



RETIRED MEN'S ASSOCIATION OF GREENWICH, Inc. (RMA)
Invites you to its meeting March 9, 2022, at 11:00 a.m.
First Presbyterian Church, Lafayette Place, Greenwich, CT
The program will also be shown on Webinar: <https://bit.ly/30IBj21>

Conversion with Governor Ned Lamont on the Challenges Facing Connecticut



Governor Ned Lamont will discuss the actions and legislation he has initiated to lead Connecticut's recovery from its fiscal crisis and the stresses of the pandemic. He will also speak on the multiple measures he has taken to invest in Connecticut's future. In his three years in office, his administration has launched initiatives to reduce taxes, provide paid medical and family leave for employees, decarbonize the electric grid, establish a development program to improve the skills of our workforce, and much more. He will further discuss how the business climate in Connecticut has improved and the measures taken to invest in health, education, the environment, and public safety.

Elected governor in 2018, Ned Lamont is the state's first chief executive with a business background in 80 years. He entered the cable television industry, managing the startup operation in Fairfield County, CT, for Cablevision. In 1984, he founded Campus Televideo, a company that provides cable and satellite services to college campuses and grew to serve over 400 of America's largest colleges and one million college students across the nation.

Lamont got involved in public service shortly after college, founding a weekly newspaper in a town hit by the loss of its largest employer. Covering town meetings and the Board of Selectmen, he helped to bring voice and transparency to a community working to recover from job losses and reinvent itself. Later, as a member of both the Greenwich Board of Selectmen and the Board of Estimate and Taxation, Lamont worked in a bipartisan effort to safeguard a multimillion-dollar budget and deliver results for constituents. For four years, Lamont also served as Chairman of the State Investment Advisory Council, overseeing a multibillion-dollar state pension fund.

Lamont was Connecticut's democratic candidate for the U.S. Senate in 2006 but lost the election to incumbent Joe Lieberman. After the election, he served as a teaching fellow at the Harvard Institute of Politics and the Yale School of Management. He then became an adjunct faculty member and chair of the Arts and Sciences Public Policy Committee at Central Connecticut State University, where he was named Distinguished Professor of Political Science and Philosophy.

Ned has a BA in sociology from Harvard College and an MBA from the Yale School of Management. He and his wife Anne live in Greenwich and have three children.

Please Note: Attendees must show proof of vaccination and booster at the door for admittance. Masks must be worn at all times in the church.

Next week, March 16: Ryan Fazio, State Senator, District 36, Connecticut State Senate, “Challenges facing Connecticut’s State Legislature.”

The Greenwich Retired Men’s Association offers a free program every Wednesday at 11:00 a.m. For additional information see www.greenwichrma.org or contact us by email at info@greenwichrma.org