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HOUSE CALENDAR

NOTICE

The House will meet on **Wednesday, March 23rd** with the time to be determined.

Chairmen and Vice Chairmen will meet on **Tuesday, March 15th** at 9:00 a.m. in Room 203, LOB.

W.
Douglas
Scamman,
Speaker

NOTICE

Please note that the Calendar closes at 3:00 p.m. on Wednesdays for scheduling and notices. It closes at 1:00 p.m. on Thursdays for Committee Reports. Members and staff who need to schedule meetings should make arrangements with the Clerk's Office for room availability/assignment and publication of meeting notices.

Karen O.
Wadsworth,
Clerk of the
House

SHUTTLE SERVICE

For the convenience of members during the winter months I have instituted a shuttle service from the Storrs Street parking garage to the State House complex.

The shuttle will operate **Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. and again from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m.** or until session is over.

The van will drop-off and pickup on North State Street between the State House and LOB. If you have any questions or need any assistance please feel free to call my office or Protective Services at 271-3321.

W. Douglas Scamman, Speaker

LAID ON TABLE

HB 98, relative to law enforcement authority under the safe schools act. (Pending question is the adoption of the committee amendment.)

HB 219, relative to permitting audio and video recording on school buses. (Pending question is the adoption of the committee report of ought to pass with amendment.)

HR 15, affirming revenue estimates for fiscal years 2005, 2006, and 2007. (Pending question is third reading.)

HOUSE DEADLINES

Thursday, March 24, 2005	Last day to report all House bills not in a second committee, except budgets.
Wednesday, March 30, 2005	Last day to act on all House bills not in a second committee, except budgets.
Thursday, April 7, 2005	Last day to report all House bills for action in 1 st year session
	Last day to hold public hearing on retained House bills
	Last day to report list of retained House bills
Wednesday, April 13, 2005	Last day to act on House bills. CROSSOVER
Thursday, May 5, 2005	Last day to report Senate bills going to a second committee
Wednesday, May 11, 2005	Last day to act on Senate bills going to a second committee
Thursday, May 26, 2005	Last day to report all Senate bills for action in 1 st year session
	Last day to hold public hearing on retained Senate bills
	Last day to report list of retained Senate bills
Wednesday, June 8, 2005	Last day to act on Senate bills
Thursday, June 16, 2005	Last day to form Committees of Conference
Wednesday, June 22, 2005 at 3 pm	Last day to sign Committee of Conference reports
Wednesday, June 29, 2005	Last day to act on Committee of Conference reports
Monday, September 12, 2005	First day to file legislation for the 2006 session
Friday, September 23, 2005	Last day to file legislation for the 2006 session

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

MONDAY, MARCH 14

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

- 9:30 a.m. Education funding subcommittee work session on HB 100, HB 606, HB 614, HB 616, HB 635, HB 646, HB 650, HB 684.
- 10:00 a.m. **HR 12**, proclaiming the first week of each school year as "Dictionary Week."
- 11:00 a.m. **HB 557**, relative to the submission of data to the department of education.
- 1:00 p.m. **HB 442**, establishing a committee to study the feasibility and need for a vocational technical education program at Mascoma Valley regional high school.
- 2:00 p.m. **HB 564**, permitting the limited use of alcohol in high school culinary arts programs.
- 3:00 p.m. **HB 687-FN**, relative to tuition waivers for children and spouses of members of the armed forces who die while on active duty.
- Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

ETHICS COMMITTEE (RSA 14-B:2), Room 105A, State House

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

FINANCE, Rooms 210-211, LOB

9:00 a.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 649-FN-A-LOCAL**, relative to the medical examiner's duty to investigate medicolegal cases and the fees for and costs of such investigations.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

FINANCE – (DIVISION I), Room 212, LOB

11:00 a.m. Department Revenue Administration work session.
1:30 p.m. Department of Administrative Services work session.
3:00 p.m. Justice work session.

FINANCE – (DIVISION II), Rooms 210-211, LOB

10:00 a.m. Department of Transportation budget work session.

FINANCE – (DIVISION III), Room 209, LOB

Budget Presentation

9:30 a.m. Division of Family Assistance.
10:30 a.m. Bureau of Adult and Elderly Services.
1:00 p.m. Bureau of Behavioral Health.
2:30 p.m. Bureau of Developmental Services.

GUARDIANS AD LITEM BOARD (RSA 490-C:1), Room 102, LOB

1:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

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

1:00 p.m. GraniteCare subcommittee work session on **HB 690-FN**, relative to medical services for children and pregnant women and **HB 691-FN-LOCAL**, relative to the medicaid program.

JUDICIARY, Room 208, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 368**, relative to limiting the sworn testimony of witnesses.
10:00 a.m. **HB 656-FN**, relative to medical decision making for those adults without capacity to make health care decisions for themselves and establishing procedures for Do Not Resuscitate Orders.
1:00 p.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 584**, relative to evidence of admissions of liability in medical injury actions.
2:00 p.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 463**, relative to evidence of admissions in medical injury actions.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

LABOR, INDUSTRIAL AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES, Room 307, LOB

10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 506**, including employees of charitable organizations under the protection of the state law against discrimination and **HB 561**, relative to reasonable accommodation by employers under the state law against discrimination.

