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HOUSE CALENDAR

NOTICE

MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE:

I would like to extend warm and sincere congratulations to Representative Wanda McNamara and Assistant House Clerk Leo Callahan on their recent nuptials. May they enjoy many years of happiness!

Now that the filing period for legislation has opened, I encourage you to file any requests that you may have for the coming session as soon as possible. The last day to file your requests is October 1st.

I know committees have been working on re-referred bills throughout the summer. Please feel free to contact us to discuss any concerns you may have or if we can be of assistance in any way. The deadline for committees to file reports on these re-referred bills is November 3.

Donna Sytek, Speaker

NOTICE

DEADLINES FOR FILING 1998 BILLS

SEPTEMBER 2 - Tuesday First day that requests for drafting of bills for introduction in the second-year session may be filed with the Office of Legislative Services.

OCTOBER 1 - Wednesday Last day to file bill drafting requests.

NOVEMBER 3 - Monday Last day to report all re-referred bills from the first-year session.

NOVEMBER 7 - Friday Last day to file legislation relating to subject matter of study committees.

NOVEMBER 21 - Friday Last day to sign off all bills requiring fiscal notes (FNs) and study committee bills. Sign-off shall be 10 calendar days after receipt by the sponsor of the draft legislation, or November 21, whichever day is earlier.

DECEMBER 5 - Friday Last day to sign off all other bills. Sign-off shall be 10 calendar days after receipt by the sponsor of the draft legislation, or December 5, whichever day is earlier.

DECEMBER 22 - Monday Availability of chairmen's copies of all bills and resolutions.

COMMITTEE HEARINGS

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8

ADVISORY COUNCIL ON UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION (RSA 282-A:128), Office of NH Employment Security, Administrative Office, 32 South Main Street, Concord

10:00 a.m. Work session.

CHARTER SCHOOLS AND OPEN ENROLLMENT LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 194-B:21), Westside Community Center, 39 West Broadway, Route 102, Derry

7:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

DEVELOPING AND IMPLEMENTING A STATEWIDE SCHOOL TECHNOLOGY PLAN OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (HB 262, Chapter 191, Laws of 1997), Room 207, LOB

4:00 p.m. Organizational meeting.

FINANCE - (DIVISION I), Room 212, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on *CACR 21*, Relating to a balanced budget. Providing that the governor be prohibited from proposing, and the general court be prohibited from approving, an operating budget in which expenditures exceed estimated revenue.

OFFICIAL BALLOT REFERENDA ADOPTION PROCEDURES STUDY (SB 594, Chapter 276:3, Laws of 1996), Room 105A, State House

1:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

PERINATAL ALCOHOL, TOBACCO & OTHER DRUG USE TASK FORCE (RSA 132:19), Room 101, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

REASONABLE COMPENSATION FOR TRUSTEES OF CHARITABLE TRUSTS STUDY (SB 82, Chapter 278:3, Laws of 1997), Room 103, LOB

9:30 a.m. Regular meeting.

WITHDRAWAL FROM COOPERATIVE SCHOOL DISTRICTS STUDY (HB 165, Chapter 139, Laws of 1997), Room 207, LOB

3:00 p.m. Organizational meeting.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

COMMISSION TO REVIEW FISH AND GAME LAWS RELATING TO DAMAGE BY GAME BIRDS AND GAME (HB 706, Chapter 60, Laws of 1997), Room 307, LOB

1:00 p.m. Rescheduled regular meeting.

COMMITTEE TO STUDY ACTIONS AND ALL INVESTIGATIONS OF THE LATE JOHN C. FAIRBANKS AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE LEGAL PROFESSION (HB 688, Chapter 340, Laws of 1997), Room 208, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, Room 204, LOB

9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on *HB 583-FN-LOCAL*, relative to felonious disarming of a law enforcement officer.

10:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on *SB 102- FN*, relative to the possession of certain weapons in the commission of a violent crime.

1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on *HB 480*, revising the law relative to protection of persons from domestic violence.

3:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 682-FN-LOCAL***, requiring law enforcement agencies to notify certain community organizations when a sexual offender moves into the community.

ELECTION LAW, Room 308, LOB

9: 30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 443***, relative to push-polling, ***HB 659***, modifying restrictions on televised political advertising and ***HB 333-FN-LOCAL***, establishing a fine for political advertising placed or affixed prior to the date permitted by statute or placed on or affixed to any public property.

ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE, Room 303, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 553-LOCAL***, relative to a right to farm.

HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES AND ELDERLY AFFAIRS, Room 205, LOB

9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 686-FN-A***, relative to financing child day care facilities and making an appropriation therefor.

NEEDLE EXCHANGE PILOT PROGRAM ADVISORY COMMITTEE (HB 225, Chapter 315:3, Laws of 1997), Room 205, LOB

1:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

NEW HAMPSHIRE COMMISSION ON THE SMITHSONIAN FESTIVAL OF AMERICAN FOLKLIFE (SJR 20, Chapter 204, Laws of 1996), Room 206, LOB

3:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

PERFORMANCE AUDIT AND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 17-N:1), Room 103, State House

1:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

TRANSPORTATION, Room 203, LOB

9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 627-FN***, establishing a conservation number plate trust fund, and a special motor vehicle license plate and associated fees, to support New Hampshire's natural and cultural resources.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

CAMPAIGN FINANCE REFORM STUDY (SB 70, Chapter 276, Laws of 1997), Room 101, LOB

2:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

COMMERCE, Room 302, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 798***, relative to the bonding requirement for health clubs.

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 410***, allowing mental health counselors and marriage and family therapists to obtain third party payments for services rendered which would otherwise qualify for such payments.

11:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 721***, prohibiting certain tobacco or alcohol advertising within drug-free school zones.

1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 147***, relative to disclosure of certain information relating to tobacco products.

1:30 p.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 505***, revising provisions relative to smoking in indoor public places.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, Room 204, LOB

10:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 271***, establishing a committee to examine the effectiveness and efficiency of the multiple DWI offender intervention detention center program, ***HB 414***, authorizing the commissioner of the department of safety to adopt rules imposing late fees for the impaired driver intervention programs and ***HB 420***, relative to administrative review of suspended or revoked motor vehicle licenses.

1:15 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 605-FN-LOCAL**, relative to procedures regarding delinquent children under RSA 169B.

DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME ORGANIZATION, STRUCTURE AND ADMINISTRATION STUDY (HB 671, Chapter 93, Laws of 1997), Room 307, LOB

9:30 a.m. Services and Programs subcommittee (VI) work session.

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 143-LOCAL**, requiring that SAU budgets be approved by vote at school district meetings.

1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 784-FN-LOCAL**, changing the age requirements for providing public education, including special education.

EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS OF STUDENT DRIVERS STUDY (HB 695, Chapter 154:2, Laws of 1997), Room 203, LOB

9:30 a.m. Regular meeting.

ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE, Room 303, LOB

10:00 a.m. Rescheduled subcommittee work session on **HB 396-LOCAL**, prohibiting current use tax designation for property granted a change in zoning classification for 5 years after the reclassification and **SB 145-L**, relative to the definition of "open space land" for purposes of current use taxation.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 202, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 751-FN-LOCAL**, relative to spousal benefits for certain retired group II members of the retirement system.

11:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **SB 68**, providing health care coverage for the spouse and dependents of any group I or group II retirement system member who is killed in the line of duty.

1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 753-FN**, relative to the board of auctioneers and the conduct of auctions.

FINANCE - (DIVISION II), ROOM 209, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HR 62**, instructing the House finance committee to study alternatives to the use of municipal property taxes to fund public primary and secondary education.

11:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 563-FN-A**, relative to a tax on telecommunications easements.

1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 223-FN-LOCAL**, providing that catastrophic aid for special education shall be fully funded.

FISCAL COMMITTEE (RSA 14:30-a), Rooms 210-211, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular business.

9:30 a.m. Audit: Department of Health and Human Services.

Glencliff Home for the Elderly.

JUDICIARY AND FAMILY LAW, Room 208, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 290**, relative to electronic signatures, **HB 555**, exempting an individual's pensions and individual retirement accounts from bankruptcy attachment, **HB 616-FN**, relative to jury selection reforms and **HB 734-FN**, requiring district courts to hold evening sessions and **SB 25**, establishing employer immunity from civil liability for good faith disclosure of information regarding current and former employees to prospective employers.

