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Senate President Bradley Announces, Committee Leadership and Senior Staff

CONCORD, NH – Senate President Jeb Bradley (R-Wolfeboro) today announced committee leadership and his senior staff for the 2023-2024 legislative session:

Committee Assignments for 2023-24

Capital Budget

Chair: Sen. Dan Innis

Vice Chair: Sen. James Gray

Members: Senators Jeb Bradley, Lou D'Allesandro, and David Watters

Commerce

Chair: Sen. Bill Gannon

Vice Chair: Sen. Denise Ricciardi

Members: Senators Dan Innis, Donna Soucy, and Shannon Chandley

Executive Departments & Administration

Chair: Sen. Howard Pearl

Vice Chair: Sen. Sharon Carson

Members: Senators Carrie Gendreau, Rebecca Perkins Kwoka, and Debra Altschiller

Education

Chair: Sen. Ruth Ward

Vice Chair: Sen. Carrie Gendreau

Members: Senators Tim Lang, Suzanne Prentiss, and Donovan Fenton

Election Law & Municipal Affairs

Chair: Sen. James Gray

Vice Chair: Sen. Keith Murphy

Members: Senator Daryl Abbas, Donna Soucy and Rebecca Perkins Kwoka

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Energy

Chair: Sen. Kevin Avard

Vice Chair: Sen. Howard Pearl

Members: Senators Regina Birdsell, David Watters, and Debra Altschiller

Finance

Chair: Sen. James Gray Vice Chair: Sen. Dan Innis

Members: Senators Jeb Bradley, Regina Birdsell, Howard Pearl, Lou D'Allesandro, and

Cindy Rosenwald

Health & Human Services

Chair: Sen. Regina Birdsell Vice Chair: Sen. Kevin Avard

Members: Senators Jeb Bradley, Rebecca Whitley, and Suzanne Prentiss

Judiciary

Chair: Sen. Sharon Carson Vice Chair: Sen. Bill Gannon

Members: Senators Daryl Abbas, Rebecca Whitley, and Shannon Chandley

Rules

Chair: Sen. Kevin Avard

Vice Chair: Sen. Sharon Carson

Members: Senators Ruth Ward, Donna Soucy, and Cindy Rosenwald

Transportation

Chair: Sen. Denise Ricciardi Vice Chair: Sen. David Watters

Members: Senators Ruth Ward, Carrie Gendreau, and Donovan Fenton

Ways & Means

Chair: Sen. Tim Lang

Vice Chair: Sen. Lou D'Allesandro

Members: Senators Keith Murphy, Dan Innis, and Cindy Rosenwald

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Senior Staff

Debra Vanderbeek will serve as Senate Chief of Staff. She brings more than 35 years of experience in public policy and advocacy, issues management and communications. Vanderbeek has worked on complex policy issues such as healthcare, energy, and consumer issues at the local, state, and national levels. She previously served as a congressional Chief of Staff in Washington, D.C and has served as the Senate Chief of Staff for the past two years

Grant Bosse has been promoted to Deputy Chief of Staff. He is a veteran of Granite State journalism and government for the past 25 years, including the New Hampshire House and Senate, the Union Leader, and the Josiah Bartlett Center. Grant has extensive public policy experience in budgeting and education funding.

Maya Harvey will serve as Communications Director. She is a New Hampshire native with a background in international business and political communications. Maya worked as Press Secretary for the New Hampshire Republican Party and served as Communications Director for the Chuck Morse U.S Senate campaign.

Richard Lehmann will continue to serve as Senate Legal Counsel. Attorney Lehmann is a Boston University School of Law graduate and worked as an Assistant Merrimack County Attorney and in the Office of the New Hampshire Attorney General's Criminal Justice Bureau. He has been in private practice since 2000.

Daley Frenette will serve as the Majority Caucus Director. A political science graduate from Saint Anselm, he previously served as a Senate Aide to the Senate Committee on Energy for the 2021-2022 legislative session.