STATE FEDERAL RELATIONS AND VETERANS AFFAIRS, Room 303, LOB

9:30 a.m. **HCR 5**, recognizing New Hampshire's ratification of the original Thirteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution.
10:30 a.m. **HCR 6**, urging Congress to enact legislation to make English the official language of the United States.
11:30 a.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HCR 4**, urging Congress to find that the Piscataqua River and Portsmouth Harbor lie within the state of New Hampshire.
12:30 p.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 328**, relative to jurisdiction over land occupied by or ceded to the United States.
1:00 p.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 520**, relative to the USA Patriot Act.
2:00 p.m. **HB 718-FN-A**, relative to group life insurance for New Hampshire citizens serving in

the military reserves or national guard and making an appropriation therefor.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

WELLNESS AND PRIMARY PREVENTION COUNCIL (RSA 126-M:3), Room 205, LOB

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

TUESDAY, MARCH 15

CHILDREN AND FAMILY LAW, Room 206, LOB

10:00 a.m. **HB 586**, relative to the periodic review of child support guidelines.
10:45 a.m. **HB 592**, relative to the child support guidelines.
11:30 a.m. **HB 591**, relative to the calculation of health and dental insurance costs as part of the child support obligation.
1:30 p.m. **HB 590**, excluding stepchildren from the definition of “child” in the context of support orders.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

COMMERCE, Room 302, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 348**, relative to mortgages held by parties to a divorce.
9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 631-FN**, relative to the time after which certain unclaimed property is presumed abandoned.
10:00 a.m. **HB 611-FN**, relative to small group insurers.
11:00 a.m. **HB 77-FN**, relative to geographic location for small group insurance coverage.
1:15 p.m. **HB 515**, relative to group health insurance coverage for certain entities.
2:00 p.m. **HB 337**, establishing a committee to study small group health insurance and the small brokerage health insurance community.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.
3:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 296**, relative to bonding requirements for private detectives.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, Room 204, LOB

10:00 a.m. **SB 76**, relative to the extension of restraining orders under the domestic violence protection act.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

9:30 a.m. Education funding subcommittee work session on HB 100, HB 606, HB 614, HB 616, HB 635, HB 646, HB 650, HB 684.
10:00 a.m. **CACR 14**, relating to tax money and religious schools or institutions. Providing that the language in article 83 of the second part of the New Hampshire constitution which states that “: *Provided, nevertheless*, that no money raised by taxation shall ever be granted or applied for the use of the schools or institutions of any religious sect or denomination” shall be deleted from the article.
11:00 a.m. **HB 356**, relative to the presentation of a budget in a joint maintenance agreement.
1:00 p.m. **HB 389**, relative to the duties of the postsecondary education commission.
2:00 p.m. **HB 390**, relative to the review and approval of individualized education plans.
3:00 p.m. **HB 395**, relative to the adoption of a long-term contract by a school district.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

ELECTION LAW, Room 308, LOB

9:30 a.m. **HB 403**, limiting permissible gifts to elected officials.
10:15 a.m. **HB 424-FN**, prohibiting gifts to elected officials.
11:00 a.m. **HB 621-FN**, requiring disclosure of gifts and campaign contributions by lobbyists.
1:00 p.m. **HB 589**, establishing a committee to study gifts and political contributions.

2:00 p.m. **HB 607-FN**, relative to gifts to elected officials.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE, Room 303, LOB

9:30 a.m. **SCR 1**, endorsing a farm viability task force.
10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 517**, establishing a committee to study certain issues relative to construction and demolition waste and establishing a moratorium on the incineration of any construction and demolition waste and **HB 538**, relative to disposing of construction and demolition debris.
11:00 a.m. Executive session on **HB 386**, relative to agricultural best management practices.
11:30 a.m. Executive session on **HB 55-FN-A**, relative to industrial hemp and establishing an industrial hemp special program fund.
1:00 p.m. **SB 201**, making technical corrections to certain environmental laws and the small business technical assistance program.
2:00 p.m. **SB 91-FN**, relative to an increase in the co-payment for participation in the animal population control program.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.
3:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 371**, relative to mercury reduction and **HB 562**, relative to eliminating certain mercury-added products.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 306, LOB

10:00 a.m. **HB 415**, excepting installation of fuel gas equipment from regulation by the electrician's board.
11:00 a.m. **HB 420**, relative to licensing by the board of mental health practice.
1:00 p.m. **HB 532**, relative to the licensure of dentists by the board of dental examiners.
2:00 p.m. **HB 582**, relative to the policy for records management.
2:30 p.m. **HB 552**, proclaiming March as New Hampshire Irish American Month.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

FINANCE – (DIVISION I), Room 212, LOB

9:00 a.m. Department of Environmental Services work session.
10:00 a.m. Office of Information Technology work session.
11:00 a.m. Budget work session

FINANCE – (DIVISION II), Rooms 210-211, LOB

9:00 a.m. Department of Education budget work session.

FINANCE – (DIVISION III), Room 209, LOB

Budget Presentation

9:30 a.m. Division of Children, Youth and Families.
11:00 a.m. Operations Support and Program Integrity.
1:00 p.m. Office of Medicaid and Business Policy.
2:30 p.m. (If we didn't see them 3/11) Division of Public Health Services.

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

10:00 a.m. **SB 42**, establishing a pharmaceutical study committee to study direct purchasing of prescription medication by the state.
11:15 a.m. **SB 27-FN**, relative to an exemption from the annual inspection of health facilities.
1:15 p.m. **SB 57**, establishing a commission to study ways to alleviate medical malpractice premiums for high risk specialties.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

JUDICIARY, Room 208, LOB

9:15 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 608-FN**, establishing a right to trial by jury prior to a nonemergency involuntary admission.
9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 295**, relative to access to certain motor vehicle records.

- 10:00 a.m. **HB 496**, relative to limits on non-economic damages in medical injury actions.
 11:00 a.m. **HB 648-FN**, relative to reducing frivolous medical injury actions.
 1:00 p.m. **HB 473**, relative to the creation of screening panels for medical injury claims.
 2:30 p.m. **HB 702-FN**, relative to the screening of medical malpractice claims.
 Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

LABOR, INDUSTRIAL AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES, Room 307, LOB

- 10:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 66**, regulating mandatory overtime for nurses.

LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATION, Room 104, LOB

- 1:15 p.m. **CACR 11**, relating to the compensation of the legislature. Providing that legislative members receive a payment for each day of legislative attendance and reimbursement for certain necessary expenses.
 2:00 p.m. **CACR 18**, relating to compensation for members of the general court. Providing that members of the general court shall receive \$4,000 per biennium.
 2:30 p.m. **HB 392-FN**, increasing the mileage reimbursement rate for members of the legislature.
 3:00 p.m. **HB 536**, relative to excluding deductions from compensation from all elected state, county, and local officials.
 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

- 9:30 a.m. **HB 549**, modifying notice requirements for the acceptance of unanticipated funds by a school district.
 10:15 a.m. **HB 660-FN-LOCAL**, relative to taxation in a cooperative school district.
 11:00 a.m. **HB 569**, allowing municipalities to adopt low and moderate income homeowner's property tax relief for local education property taxes.
 11:30 a.m. **HB 641-FN**, establishing a statewide homestead exemption against property taxes for seniors.
 1:30 p.m. **HB 710-FN**, establishing property appraisals for the taxation of property based upon its current use as a residence for persons over 65.
 Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS, Room 201, LOB

Public Works Committee will hold public hearings on the Capitol Budget proposal:

- 9:00 a.m. Administrative Services Court System.
 9:45 a.m. Administrative Services General Services.
 11:30 a.m. Department of Education.
 1:15 p.m. NH Community Technical College System.
 2:30 p.m. Department of Environmental Services.
 3:30 p.m. Department of Safety
 Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

RESOURCES, RECREATION AND DEVELOPMENT, Room 305, LOB

- 10:00 a.m. **SB 83**, establishing a commission to study issues relative to the comprehensive shoreland protection act and the public waters of the state.
 11:00 a.m. **SB 142**, extending the reporting date of the commission to study issues relative to groundwater withdrawals.
 Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.
 1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 69**, relative to property rights and large groundwater withdrawals.
 1:30 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 419**, relative to the Mount Sunapee ski area boundary and lease terms and **HB 525**, establishing a committee to study the leasing of state-owned conservation land to private entities and relative to a temporary prohibition on the leasing of such lands.

- 2:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 491**, relative to the inherent dangers of OHRV operation and limiting landowner liability for certain fish and game related land uses and **HB 355**, establishing a committee to study the environmental impact and damage mitigation of ATV use on public and private trails.

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND ENERGY, Room 304, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 661-FN**, relative to radiological monitoring in nuclear emergency planning zones.
- 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 315**, relative to best available technology for air pollution control.
- 11:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 202**, establishing a commission to study options for reducing the impact of exhaust emissions from mobile diesel engines.
- 1:00 p.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

TRANSPORTATION, Room 203, LOB

- 10:00 a.m. **HB 566**, relative to eligibility for public benefits and drivers' licenses.
- 10:45 a.m. **HB 720-FN**, relative to special number plates.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.
- 2:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 119-FN**, relative to commercial advertising on toll booths.
- 3:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 513**, relative to motor vehicle inspection stations.

WAYS AND MEANS, Room 202, LOB

- 10:00 a.m. **HB 260-FN**, relative to motor vehicle equipment and registration.
- 10:30 a.m. **HB 268-FN**, increasing certain motor vehicle fees.
- 11:00 a.m. **HB 313-FN**, relative to registration of business entities.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.
Work session on revenues as time permits.
- 1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 243**, relative to boat registration fees.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 16

CHILDREN AND FAMILY LAW, Room 206, LOB

- 9:30 a.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 485**, relative to the basis for awarding custody to a stepparent or grandparent.
- 10:30 a.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 476**, revising the definition of adultery.
- 1:00 p.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 640-FN**, relative to parental rights and responsibilities.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

COMMERCE, Room 302, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 262**, creating a cause of action relative to the discharge of mortgages.
- 9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 299**, relative to mechanics' liens.
- 10:00 a.m. **HB 717**, prohibiting cancellation of property and liability insurance on the basis of certain political activities.
- 10:30 a.m. **HB 719-FN**, recodifying the Articles 1 and 7 of the Uniform Commercial Code.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.
- 11:00 a.m. Full committee work session on **HB 159**, relative to insurance coverage for persons having deafness and hearing loss.
- 1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 374**, establishing a commission on economic independence.
- 1:30 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 714-FN**, adopting the Uniform Partnership Act
- 2:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 716-FN**, relative to securities regulation.
- 2:30 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 703-FN**, relative to advertisement of prescription

drugs and establishing the pharmaceutical marketing disclosure law.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, Room 204, LOB

- 9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 643-FN**, establishing an integrated criminal justice information system.
- 10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

- 8:45 a.m. Education funding subcommittee work session on HB 100, HB 606, HB 614, HB 616, HB 635, HB 646, HB 650, HB 684.
- 9:00 a.m. Informational session from the Department of Education.
- 10:00 a.m. **CACR 17**, relating to the encouragement of literature. Providing that the importance of education to a prosperous and democratic society be considered when allocating the resources of the state.
- 11:00 a.m. **HB 396**, relative to tuition contracts between schools.
- 1:00 p.m. **HB 406**, revising certain provisions of the home education statutes.
- 2:00 p.m. **HB 435**, establishing a separate high school civics graduation requirement.
- 3:00 p.m. **HB 441**, relative to the publication of honor rolls and academic awards.
- Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

ELECTION LAW, Room 308, LOB

- 9:45 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.
- 1:00 p.m. **Continued** public hearing on **HB 639-FN**, relative to voter registration.
- Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 306, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 652-FN**, relative to the retirement system classification for the director of juvenile justice services, department of health and human services.
- 9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 594-FN**, relative to retirement system classification for correctional line personnel.
- 10:30 a.m. **HJR 2**, declaring February 12 to be Thaddeus Andrzej Bonawentura Kosciuszko day.
- 11:00 a.m. **HB 555**, establishing February 6 as Ronald Reagan Day.
- 1:00 p.m. **HB 546**, relative to the status of the board of trustees of the retirement system.
- Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

FINANCE – (DIVISION I), Room 212, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Budget work session.