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 361**, clarifying the status of tenants who reside in rooming or boarding houses for more than 90 consecutive days, **HB 606-FN-LOCAL**, relative to procedures regarding children in need of services under RSA 169-D, **HB 774-FN**, relative to

child support, custodial rights, and visitation, **HB 793**, limiting the civil liability of persons engaged in equine activities, **HB 802**, relative to judgments on past due rent and judgments for eviction, **SB 197**, relative to final dispositional orders in child protection cases and **SB 26**, preventing recovery by a nonsupporting parent in a wrongful death claim or action on behalf of the nonsupported child until child support arrearages are paid in full.

LEGISLATIVE FACILITIES (RSA 17-E:2), Room 103, State House

1:00 p.m. Rescheduled regular meeting.

PERMISSIBLE FIREWORKS REVIEW COMMITTEE (RSA 160-B:23), Richard M. Flynn Fire Academy, 222 Sheep Davis Road (Route 106), Concord

9:30 a.m. Regular meeting. (Rain date: September 11.)

SCIENCE , TECHNOLOGY AND ENERGY, Room 304, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 643-FN**, establishing an industry average performance system for air pollution control, and establishing certain pollution control funds.

1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 406**, relative to environmental disclosure by electric power facilities, **HB 485**, relative to limited electrical energy producers, **HB 587-FN**, relative to the system benefits charge and interim stranded costs recovery charges in electric utility restructuring, **HB 651-FN-LOCAL**, relative to electric rate reduction financing, **HB 750-FN-LOCAL**, relative to municipal water systems and **HB 754-FN**, relative to special gas and electric rates for customers dependent on life-support equipment.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, Room 204, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 665-FN**, establishing the crime of felony murder.

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 612-FN**, requiring the state board of education and the department of education to establish suitable tests of academic knowledge to be administered as a prerequisite for certification of new teachers in New Hampshire.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 202, LOB

10:00 a.m. Rescheduled subcommittee work session on **HB 600**, consolidating administrative support for the regulation of health professionals, **HB 281**, relative to regulation of medical assistants, **HB 756-FN**, relative to the registration of alternative providers of mental health services and **HB 762-FN**, relative to the regulation of naturopathic medicine.

2:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **SB 131-FN**, allowing certain state employees to take paid leave to participate in disaster relief service work.

LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES STUDY OF ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATIONS AND MANAGEMENT OF PERSONAL CARE ASSISTANCE PERSONNEL (HB 426, Chapter 217, Laws of 1997), Room 205, LOB

1:00 a.m. Rescheduled regular meeting.

STATE AGENCIES ASSISTANCE TO SMALL BUSINESS IN COMPLYING WITH STATE LAW STUDY (HB 540, Chapter 59, Laws of 1997), Room 206, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

TELECOMMUNICATIONS OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 374:22-h), Room 304, LOB

1:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

UNIVERSITY SYSTEM STUDY COMMITTEE (RSA 187-A:28). Room 105A, State House

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

BOARD OF CLAIMS (RSA 541-B:3), Room 202, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

CURRENT USE BOARD (RSA 79-A:3), DRED Conference Room, 172 Pembroke Road, Concord

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting

STATEWIDE EDUCATION IMPROVEMENT AND ASSESSMENT PROGRAM LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE (RSA 193-C:7), Room 105A, State House

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 202, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 256-FN**, establishing uniform adjudicative proceedings for state agencies and establishing a pilot program for adjudicative hearings.

INTERAGENCY ENERGY EFFICIENCY COMMITTEE (RSA 21-I:19-c), 57 Regional Drive, Concord

2:00 p.m. Organizational meeting.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16

COMMITTEE TO STUDY ACTIONS AND ALL INVESTIGATIONS OF THE LATE JOHN C. FAIRBANKS AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE LEGAL PROFESSION (HB 688, Chapter 340, Laws of 1997), Room 208, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES AND ELDERLY AFFAIRS, Room 205, LOB

9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 686-FN-A**, relative to financing child day care facilities and making an appropriation therefor.

JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMISSION (RSA 169-H:1), Room 207, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT, Room 301, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 676-FN-LOCAL**, establishing procedures for the distribution of proceeds from the sale of tax-deeded property by a municipality and **SB 56**, establishing a method for repurchase of tax-deeded property by the former owner of the property and limiting the recovery by municipalities of proceeds from sales of tax-deeded property.

11:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 641**, relative to property tax bills for land parcels having multiple owners and **HB 642**, requiring that all property taxes be paid prior to approval of a subdivision plat.

VEHICLE EMISSIONS ADVISORY (RSA 260:20,I), Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

ADOPTION OF 2-YEAR BUDGET CYCLE FOR MANCHESTER STUDY (SB 152, Chapter 68, Laws of 1997), Room 102, LOB

10:30 a.m. Regular meeting.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, Room 204, LOB

10:00 a.m. Public hearing on **HB 204-FN-LOCAL**, relative to transportation of arrestees, detained defendants, and prisoners and court control of arrestees, detained defendants, and prisoners.

Executive session on pending re-referred legislation to follow.

ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE, Room 303, LOB

9:30 a.m. Exploratory bottle bill subcommittee work session.

1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 207-FN**, relative to pesticide registration fees and making an appropriation therefor.

FINANCE - (DIVISION II), ROOM 209, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HR 62**, instructing the House Finance Committee to study alternatives to the use of municipal property taxes to fund public primary and secondary education.

HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES AND ELDERLY AFFAIRS, Room 205, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 266**, relative to the Alzheimer's Special Care Disclosure Act.

LOCAL AND REGULATED REVENUES, Room 206, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 432**, increasing the wager limit on games of chance from \$1 to \$5.

1:30 p.m. Public hearing on **HB 707-LOCAL**, relative to municipal taxation of utility property.

Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT, Room 301, LOB

2:30 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **SB 179**, establishing a committee to study creating a New Hampshire local government records management improvement fund.

NEW HAMPSHIRE VOLUNTEER PROGRAM STUDY (HB 158, Chapter 32, Laws of 1997), Room 104, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS, Room 201, LOB

9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 126-FN-LOCAL**, repealing road toll refunds for retail dealers.

REDUCING NUMBER OF YEARS NEEDED TO BE VESTED IN THE RETIREMENT SYSTEM (SB 146, Chapter 169, Laws of 1997), Room 103, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

RESOURCES, RECREATION AND DEVELOPMENT, Room 305, LOB

9:30 a.m. Joint subcommittees work session on **HB 272**, relative to boat docking facilities and **HB 547**, relative to granting permits to build certain structures on shoreline property.

10:30 a.m. Joint subcommittees work session on **HB 350**, exempting permits by rule and permits by notification from certain excavating and dredging permit requirements and **HB 581-FN**, authorizing the department of environmental services to issue permits in emergency situations, expanding the exemptions for excavating and dredging permits, and establishing a notification process for the replacement and repair of existing legal structures.

SCIENCE , TECHNOLOGY AND ENERGY, Room 304, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 643-FN***, establishing an industry average performance system for air pollution control, and establishing certain pollution control funds.

SILVER LAKE IN THE TOWNS OF BELMONT AND TILTON STUDY (SB 144, Chapter 67, Laws of 1997), Room 103, LOB

1:30 p.m. Regular meeting.

WILDLIFE AND MARINE RESOURCES, Room 307, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 747-FN-A***, establishing a fund for the acquisition or care of land or easements for wildlife habitats, continually appropriating the fund, and requiring an additional fee for each hunting or fishing license to be credited to the fund.

YOUTH EMPLOYMENT LAW STUDY (SB 21, Chapter 300:2, Laws of 1997), Room 102, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 202, LOB

10:00 a.m. Rescheduled subcommittee work session on ***HB 600***, consolidating administrative support for the regulation of health professionals, ***HB 281***, relative to regulation of medical assistants, ***HB 756-FN***, relative to the registration of alternative providers of mental health services and ***HB 762-FN***, relative to the regulation of naturopathic medicine.

JUDICIAL PENSIONS STUDY (HB 300, Chapter 192, Laws of 1997), Room 208, LOB

9:30 a.m. Regular meeting.

TRANSPORTATION, Room 203, LOB

9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***SB 187***, relative to the penalties for certain court defaults.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 19

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2), Rooms 306-308, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT, Rockingham County Commissioner's Office, Brentwood, New Hampshire

9:00 a.m. County Government subcommittee work session.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

COMMITTEE TO STUDY ACTIONS AND ALL INVESTIGATIONS OF THE LATE JOHN C. FAIRBANKS AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE LEGAL PROFESSION (HB 688, Chapter 340, Laws of 1997), Room 208, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES AND ELDERLY AFFAIRS, Room 205, LOB

9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 686-FN-A***, relative to financing child day care facilities and making an appropriation therefor.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT, Room 301, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 676-FN-LOCAL***, establishing procedures for the distribution of proceeds from the sale of tax-deeded property by a municipality and ***SB 56***, establishing a method for repurchase of tax-deeded property by the former owner of the property and

limiting the recovery by municipalities of proceeds from sales of tax-deeded property.

