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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

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https://gc.nh.gov/senate/schedule/dailyschedule.aspx

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https://www.youtube.com/NewHampshireSenateLivestream

Links are also available on the Senate Meeting Schedule.

Second Year of the 169th Session of the New Hampshire General Court

SENATE CALENDAR

THE SENATE WILL MEET IN SESSION FOR ORGANIZATION DAY ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2026 AT 10:00 A.M. AND WILL MEET IN JOINT CONVENTION WITH THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Pursuant to Part Second, Article 3 of the New Hampshire Constitution, the Senate "shall assemble biennially on the first Wednesday of December for organizational purposes in even numbered years."

The Senate Session on Wednesday, December 2, 2026, in the Senate Chamber will be live streamed at the following link:

https://youtube.com/live/2ySsu4be1Qk?feature=share

Please note, this link will not be live until the Senate Session on Wednesday, December 2, 2026 at 10:00 A.M.

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NEW HAMPSHIRE DEPARTMENT OF STATE

David M. Scanlan
Secretary of State

TO: ALL NEWLY ELECTED AND RE-ELECTED MEMBERS OF THE STATE SENATE

RE: New Hampshire Constitution, Part Second

[Art.] 33. [Secretary of State to Count Votes for Senators and Notify Persons Elected.] And that there may be a due meeting of senators and representatives on the first Wednesday of December, biennially, the secretary of state shall, as soon as may be, examine the returned copy of such records; and fourteen days before the first Wednesday of December, he shall issue his summons to such persons as appear to be chosen senators and representatives, by a plurality of votes, to attend and take their seats on that day.

Article 33, Part II of the New Hampshire Constitution requires the secretary of state to summon each person who has been chosen as a state senator to attend the opening session of the General Court.

Thus, in accordance with the examination of votes cast at the biennial election held November 3, 2026, you are hereby summoned to attend and take your seat as a state senator on Wednesday, December 2, 2026 at 10:00 a.m. in the Senate Chambers in the State House.

Sincerely,

David M. Scanlan
Secretary of State

November 2026

MEETINGS

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 20, 2026

OVERSIGHT COMMISSION ON CHILDREN'S SERVICES (RSA 21-V:10)

9:00 a.m.	Room 100, SH	Regular Meeting

HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 126-A:13)

9:30 a.m.	Room 103, SH	Regular Meeting

FISCAL COMMITTEE (RSA 14:30-a)

11:00 a.m.	Room 210-211, LOB	Regular Meeting

CYANOBACTERIA MITIGATION LOAN AND GRANT FUND TASK FORCE (RSA 485-A:62)

1:00 p.m.	Room 100, SH	Regular Meeting

COMMISSION TO STUDY ENVIRONMENTALLY TRIGGERED CHRONIC ILLNESS (RSA 126-A:73-a)

3:00 p.m.	Remote Only Join Zoom Meeting https://us06web.zoom.us/j/86117818803?pwd=cWRXdlgwQnQvc2ZRbkNObGhGc3M0dz09	Regular Meeting

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 2026

ASSESSING STANDARDS BOARD (RSA 21-J:14-a)

9:30 a.m.	Department of Revenue Administration 109 Pleasant Street Concord, NH	Regular Meeting

COMMISSION TO STUDY THE INCIDENCE OF POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER IN FIRST RESPONDERS (RSA 281-A:17-e)

10:00 a.m.	Room 210-211, LOB	Regular Meeting

PUBLIC HIGHER EDUCATION STUDY COMMITTEE (RSA 187-A:28-a)

1:00 p.m.	Room 100, SH	Regular Meeting

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2026

COMMISSION TO STUDY THE USE AND REGULATION OF THE SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (SNAP) IN NEW HAMPSHIRE (RSA 161:15)

9:30 a.m.	Room 100, SH	Regular Meeting

LEGISLATIVE ETHICS COMMITTEE (RSA 14-B:2)

1:00 p.m.	Room 101, LOB	Regular Meeting

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2026

STATE VETERANS ADVISORY COMMITTEE (RSA 115-A:2)

5:00 p.m.	Edward Cross Training Complex 722 Riverwood Drive Pembroke, NH	Regular Meeting

MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2026

ADVISORY COUNCIL ON CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION (RSA 188-E:10-b)

9:00 a.m.	25 Hall Street Concord, NH	Regular Meeting

NH COLLEGE TUITION SAVINGS PLAN ADVISORY COMMISSION (RSA 195-H:2)

9:00 a.m.	Granite Edvance 3 Barrell Court Concord, NH	Regular Meeting

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 10, 2026

CURRENT USE BOARD (RSA 79-A:3)

9:00 a.m.	Training Room, 109 Pleasant Street, Concord	Public Forum

CURRENT USE BOARD (RSA 79-A:3)

9:00 a.m.	Department of Revenue Administration Training Room 109 Pleasant Street Concord, NH	Regular Meeting

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 11, 2026

THE GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION ON ADDICTION, TREATMENT AND PREVENTION (RSA 12-J:1)

9:30 a.m.	Executive Council Chambers Room 208, SH	Regular Meeting

COMMISSION TO STUDY THE INCIDENCE OF POST-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER IN FIRST RESPONDERS (RSA 281-A:17-e)

10:00 a.m.	NH Fire Academy 98 Smokey Bear Boulevard Classroom 2 Concord, NH	Regular Meeting

MONDAY, DECEMBER 14, 2026

NEW HAMPSHIRE COUNCIL ON SUICIDE PREVENTION (RSA 126-R:2)