FINANCE – (DIVISION II), Rooms 210-211, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. NH Technical College budget work session.

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

- 10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

JUDICIARY, Room 208, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. **HB 541**, relative to repealing the incorporation of the New Hampshire Bar Association.
- 9:30 a.m. **HB 495**, relative to court records in civil cases involving taxpayer money.
- 10:15 a.m. **CACR 16**, relating to the definition and constitutionality of judicial and legislative acts. Providing that the supreme court shall determine the constitutionality of judicial acts and the legislature shall determine the constitutionality of legislative acts.
- 1:00 p.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

LABOR, INDUSTRIAL AND REHABILITATIVE SERVICES, Room 307, LOB

- 9:30 a.m. **HB 665-FN-LOCAL**, relative to the applicable minimum wage for hourly employees.
- 1:00 p.m. **HB 246**, establishing a committee to study the classification of employees as independent contractors.

- 1:30 p.m. **HB 217**, relative to liability of third persons under workers' compensation.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.
- 3:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 137-FN**, relative to unemployment benefit eligibility.
- 4:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 170**, relative to unemployment compensation.

LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATION, Room 104, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. **HCR 2**, declaring October 27 to be Boston Red Sox Day.
- 9:30 a.m. **HCR 9**, commending the New Hampshire Fisher Cats on their championship.
- 10:00 a.m. **HCR 10**, recognizing February 8, 2005 as Scouting in New Hampshire Day.
- 10:30 a.m. **SJR 1**, declaring the month of April 2005 to be Boston Red Sox Month.
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

- 9:30 a.m. **HB 572**, granting regional water districts the power of eminent domain.
- 10:00 a.m. **HB 581**, relative to approval and review of municipal charters.
- 10:30 a.m. **HB 653-FN-LOCAL**, relative to bonds for construction, development, improvement, and acquisition of broadband facilities.
- 11:00 a.m. **HB 657-FN-LOCAL**, relative to promoting community revitalization.
- 11:30 a.m. **HB 537**, relative to liens filed with public servants.
- 1:30 p.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 642-FN-LOCAL**, relative to the regulation of home inspectors.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS, Room 201, LOB

Public Works Committee will hold public hearings on the Capitol Budget proposal:

- 9:00 a.m. Veterans Home.
- 9:30 a.m. Department of Health and Human Services.
- 11:00 a.m. Department of Transportation.
- 2:00 p.m. Office of Information Technology.
- 3:30 p.m. University System of NH.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

RESOURCES, RECREATION AND DEVELOPMENT, Room 305, LOB

- 10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND ENERGY, Room 304, LOB

- 10:00 a.m. Electric restructuring review – IV.
- 1:00 p.m. Full committee work session on **HB 175**, relative to divestiture of PSNH generation assets.
Executive session on pending legislation.

STATE FEDERAL RELATIONS AND VETERANS AFFAIRS, Room 303, LOB

- 9:30 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

WAYS AND MEANS, Room 202, LOB

- 9:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 94-FN-A**, requiring a discount to wholesalers on cash purchases of tobacco tax stamps.
- 9:45 a.m. **HB 407-FN-LOCAL**, relative to licensing of dogs.
- 10:30 a.m. **SB 85**, relative to expenses of operating bingo games.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.
Work session on revenues as time permits.

THURSDAY, MARCH 17

CHILDREN AND FAMILY LAW, Room 206, LOB

- 9:15 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 220**, establishing a committee to study the ability of homeless youth in New Hampshire to make a successful transition to adulthood.
- 10:00 a.m. **HB 529**, establishing a presumption in favor of shared parental rights and responsibilities.
- 11:30 a.m. **HB 585**, relative to grounds for termination of parental rights.
- 1:00 p.m. **HB 587**, relative to child abuse and neglect investigations by the department of health and human services.
- 2:30 p.m. **HB 405**, relative to discovery depositions in criminal cases of persons under 16 years of age.
- Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

COMMERCE, Room 302, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 104**, requiring insurance coverage for infertility treatments.
- 10:00 a.m. **SB 44**, establishing a study committee on student credit card debt and regulation of credit card solicitation on college campuses.
- 11:00 a.m. **SB 73**, relative to market conduct record retention and production.
- 1:30 p.m. **SB 74**, making certain technical changes in the insurance laws.
- Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.
- 2:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 423**, relative to insurance premiums for medical malpractice liability insurance.
- 2:30 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 583**, establishing an oversight committee to study medical malpractice insurance rates in this state.
- 3:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 37-FN**, relative to health insurance coverage for full-time students on medical leaves of absence.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY, Room 204, LOB

- 10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

- 10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation, if necessary.
- Immediately following the executive session, education funding subcommittee work session on HB 100, HB 606, HB 614, HB 616, HB 635, HB 646, HB 650, HB 684.

ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE, Room 303, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 255**, establishing a committee to study the pricing of milk and **HB 275**, defining farmers' market.

Room 305, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 560**, relative to timber harvesting.

Room 303, LOB

- 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 677-FN**, establishing fees and reporting requirements for the storage of hazardous materials.

Room 305, LOB

- 10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 432-FN**, relative to the septage handling and treatment facilities grant program.

Room 303, LOB

- 11:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 573**, establishing a committee to study automobile disposal fees.
- 1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 293**, establishing a commission to study the development of a materials resource and recovery facility in Sullivan County.

Room 305, LOB

- 1:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 517**, establishing a committee to study certain issues relative to construction and demolition waste and establishing a moratorium on the incineration of any construction and demolition waste and **HB 538**, relative to disposing of construction and demolition debris.