NH RETIREMENT SYSTEM STUDY ON REDEFINING EARNABLE COMPENSATION (HB 737, Chapter 72:2, Laws of 1997), Room 202, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 24

ACCESS TO DATA CONCERNING PHYSICIANS AND SURGEONS LICENSED UNDER RSA 329 STUDY, (SB 159, Chapter 233, Laws of 1997), Room 102, LOB

2:00 p.m. Organizational meeting.

COMMERCE, Room 302, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on *HB 541*, relative to long-term care insurance.

COMMITTEE TO STUDY AND IDENTIFY STATUTES AND ORDINANCES WHEN PENALTIES ARE UNSPECIFIED (SB 71, Chapter 277:3, Laws of 1997), Room 102, LOB

10:30 a.m. Organizational meeting.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, Room 204, LOB

10:00 a.m. Full committee executive session on pending re-referred legislation.

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on *HB 152*, relative to permissible fireworks.

ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE, Room 303, LOB

10:00 a.m. All subcommittees on re-referred bills.

Full committee executive session to follow.

Rooms 205-207, LOB

11:00 a.m. Joint subcommittees meeting with Health, Human Services and Elderly Affairs and Resources, Recreation and Development subcommittee members for presentation on health risk assessment.

IDENTITY GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES RELATED TO MANAGED CARE STUDY (SB 122, Chapter 230, Laws of 1997), Room 105A, State House

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

MOUNT SUNAPEE AND CANNON MOUNTAIN PROPOSALS STUDY (HB 628, Chapter 119, Laws of 1997), Room 305, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT, Room 301, LOB

10:00 a.m. County Government subcommittee work session.

RESOURCES, RECREATION AND DEVELOPMENT, Room 305, LOB

1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on *HB 405-LOCAL*, relative to standardizing the requirements for the design and specifications of septic systems.

SCIENCE , TECHNOLOGY AND ENERGY, Room 304, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 643-FN***, establishing an industry average performance system for air pollution control, and establishing certain pollution control funds.

WITHDRAWAL OF A RECEIVING DISTRICT FROM AN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT STUDY (SB 115, Chapter 125:1, Laws of 1997), Room 104, LOB

1:30 p.m. Regular meeting.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 25

ELECTION LAW, Room 308, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 647-FN-A-LOCAL***, relative to a centralized computer checklist of voters and making an appropriation therefor.

11:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 356***, relative to reporting requirements for political candidates and political committees.

1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 408***, relative to using name stickers on election ballots.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT and EDUCATION and LABOR, INDUSTRIAL REHABILITATIVE SERVICES , Rooms 301-303, LOB

10:00 a.m. Joint Education Forum to help legislators sort out the differences and similarities between town and school governing as they relate to the official ballot process. This joint meeting includes all members of the House Education and Labor, Industrial and Rehabilitative Services committees. Anyone interested is welcome to attend.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29

HEALTH, EDUCATION REVIEW (RSA 186:67-a), Room 207, LOB

4:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

OIL FUND DISBURSEMENT (RSA 146-D:4), Room 305, LOB

9:00 a.m. Hearing.

9:30 a.m. Regular meeting.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

COMMITTEE TO STUDY ACTIONS AND ALL INVESTIGATIONS OF THE LATE JOHN C. FAIRBANKS AND OTHER MEMBERS OF THE LEGAL PROFESSION (HB 688, Chapter 340, Laws of 1997), Room 208, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES AND ELDERLY AFFAIRS, Room 205, LOB

9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on ***HB 686-FN-A***, relative to financing child day care facilities and making an appropriation therefor.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 1

ACCESS TO DENTAL CARE FOR LOW INCOME, UNINSURED AND UNDERINSURED PERSONS STUDY, (HB 255, Chapter 48:2, Laws of 1997), Room 102, LOB