10:00 a.m.	National Guard Edward Cross Training Center 722 Riverwood Drive Pembroke, NH https://naminh-org.zoom.us/j/81260403703 Webinar ID: 812 6040 3703 Dial by your location +1 646 931 3860 US +1 646 558 8656 US (New York)	Regular Meeting

NEW HAMPSHIRE DRUG OVERDOSE FATALITY REVIEW COMMISSION (RSA 126-DD:1)

2:00 p.m.	Room 100, SH	Regular Meeting

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 17, 2026

COUNTY-STATE FINANCE COMMISSION (RSA 28-B:1)

10:00 a.m.	Brown Building 129 Pleasant Street Concord, NH	Regular Meeting

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 18, 2026

NEW HAMPSHIRE-IRELAND TRADE COUNCIL (RSA 12-O:22-a)

9:00 a.m.	Department of Business and Economic Affairs 100 North Main Street, Suite 100 Concord, NH	Regular Meeting

WORKING GROUP FOR THE STUDY OF NURSING HOME RATE MEDICAID METHODOLOGY (SB 663, Chapter 276:1, Laws of 2026)

1:00 p.m.	DHHS Brown Building Conference Room 468 129 Pleasant Street Concord, NH	Regular Meeting

MONDAY, DECEMBER 21, 2026

STATE COMMISSION ON AGING (RSA 19-P:1)

10:00 a.m. NH Hospital Association — Regular Meeting
125 Airport Road
Concord, NH
Zoom: https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87430173115
Meeting ID: 874 3017 3115

MEETINGS 2027

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8, 2027

COMMISSION TO STUDY THE USE OF OHRVS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE (RSA 215-A:44-a)

10:00 a.m. Remote Only — Regular Meeting
Microsoft Teams meeting
Join: https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/2662815215868558?p=q0M1C6RF0q6YTcAjGQ
Meeting ID: 266 281 521 586 855 8
Passcode: GD6dY34E

MONDAY, JANUARY 11, 2027

ADVISORY COUNCIL ON CAREER AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION (RSA 188-E:10-b)

9:00 a.m. 25 Hall Street — Regular Meeting
Concord, NH

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2027

NEW HAMPSHIRE DRINKING WATER AND GROUNDWATER ADVISORY COMMISSION (RSA 485-F:4)

10:00 a.m. NHDES 29 — Regular Meeting
29 Hazen Drive
Concord, NH

FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 2027

COMMISSION TO STUDY THE USE OF OHRVS IN NEW HAMPSHIRE (RSA 215-A:44-a)

10:00 a.m. Remote Only — Regular Meeting
Microsoft Teams meeting
Join: https://teams.microsoft.com/meet/2178314887410117?p=z4bJrpI7lHLTT3UfuH
Meeting ID: 217 831 488 741 011 7
Passcode: Rf3hQ9RG

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2026 BILLS REMAINING ON THE TABLE

SENATE BILLS: 123, 404, 446, 466, 474, 476, 478, 479, 483, 517, 553, 558, 561, 566, 583, 612, 613, 616, 626, 631, 635, 645, 650, 651, 654, 659, 662, 664

HOUSE BILLS: 54, 112, 121, 186, 246, 704, 751, 1043, 1064, 1121, 1128, 1217, 1299, 1421, 1447, 1544, 1566, 1571, 1597, 1600, 1709, 1808, 1818, 1828

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NOTICES

With several national conferences and other events taking place throughout the Summer and Fall, please remember that any costs that are waived, forgiven, reduced, prepaid, or reimbursed from an organization such as NCSL or CSG, that are related to your attendance at the event, must be reported on an "Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement Report" and filed with the Secretary of State's Office. The forms can be downloaded from the Legislative Ethics Committee's website RSA 14-C - Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement Report - August 2019.pdf (state.nh.us) . Payments received from the Senate do not have to be reported on the form. If you have any questions on ethics filings, please feel free to contact Rich Lambert, Executive Administrator of the Legislative Ethics Committee, at richard.lambert@gc.nh.gov or at (603) 271-3326.

Senator Sharon M. Carson, Senate President

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2026

The New Hampshire Women's Foundation cordially invites all elected women to the *Women of the State House* breakfast on Organization Day, **Wednesday, December 2, 2026, from 7:30 – 9:00 AM at O Steaks and Seafood, 11 South Main St, Concord**. Coffee and light breakfast will be available beginning at 7:30 AM. Republican and Democratic women leaders will speak at 8:00 AM, followed by time to meet and mingle with returning and newly elected women until caucus meetings. RSVP is not required, but your response is appreciated and can be sent to info@nhwomensfoundation.org.

Senator Sharon M. Carson, Senate President
Senator Rebecca Perkins Kwoka, Senate Minority Leader

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WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2026

It's back! Sheehan Phinney Capitol Group cordially invites all Senate members and staff to their Welcome Back Reception on **Wednesday, December 2, 2026 at Tandy's Pub & Grille, One Eagle Square** (directly across the street from the State House) **following the close of session, or at 3:00 PM** should the session end early.

Senator Regina Birdsell, Senate Majority Leader
Senator Rebecca Perkins Kwoka, Senate Minority Leader

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SENATE SCHEDULE

Thursday, November 26, 2026	Thanksgiving Day (State Holiday)
Friday, November 27, 2026	Day after Thanksgiving (State Holiday)
Wednesday, December 2, 2026	Organization Day
Friday, December 18, 2026, at 4:00 p.m.	Last day for prime sponsors to sign off on legislation.
Friday, December 25, 2026	Christmas Day (State Holiday)