Room 303, LOB

- 2:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 634-FN-A**, establishing a state recycling program to provide technical services to municipalities and establishing a fee on disposable

- and recyclable goods sold at retail.
- 3:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 580**, establishing a commission to study the procedures for the formation and dissolution of solid waste management districts under RSA 53-B and the procedures for the dissolution of an interstate waste compact under RSA 53-D, and providing joint and several liability on all municipalities from a dissolved solid waste management district.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 306, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 156**, relative to licensing private investigators and **HB 455-FN**, relative to establishing a board of private investigation and security services.
- 10:30 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 383**, relative to vital records administration.
- 1:00 p.m. **Rescheduled** executive session on pending legislation.

FINANCE – (DIVISION I), Room 212, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Budget work session.

FISH AND GAME, Room 307, LOB

- 10:00 a.m. **SB 41**, relative to penalties for certain OHRV violations.
- 10:30 a.m. **SB 98-FN**, relative to issuing duplicate registrations for off highway recreational vehicles.
- 11:00 a.m. **SB 105**, granting the executive director of fish and game authority to promote hunting, fishing, and wildlife-related activities.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.
- 1:00 p.m. Presentation by Major Tim Acerno on OHRV and Snowmobile Rules and Regulations.

HEALTH, HUMAN SERVICES AND ELDERLY AFFAIRS, Room 206, LOB

- 8:30 a.m. GraniteCare ad hoc committee to study the quality and delivery of nursing care to persons in nursing facilities or receiving home and community based care.

JUDICIARY, Room 208, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. **HB 542**, making technical corrections to the uniform trust code.
- 10:00 a.m. **HB 619-FN**, relative to skier safety and ski area responsibility.
- 1:00 p.m. **HB 713-FN**, relative to a process for the request and disclosure of social security numbers.
- 2:00 p.m. **HB 530**, relative to an informed jury.
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

- 9:30 a.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 305**, relative to amended warrant articles on official ballots.
- 10:15 a.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 336**, relative to the use of secret ballots at town meetings.
- 11:00 a.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 360**, relative to the amendability of warrant articles requesting appropriations in official ballot towns.
- 11:30 a.m. **HB 570**, relative to site plan review and the definition of inclusionary zoning.
- 1:30 p.m. **Rescheduled** public hearing on **HB 666-FN-LOCAL**, prohibiting taxation of a village district by a municipality for certain municipal services.
Public hearing on proposed amendment to **HB 666-FN-LOCAL**, prohibiting taxation of a village district by a municipality for certain municipal services. The proposed amendment is relative to boards of trustees for capital reserve funds. Copies of the amendment will be available in the Sergeant-at-Arms office.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS, Room 201, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Continued work session on Capital Budget proposal.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time

permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

WAYS AND MEANS, Room 202, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. **HB 302**, relative to the mileage rate for service of documents by county sheriffs.
9:30 a.m. **HB 430-FN-A**, establishing a one-day resident fishing license.
10:00 a.m. **HB 477-FN**, increasing registration fees for pesticides and commercial feeds.
10:45 a.m. **HB 597-FN-A**, relative to the natural heritage inventory program.
11:30 a.m. **HB 651-FN-LOCAL**, relative to federal lien registration.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.
Work session on revenues as time permits.

FRIDAY, MARCH 18

ADMINISTRATIVE RULES (RSA 541-A:2), Room 100, State House

- 9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

EDUCATION, Room 103, State House

- 10:00 a.m. Education funding subcommittee work session on HB 100, HB 606, HB 614, HB 616, HB 635, HB 646, HB 650, HB 684.

FINANCE – (DIVISION I), Room 212, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Budget work session.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT, Room 105A, State House

- 9:30 a.m. **HB 534**, relative to requirements of property appraisal companies.
10:15 a.m. **HB 548**, allowing municipalities to include in property tax inventory the value of new construction assessed as of July 1.
11:00 a.m. **HB 709-FN-LOCAL**, relative to records of assessment information available for inspection.
11:30 a.m. **HB 429**, relative to representation by nonattorneys before the board of tax and land appeals.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS, Room 201, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Continued work session on Capital Budget proposal.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

SATURDAY, MARCH 19

FINANCE – (DIVISION I), Room 212, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Budget work session.

MONDAY, MARCH 21

ENERGY PLANNING ADVISORY BOARD (SB 443, Chapter 164:2, Laws of 2004), Room 105A, State House

- 1:00 p.m. Organizational meeting.

ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE, Room 303, LOB

- 9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 517**, establishing a committee to study certain issues relative to construction and demolition waste and establishing a moratorium on the incineration of any construction and demolition waste and **HB 538**, relative to disposing of construction and demolition debris.

PET OVERPOPULATION STUDY (RSA 437-A), Room 100, State House

- 1:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

TUESDAY, MARCH 22

CHILDREN AND FAMILY LAW, Room 206, LOB

10:00 a.m. **HB 610-FN**, relative to the right to trial by jury in parental rights termination cases.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.

COMMERCE, Room 302, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 490**, relative to law enforcement access to financial records under the New Hampshire right to privacy act.
10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

ELECTION LAW, Room 308, LOB

9:45 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

ENVIRONMENT AND AGRICULTURE, Room 303, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 659-FN-A**, establishing a state recycling program to provide technical services to municipalities and establishing a fee on take-out food and beverages.
10:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 663-FN**, establishing a New Hampshire municipal recycling authority and establishing a commission to study the tax exemption for water and air pollution control facilities.
11:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 573**, establishing a committee to study automobile disposal fees.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 306, LOB

9:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

JUDICIARY, Room 208, LOB

10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.
2:00 p.m. **Continued** public hearing on **HB 626-FN-LOCAL**, relative to the right-to-know law.
Executive session on pending legislation may be held throughout the day, time permitting, from the time the committee is initially convened.
3:00 p.m. Subcommittee work session on **HB 617-FN**, allowing current court stenographers to retain their positions in the New Hampshire courts.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT, Room 301, LOB

9:30 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY AND ENERGY, Room 304, LOB

10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 23

COMMERCE, Room 302, LOB

10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

9:00 a.m. Informational session from the State Board of Education.
10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS AND ADMINISTRATION, Room 306, LOB

9:00 a.m. Full committee work session on **HB 290-FN**, relative to participation in health savings accounts.
Executive session on pending legislation.

