026 legislative session. Watch Josh Hanford, VLCT's Director of Intergovernmental Relations, and Samantha Sheehan, VLCT's Municipal Policy and Advocacy Specialist, to learn what mid-session progress has been made on the issues that matter most to local government. Also, hear what your municipal colleagues from around the state have to say about the hot topics and share your concerns for the legislature.

May 4, 2026

This is the last regular Advocacy Chat of this legislative session before the final Wrap-Up Chat.

April 6, 2026

March 23, 2026

March 9, 2026

February 9, 2026

Advocacy Chat: Preview of 2026



December 15, 2025

Watch & listen to anticipate what's in store for the 2026 legislative session. Learn from Josh Hanford and Samantha Sheehan about the progress that has been made since June on the issues that matter most to local government. Also hear what your municipal colleagues from around the state have to say about the hot topics and share your concerns and ideas for legislative action.

