

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE GOVERNOR'S ECONOMIC RE-OPENING TASK FORCE

Task Force Meeting Minutes

DATE: 5.7.2020
TIME: 1:32 PM to 3:22 PM
FORMAT: Telephonic (recorded meeting)

ROLL CALL:

- David Bettencourt – office, State House, alone
- Commissioner Taylor Caswell – home office, alone
- State Senator Cavanaugh – home office, alone
- State Senator Chandley – home office, alone
- State Senator Carson – home office, alone
- State Senator Giuda – home office, alone
- Rep. Ed Butler – office, Harts Location, assistant Wendy is present
- Rep. William Marsh – home office, alone
- Rep. Timothy Lang – home office , alone
- Rep. Jeffrey Salloway – home office, alone
- John Nyhan – chamber office, Hampton, alone
- Mike Somers – Concord office, alone
- Steve Ahnen – joined in after roll call
- Nancy Kyle – home office, alone
- Chris Emond – Concord office, alone
- Lori Harnois – home office, alone
- Phil Bryce – Concord office, alone
- Bruce Berke – Concord office, alone
- Timothy Mone – home, alone
- Scott Naismith - Salem police station, alone

ABSENT: None

AGENDA ITEMS AND DISCUSSION:

1. Patricia Tilley provided a Public Health update, referenced nh.gov for data, summary reports and helpful information.
2. DJ Bettencourt:
 - a. Roll Call: Telephonic meeting minutes: 5.5.2020
Motion to approve: Representative Lang; Second: Senator Giuda
 - David Bettencourt - yes
 - Commissioner Caswell – yes
 - State Senator Cavanaugh – yes
 - State Senator Chandley – yes
 - State Senator Carson – yes
 - State Senator Giuda – yes

- Rep. Butler – yes
- Rep. Marsh – yes
- Rep. Lang – yes
- John Nyhan – yes
- Mike Somers – yes
- Steve Ahnen – absent
- Nancy Kyle – yes
- Chris Emond – yes
- Lori Harnois – yes
- Phil Bryce – yes
- Bruce Berke – yes
- Timothy Mone – yes
- Scott Naismith - yes
- Rep Salloway - yes

3. DJ Bettencourt provided public session dial-in details for the May 8th session (9 AM – 11 AM.) Dial-in details are posted on nheconomy.com/covid19
4. Task force questions, comments and answer session

PRESENTATION: Performing Arts

PRESENTOR: Nicolette Clarke, Executive Director, Capitol Center for the Arts, Concord, NH

1. Written testimony provided and discussed:
 - Landscape and Introduction
 - The Subsector of Historic Presenting Theatres
 - Recommendations for Moving Ahead
2. Reopening Arts Organization In NH and factors (venues, theatres, museums, galleries, educational arts organizations, festivals) document provided
3. Task force questions, comments and answer session

SECTOR DISCUSSION: Massage Therapy

PRESENTOR: Representative Butler and Vickie Branch, D.Sc.O, DOMP, LMT
Government Relations NH- AMTA

1. FAQ and an article review for Best Massage Practices in a Post COVID-19 Economy provided
2. Massage and Bodywork Therapists
 - a. Overview and Definition of Massage
 - b. Scope of Practice for Massage, Reflexologists, Structural Integrators, and Asian Bodywork Therapists
 - c. Safeguarding guidance
 - d. Employee protection
 - e. Phase 1 Consumer protection
 - f. Phase 1 Business process adaptations
3. Task force questions, comments and answer session

TASK FORCE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MEMBER DISCUSSION:

1. Representative Lang: Restaurant Guidance “touch-ups” document review

2. Senator Giuda: Campground Guidance “touch-ups” document review
3. DJ Bettencourt reviewed the status of other guidance documents and task force schedules
4. Task force questions, comments and answer session
5. DJ Bettencourt reminder: Public Comment session scheduled for Friday, May 8th from 9:00 AM – 11:00 AM, dial-in details provided.

Posted on: NHEconomy.com/covid19

- Meeting minutes 5.7.2020
- Performing arts remarks (parts 1 & 2)
- Massage therapy presentation and re-opening review
- Telephonic meeting full recording