FISH AND GAME, Room 307, LOB

10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

JUDICIARY, Room 208, LOB

9:00 a.m. Subcommittee work session on *HB 158*, relative to the Auburn District Court.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT, Room 301, LOB

9:30 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

STATE FEDERAL RELATIONS AND VETERANS AFFAIRS, Room 303, LOB

9:30 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

THURSDAY, MARCH 24

COMMERCE, Room 302, LOB

10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation, if needed.

EDUCATION, Room 207, LOB

10:00 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation, if necessary.

MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY GOVERNMENT, Room 301, LOB

9:30 a.m. Executive session on pending legislation.

FRIDAY, MARCH 25

**ASSESSING STANDARDS BOARD (RSA 21-J:14-a), NH Department of Revenue
Administration, Chenell Drive, Concord**

9:30 a.m. Regular meeting.

MONDAY, MARCH 28

**COMMISSION ON THE EDUCATION OF THE DEAF (HB 1283, Chapter 43:2, Laws of
2000), Room 105A, State House**

10:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

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

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

FRIDAY, APRIL 1

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

9:00 a.m. Continued meeting.

MONDAY, APRIL 4

BOARD OF MANUFACTURED HOUSING (RSA 205-A:25), Room 201, LOB

1:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

BRAIN AND SPINAL CORD INJURY ADVISORY COUNCIL (RSA 137-K:2), Room 104, LOB

2:00 p.m. Regular meeting.

FRIDAY, APRIL 8

**GOVERNOR'S COMMISSION ON ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION,
INTERVENTION, AND TREATMENT (RSA 12-J), Rooms 201-203, LOB**

9:30 a.m. Regular meeting.

**NEW HAMPSHIRE LAND AND COMMUNITY HERITAGE AUTHORITY BOARD OF
DIRECTORS (RSA 227-M:4), CDFA Board Room 10 Dixon Avenue, Concord**

9:00 a.m. Regular meeting.

MONDAY, APRIL 11

OFFICIAL NOTICES

COUNTY DELEGATION NOTICES

Hillsborough County Executive Committee will meet on Friday, **March 25** at 9:00 a.m. at the Hillsborough County Complex, Bouchard Building, Goffstown. In addition to its regular monthly business meeting there will be a budget orientation session immediately following. Department heads will be giving brief overviews of their department and other things being discussed will include budget surplus, bed assessment tax, Sheriff Dispatch, tax apportionment, etc.

If any member of the Hillsborough County Delegation is interested in attending please contact Marcia Rusch at the Delegation office at 627-5631 for more information.

Rep. Nelson
S. Allan,
Chairman
Hillsborough
County
Executive
Committee

COUNTY DELEGATION NOTICES

Merrimack County Executive Committee will meet on Monday, **March 14** from 7:00 to 9:00 p.m. in the lower level conference room of the McDonnell Building, 4 Court Street, Concord. The purpose of this meeting is to review, discuss and approve the 2005 Merrimack County Proposed Budget.

Rep.
Jessie
Osborne,
Chairman
Merrimack
County
Executive
Committee

Merrimack County Delegation will hold a public hearing on Tuesday, **March 22** at 7:00 p.m. at the County Administration Building, 4 Court Street, Lower Level Conference Room, Concord. The purpose of this meeting is to consider the 2005 Budget Appropriations for Merrimack County and to consider any other business. Immediately following the public hearing there will be a Delegation meeting and the purpose of this meeting is the approval of the 2005 Merrimack County Budget and the withdrawal of funds from the Capital Reserve Account and any other business.

Rep.
Candace
C.W.
Bouchard,
Chairman
Merrimack
County
Delegation

COUNTY DELEGATION NOTICES

Strafford County Delegation will meet on Saturday, **March 19** at 9:00 a.m. (Snow date: Saturday, March 26, 2005) in Superior Courtroom II, second floor of the William A. Grimes Justice and Administration Building, County Farm Road, Dover, New Hampshire, to conduct the following business: Ratify Tax Anticipation Note Borrowing of Eleven Million Dollars (\$11,000,000) for the First Six Months of 2005; Receive the Reports of the Delegation Subcommittees and Recommendations of the Executive Committee on the 2005 Commissioners' Proposed Budget; Vote on Acceptance of the Strafford County 2005 Budget, and any other business which may legally come up at that time.

Rep. Anne

Grassie,
Clerk
Strafford
County
Delegation

Several boxes of House Journals from the late 70's and early 80's have recently been discovered. These are available in the House Clerk's office for a limited time on a first-come, first served basis to anyone who would like to have them.

Those available are: 1977 Session, Volume I, softbound; 1977 Session, Volumes I and II, hardbound; 1977-78 Special Session, softbound; 1979 Session, Volumes I and II, softbound; 1980 Recall Session and 1981 Session, hardbound; and 1981-82 Special Session, hardbound.

Karen O.
Wadsworth,
Clerk of the
House

REVISED FISCAL NOTES

The following bills have revised fiscal notes: HBs 47, 60, 71, 72, 104, 116, 128, 130, 153, 159, 190, 210, 216, 239, 240, 272, 477, 599, 601, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 609, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 632, 633, 635, 637, 639, 640, 641, 642, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 670, 672, 674, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 701, 703, 704, 708, 713. SBs 21, 27, 165.