2:00 p.m. Regular meeting

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF BUSINESSES EXTRACTING WATER FROM THE STATE'S RESOURCES FOR SALE STUDY (SB 19, Chapter 272, Laws of 1997), Room 104, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 7

ABILITY OF NON-BANKS AND NON-CREDIT UNIONS TO OPERATE, MAINTAIN AND ESTABLISH ELECTRONIC CUSTOMER SERVICE TERMINALS STUDY(SB 39, Chapter 301:4, Laws of 1997), Room 302, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

COMMERCE, Room 302, LOB

1:30 p.m. Subcommittee work session on *HB 263-FN*, relative to viatical settlements which are settlements between an insurance provider and a policy holder or certificate holder with a life-threatening illness.

NEW HAMPSHIRE COMMISSION ON THE SMITHSONIAN FESTIVAL OF AMERICAN FOLKLIFE (SJR 20, Chapter 204, Laws of 1996)

3:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 8

FEDERAL BUILDINGS AND NEW HAMPSHIRE VETERANS' HOME PATIENTS' NEEDS (HB 25, Chapter 349:16, Laws of 1997), Room 201, LOB

1:30 p.m. Regular meeting.

PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS, Room 201, LOB

9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on *SB 158-FN-A*, relative to the funding of beach erosion control projects along the south side of the Hampton Harbor Inlet.

REGISTRY FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY STUDY (SB 164, Chapter 76:1, Laws of 1997), Room 103, LOB

3:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES FOR PUPILS INCARCERATED INSTATE PRISON SYSTEM AND COUNTY CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES STUDY (SB 156, Chapter 69, Laws of 1997), Room 103, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 16

WATER QUALITIES ISSUES STUDY (HB 693, Chapter 213, Laws of 1997), Room 305, LOB

1:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 17

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2), Rooms 306-308, LOB

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 21

COMMERCE, Room 302, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on *SB 10*, relative to funds for prearranged funerals or burial plans.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

9:30 a.m. Full committee executive session on all re-referred bills.

NEW HAMPSHIRE VOLUNTEER PROGRAM STUDY (HB 158, Chapter 32, Laws of 1997), Room 104, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

OFFICIAL NOTICES

Printed copies of the 1997 Final Disposition of Bills are now available. Members may pick up a copy at the Sergeant-at-Arms counter in the State House.

Karen O. Wadsworth

Clerk of the House

First class mail received at the State House Complex is being forwarded to homes of members. Members are reminded to check mailboxes occasionally for all other material.

Rob Johnson, Sergeant-at-Arms

When the House Clerk is aware of House Members who are hospitalized or homebound by serious illness, it will publish a list of names and addresses so that their colleagues who so desire may send cards and greetings.

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Karen O. Wadsworth, Clerk of the House

MEMBERS' NOTICES

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In an effort to provide accountability and promote public confidence, the New Hampshire Supreme Court Judicial Conduct Committee provides the Legislature with summaries of its meetings. The report for the June meeting is available at the Sergeant-at-Arms counter.

Donna Sytek, Speaker

A sincere thank you to all who sent cards of condolence on the recent loss of my beloved wife.

Rep. Paul A. Golden

The Legislative Aviation Group is inviting all legislators to the Airport Awareness Days gathering at the Dillant Hopkins Airport in Keene on Friday, September 12th at 10:00 a.m. Airport Awareness Days were established to enable the legislators and local leaders at all levels to gain insight into one of New Hampshire's very important assets --- the airports. If possible, contact the City Manager's office at 357-9804 to assist in a head count for the event.

Reps. Robert H. Milligan and Kenneth L. Weyler

The Merrimack County Democrats will meet on Tuesday, September 16th at 7:00 p.m. at the Democratic Party Headquarters, 150 North Main Street, Concord.

Rep. Miriam D. Dunn

Members of the New Hampshire House and Senate and staff are invited to attend a Legislative Open House/Informal Session on September 17th from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. at the Upham Walker House. This open house will offer an opportunity to celebrate Women's Equality Day, which marks the 77th anniversary of the day women gained the right to vote, and to also learn about a new public health program aimed at saving women's lives through early detection of breast and cervical cancer. For more information, please contact the NH Commission on the Status of Women at 271-2660 or the Breast and Cervical Cancer Program Program, NH Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Health Management at 271-4931.

