

New Hampshire Commission for Human Rights

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Who We Are

The Human Rights Commission was established in 1965 by RSA 354-A for the purpose of eliminating discrimination in the areas of employment, housing, public accommodation and as of 2019, education (K-12).

The Commission is comprised of 7 volunteer Commissioners who provide oversight and make decisions on charges of discrimination.

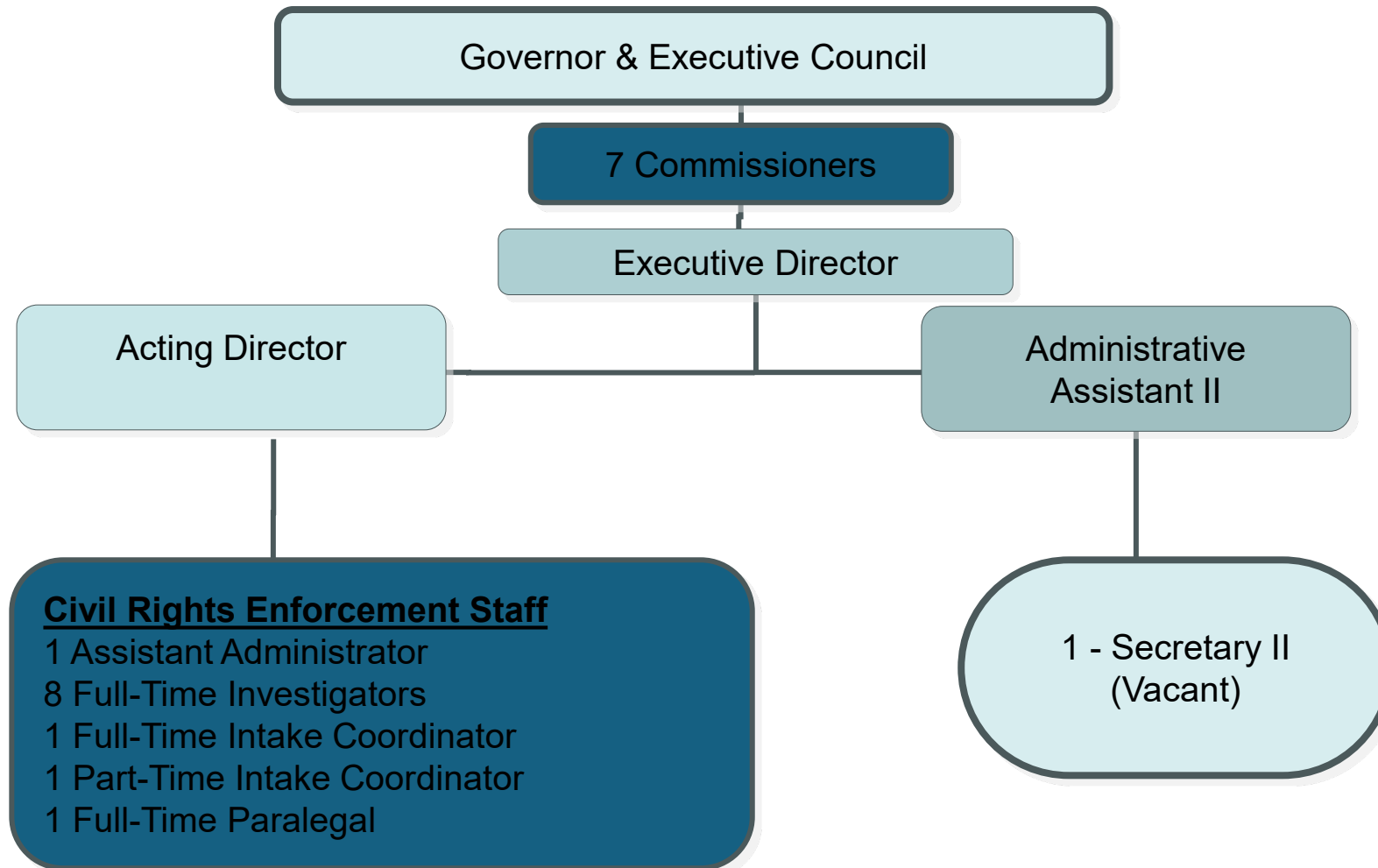
Each Commissioner is appointed by the Governor with the consent of the Executive Council, for a term of 5 years.

What We Do

The Commission has the power to receive, investigate and pass upon complaints of illegal discrimination and to engage in research, education, and community outreach designed to prevent discrimination.

In addition to the authority vested in the Commission by RSA 354-A to enforce New Hampshire's laws against discrimination, the Commission also partners with the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC) to enforce federal laws prohibiting discrimination in employment as well.

Current Commission Organization



Agency Adjustments

- **Reductions:**
 - **General Funds Reduced:**
 - **Unfunded Full Time Secretary Position**
 - **FY 2026 Salary and Benefit Reduction: \$56,343**
 - **FY 2027 Salary and Benefit Reduction: \$59,267**
 - **Federal Funds Reduced:**
 - **Unfunded Full Time Secretary Position**
 - **FY 2026 Salary and Benefit Reduction: \$5,572**
 - **FY 2027 Salary and Benefit Reduction: \$5,862**

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FY2024-2025 FUNDING & 2026-2027 FUNDING				
Description	FY 2024 Adjusted Authorized	FY 2025 Adjusted Authorized	FY 2026 Budget	FY 2027 Budget
General Funds	\$1,703,833	\$1,645,412	\$1,582,705	\$1,629,311
Federal Funds	\$137,823	\$153,312	\$182,129	\$184,425
Total	\$1,841,656	\$1,798,724	\$1,764,834	\$1,813,736

**FY2024 Authorized included one time moving costs to new location.