Karen O.
Wadsworth,
Clerk of the
House

Lucy Harrison in the Speaker's Office keeps a schedule of House events. To avoid conflicts, anyone wishing to hold an event should check with Lucy at 271-3661 for available dates and times.

Rep.
Michael
O'Neil,
Majority
Leader

When the House Clerk's Office is aware of House Members who are hospitalized or homebound by serious illness, we will publish a list of names and addresses as requested.

Eric Palangas, 626 Lake Avenue, Manchester 03103-3537.

Colleagues who so desire may send cards and greetings to the address listed above.

Karen O.
Wadsworth,
Clerk of the
House

MEMBERS' NOTICES

The following notices are published in the House record as a courtesy to the member(s) requesting publication. These are not official public notices and will be limited to legislative policy or legislative social activities and political meetings or events. Publication should not be construed as support for either the events listed or the views espoused by the individual or organization sponsoring the event.

Upon presentation of proper credentials at the ticket window, NH Senators and Representatives may receive a lift ticket for their personal use and one for a guest. The elected official must be present to personally present the credentials, unless prior arrangement is made with Commissioner O'Kane. Any exceptions to this policy will be made in writing by the Commissioner and/or Division Director. (*Lift tickets are to be picked up at Guest Services at the Peabody Base Lodge or the Tramway Ticket Window at Cannon*).

W.
Douglas
Scamman,
Speaker

Legislative Alpine Ski Team. Any legislator interested in forming and participating on an Alpine ski team for the purpose of competing in charitable races are invited to contact the undersigned member.

Rep.
David
W.
Hess

Legislators (House or Senate) who are also members of the Knights of Columbus are requested to contact Jordan Ulery (PGK, FDD, PFN) at Jordan@ulrick.mv.com with the intention of creating an informal caucus for informational purposes, prayer and support.

Rep.
Jordan
Ulery

The Legislative Caucus for Young Children will meet Monday, **March 14th** in Room 206, LOB at 1:30 p.m. Caroline McCarley of Governor Lynch's office will discuss issues related to children and families. Members of the House and Senate are welcome.

Rep.
Mary
Stuart
Gile

The House Republican Alliance will meet at 8:30 a.m. on Tuesday, **March 15** at the Upham Walker House, Park Street, Concord.

Rep.
Paul
Mirski

The New Hampshire Women's Lobby cordially invites all members of the NH Legislature to a Legislative Tea on Tuesday, **March 15th** from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m. at the Upham Walker House.

Rep.
Deanna
P.
Rush

Legislators and staff are cordially invited to attend the 3rd Annual NH Capital St. Patrick's Day Breakfast and Roast on Wednesday, **March 16th** starting at 7:15 a.m. at the Grappone Conference Center-Marriott Courtyard in Concord. To obtain your complimentary ticket contact The Demers Group at 228-1498 or James.Demers@TheDemersGroup.com.

Rep.
Kenneth
L.
Weyler

Mark the Date! **March 16** at the Barley House. Come join the Merrimack County Democrats at their annual St. Patrick's Day dinner. Guest speakers and more details to follow in the upcoming weeks. Everyone is welcome.

Rep.
John
DeJoie

Bobby Stephen's 27th Annual St. Patrick's Day Celebration to benefit Jobs of NH Graduates will be held on Thursday, **March 17th** at the Executive Court Banquet Facility in Manchester from 4:00 p.m. till closing. \$30.00/ dinner and entertainment.

W.
Douglas
Scamman,
Speaker

All legislators and guests are invited to attend the Rockingham County Republican Committee Lincoln Day Dinner celebrating A Salute to Our Republican Leader Andrew Card. The dinner will be held at Granite Rose in Hampstead Friday, **March 18th**, beginning with a cocktail hour at 6:00 p.m. followed by dinner at 7:00 p.m. Tickets are \$50 each and can be ordered from any Rockingham County Republican Town Committee member, the Dinner's Chairwoman, County Commissioner, Kate Pratt (926-3531), or Secretary, Brenda Major (382-5429).

Rep.
Norman
L.
Major

The Nashua Republican City Committee will be hosting a luncheon on Saturday, **March 19th**. The guest Speaker will be Senator Bill Frist. The luncheon will be held at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Nashua from 11:00 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Tickets are \$35 each. All are welcome. Contact Sandra Ziehm at 883-8840 or 883-2882 for tickets or additional information.

Reps.
Pamela
G.
Price
and
Nelson
S.
Allan

The Aviation Group plans to have its organizational meeting at noon on **March 23**. We are a gathering of all those with an interest in advancing aviation in New Hampshire. Our members have experiences that range from air line pilots to those who have had one flight. We have been invited to airline terminal openings, fire training demonstrations, and tours of our state's airports. We have worked on issues from allowing private landing strips to ensuring fair ticket prices from our state airline departures. We feel that a viable system of aviation in New Hampshire is vital to our state's economy and quality of life. Watch future calendars for more details.

Rep.
Kenneth
L.
Weyler

All interested legislators are encouraged to attend a seminar sponsored by the National Conference of State Legislatures on methamphetamines. The newest wave of illegal drugs is sweeping the country and is starting to show up here in the northeast. Your constituents will soon be asking you what can be done about this new surge similar to the crack cocaine surge of the '80s and '90s. Methamphetamine is a highly addictive stimulant that generates brief euphoric highs, keeps people awake for days and can induce violence and paranoia. We are fortunate that NCSL has agreed to sponsor a three hour seminar to bring us up to date on its effect, its prevention, its treatment, its effect on the brain, etc. Some of the top experts from around the nation will be on the panel. You won't want to miss this rare opportunity to be ahead of the curve by attending this major proactive conference. Legislators, educators, medical care givers, mental health workers and others are welcome at no charge. There will be seating for 400 people at the C.R. Sparks Conference Center in Bedford on **March 24th** from 3:00 to 6:00 p.m. Light refreshments will be provided.