Rep. Barbara C. French

All legislators and their families and friends are invited to attend a Prayer Breakfast in celebration of the 210th anniversary of the United States Constitution to be held at the Cat'n Fiddle Restaurant, Concord on Wednesday, September 17th ,7:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. featuring George Moore as President George Washington. For tickets or information call 880-6138.

Rep. George D. Murch

The next regular meeting of the Concord Republican Committee will be held on Thursday, September 18th at 7:00 p.m. at the Concord Boys and Girls Club on Bradley Street, Concord.

Rep. Elizabeth K. Hoadley

The Bedford Republican Committee will have a breakfast meeting on Monday, September 29th at the Bedford Village Inn at 7:30 a.m. The speaker will be the Hon. Donna Sytek. For information contact Rep. Maurice E. Goulet at 472-8954.

Rep. Maurice E. Goulet

Culture has come to the State House. Please stop by the Visitors' Center and view an exhibit of abstract art works created by New Hampshire artist, Molly Stark from Portsmouth, NH. The exhibit will be on display Tuesday, September 2nd until Wednesday, October 1st.

Rep. Martha Fuller Clark

The Department of Transportation will hold the following meetings:

Sept 8 - Newport Town Offices, Main Street, Newport, 7:00 p.m. Officials meeting, Newport, Central Street.

Sept 11 - Gonic Elementary School Gym, 10 Railroad Avenue, Gonic, 7:00 p.m. Public informational meeting, Rochester reconstruction/signalization of NH 125/Oak Street and reconstruction of NH 125/Main Street/Grove Street intersection.

Sept 11 - NH Community Technical College, Room 149, 505 Amherst Street, Nashua, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing, Nashua, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program.

Sept 15 - NHDOT, John O. Morton Building, 1 Hazen Drive, Concord, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing, Concord, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program.

Sept 16 - Belmont Town Hall, 5:30 p.m. Selectmen's meeting, Concord-Laconia, update on scheduled Route 106 and improvements.

Sept 16 - West Side Community Center, 39 West Broadway, Derry, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing, Derry, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program

Sept 16 - Salisbury Town Hall, US Route 4, Salisbury, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing, Salisbury, alteration of North Road and replacement of bridge over Billy Mowe Brook.

Sept 18 - Laconia City Hall, Room 200A, 45 Beacon Street, Laconia, 7:00 p.m. Public informational meeting, Laconia replacement of the Elm Street bridge.

Sept 22 - Canterbury Town Offices, 7:30 p.m. Selectmen's meeting, Canterbury, sidewalk along Baptist Road.

Sept 24 - Charlestown Town Hall, Summer Street, Charlestown, 10:00 a.m. Public hearing, Charlestown, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program.

Sept 24 - Municipal Building Courtroom, Main Street, Hanover, 2:00 p.m. Public hearing, Hanover, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program.

Sept 24 - Linwood High School, Main Street, Lincoln, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing, Lincoln, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program.

Sept 25 - Moultonborough Town Hall, 6 Holland Street, Moultonborough, 10:00 a.m. Public hearing, Moultonborough, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program.

Sept 25 - Jackson Town Hall, Route 16B (Across from the Post Office), 2:00 p.m. Public hearing, Jackson, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program.

Sept 25 - Lancaster Town Hall, 25 Main Street, Lancaster, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing, Lancaster, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program.

Sept 29 - Somersworth High School, Vocational Center, Cemetary Road, Somersworth, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing, Somersworth, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program.

Sept 30 - Elm Street Junior High School Gymnasium, 117 Elm Street, Nashua, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing, Nashua, Broad Street Parkway.

- Oct 7 - Vic Geary Center, 18 Greenough Road, Plaistow, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing, Plaistow, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program.
- Oct 14 - Portsmouth Council Chambers Room, Municipal Complex Building, 1 Junkins Avenue, Portsmouth, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing, Portsmouth, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program.
- Oct 21 - UNH Auditorium, 400 Commercial Street, 3rd Floor, Manchester, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing, Manchester, GACIT-Ten Year Transportation Improvement Program.
- Oct 23 - New Hampshire Technical College, Rooms 149 - 150, 55 Amherst Street, Nashua, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing, Nashua-Amherst-Milford, NH Route 101A.

Rep. Gene G. Chandler, Chairman

Public Works and Highways

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