

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
GOVERNOR'S ECONOMIC RE-OPENING TASK FORCE
Task Force Meeting Minutes

DATE: 1.7.2021
TIME: 11:02 AM – 12:00 PM; 12:30 PM – 2:20 PM (includes public comment session)
FORMAT: Telephonic (recorded meeting)

ROLL CALL:

- David Bettencourt – Concord office, colleagues present
- Commissioner Taylor Caswell – Concord office, alone
- State Senator Cavanaugh – home office, family present
- State Senator Chandley – home office, alone
- State Senator Carson – home office, daughter present
- State Senator Giuda – home office, alone
- Rep. William Marsh – home office, alone
- Rep. Timothy Lang – home office, alone
- Rep. Jeffrey Salloway – home office, alone
- John Nyhan – Hampton office, alone
- Mike Somers – Concord office, alone
- Steve Ahnen – Concord office, alone
- Timothy Mone – Seabrook office, alone
- Nancy Kyle – vehicle/home office, alone
- Chris Emond – Concord office, alone
- Lori Harnois – home office, alone
- Phil Bryce – Concord office, alone
- Scott Naismith – Salem office, alone
- Bruce Berke – Concord office, alone

ABSENT: none

MINUTES ROLL CALL: Telephonic meeting minutes: 12.17.2020
Motion to approve: Representative Marsh, Second: Senator Carson
Motion unanimously approved; 4 absent

- David Bettencourt - yes
- Commissioner Caswell – yes
- State Senator Cavanaugh – yes
- State Senator Chandley – yes
- State Senator Carson – yes
- State Senator Giuda – absent
- Rep. Marsh – yes
- Rep. Lang – absent
- Rep Salloway - yes
- John Nyhan – yes
- Mike Somers – yes
- Steve Ahnen – yes
- Timothy Mone – absent

- Nancy Kyle – yes
- Chris Emond – yes
- Lori Harnois – yes
- Phil Bryce – absent
- Scott Naismith - yes
- Bruce Berke – yes

PRESENTATION: Public Health update

PRESENTER: Patricia Tilley, Deputy Director, NH Division of Public Health Services, Department of Health and Human Services

1. Public health update (as of 1.7.2021)
2. Task Force Questions and Comments

PRESENTATION: NH Employment Security update

PRESENTER: Richard Lavers, Deputy Commissioner, NH Department of Employment Security

1. NHES unemployment/jobs update
2. Task Force Questions and Comments

PRESENTATION: NH hospital's status update regarding COVID

PRESENTER: Steve Ahnen, President, NH Hospital Association

1. Status update
2. Task Force Questions and Comments

PROPOSED GUIDANCE AMENDMENT: DRAFT Lodging and Restaurants industry

PRESENTER: Mike Somers, President & CEO, NH Lodging and Restaurant Association

1. Proposed guidance amendment
2. Task Force Questions and Comments

PROPOSED GUIDANCE AMENDMENT: DRAFT Live Music

PRESENTER: Representative Lang

1. Proposed guidance amendment
2. Task Force Questions and Comments

TASK FORCE ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MEMBER DISCUSSION:

- DJ Bettencourt provided updates
- Questions, Comments and Discussion

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- Meeting minutes 1.7.2021
- Public Health status update
- NH Employment Security update
- DRAFT Restaurant Guidance
- DRAFT Live Music Guidance
- DRAFT Lodging Guidance
- Telephonic task force meeting full recording