Rep.
Peter
L.
Batula

The University of New Hampshire Alumni Association and Parents Association are pleased to invite members of the New Hampshire General Court and staff to the annual UNH Legislative Breakfast on Tuesday, **March 29** from 7:30 to 9:00 a.m. at the New Hampshire Historical Society Tuck Library, Park Street, Concord. Learn how undergraduate student researchers at UNH are having an impact on the State of New Hampshire and beyond.

Rep.
Marjorie
Smith

Representatives from the Greater Nashua Area should watch their mailboxes for an invitation to a luncheon hosted by The Community Council of Nashua. This Southern Hillsborough County Mental Health Provider is holding an invitation only luncheon for area representatives on Wednesday, **March 30** at the Capitol Grille. Questions can be directed to Carol Holden at 598-7123x3221.

Rep.
Pamela
G.
Price

In celebration of the YMCA Youth in Government Program and Legislative Awareness Day, all

legislators are cordially invited to join the New Hampshire State Alliance of YMCAs at St. Paul's Church Conference Center across the street from the State House on Thursday, **March 31** from 11:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. for an informal luncheon reception. Sandwiches, hot and cold drinks and dessert will be provided.

Rep.
Larry A.
Emerton

The Department of Transportation will hold the following meeting:

March 17 – Northwood Town Hall, 818 First NH Turnpike, Northwood, 7:00 p.m. Combined public officials/public informational meeting, Epsom-Northwood, paving US Route 4 beginning at NH 107 intersection in Epsom, proceeding east approximately 7.5 miles to Ridge Road in Northwood. Project also addresses minor drainage improvements, updating guardrail and provide smooth riding surface.

March 17 – Jefferson Town Hall, 698 Presidential Highway, Jefferson, 7:00 p.m. Public hearing (special committee), Jefferson-Randolph, US Route 2 reconstruction from US Route 2/NH Route 115 intersection in Jefferson to the Durand Road intersection in Randolph.

March 23 – Portsmouth Public Work, 680 Peverly Hill Road, Portsmouth, 10:00 a.m. Advisory committee meeting, Portsmouth, US Route 1 bypass study.

March 23 – Council Chambers, State House, 107 North Main Street, Concord, 2:00 p.m. GACIT meeting, Governor's Advisory Commission on Intermodal Transportation (GACIT).

April 7 – Pembroke Town Library, 261 Pembroke Street, Pembroke, 7:00 p.m. Combined public informational meeting/public officials meeting, Pembroke-Concord, paving NH Route 106 beginning at US Route 3 intersection in Pembroke and proceeding north approximately 4.5 miles to the Autumn Street intersection in Concord. Also addresses minor drainage issues and update guardrails.

Rep. Gene
G.
Chandler,
Chairman
Public
Works and
Highways
Committee

STATE HOUSE VISITATION SCHEDULE 2005 SCHOOL YEAR

Virginia Drew, Public Information Administrator Kenneth Leidner, Director

DATE	TIME	GROUP	Grade/Size
M Mar 14	9:00	Broken Ground Elementary-Concord	4/25
M Mar 14	10:00 & 11:30	Stratham Memorial School	4/60
	SH & SC		
M Mar 14	12:30	Newmarket Elementary School	4/45
	(11:00HM)		
T Mar 15	9:00	Broken Ground Elementary-Concord	4/25
T Mar 15	10:15 & 11:30	HO Smith School – Hudson	4/50
	SH/HM		
T Mar 15	12:00	Barrington Elementary School – Rescheduled	4/50
W Mar 16	9:00	Broken Ground Elementary- Concord	4/25
W Mar 16	10:15 & 11:30	Library St. School – Hudson	4/50
	SH & HM		
W Mar 16	1:00	Family Resource Center	3-6/10-15
Th Mar 17	9:30	Simonds School = Warner	4/36

Th Mar 17	11:00/12:30 SH/F&G	Gilmanton Elem School	4/50
F Mar 18	9:00, 10:15 & 11:30 SH/SC/FG	Conant Elem School – Concord	4/75
F Mar 18	ALL DAY	YMCA Youth & Government	HS/500
M Mar 21	9:00	Dunbarton Elementary School	4/37
M Mar 21	10:30	Wells Memorial – Harrisville	4/12
M Mar 21	12:30	Sanbornton Central School	4/44
T Mar 22	9:00	Bow Elem	4/24
T Mar 22	10:30	East Kingston Elementary	4/33
Tu Mar 22	12:00	Bow Elem	4/24
W Mar 23	9:00	Bow Elem	4/24
W Mar 23	10:00	Timberlane Homeschool History Club	12 students
W Mar 23	10:00	Sant Bani School- Sanbornton	4/16
W Mar 23	12:00	Bow Elem	4/24
Th Mar 24	9:30 & 1100 SH & HM	Barnstead Elementary	4/50
Th Mar 24	12:30	Maplewood Elementary – Somersworth	4/40
F Mar 25	9:30 & 11:00 & 12:30 SH/HM/SC	Jaffrey Grade School	4/80
M Mar 28	9:30 & 10:30 SH & HM	DAR Good Citizens	HS/100+
M Mar 28	12:45	St. Thomas Aquinas – Derry	4/30
Tu Mar 29	9:00	Bow Elem	4/24
Tu Mar 29	10:30 (9:30 Conc.Coach)	Bridgewater/Hebron Village School	4/25
Tu Mar 29	12:00	Bow Elem	4/24
W Mar 30	9:30 & 11:00 SH & HM	Symonds School – Keene	4/63
W Mar 30	12:30	Newfields Elementary	4/26
Th Mar 31	9:30 & 11:00 SH & HM	Presentation of Mary – Hudson	4/44
Th Mar 31	12:30	St Patrick School – Pelham	4&5/45