

Bill as  
Introduced

HB 1134 - AS INTRODUCED

2012 SESSION

12-2100  
04/03

HOUSE BILL

**1134**

AN ACT

establishing a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on the state house grounds.

SPONSORS:

Rep. Shurtleff, Merr 10; Rep. D. Patten, Merr 11; Rep. Bettencourt, Rock 4

COMMITTEE:

Public Works and Highways

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ANALYSIS

This bill establishes a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on the state house grounds.

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Explanation:

Matter added to current law appears in ***bold italics***.

Matter removed from current law appears [~~in brackets and struck through.~~]

Matter which is either (a) all new or (b) repealed and reenacted appears in regular type.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*In the Year of Our Lord Two Thousand Twelve*

AN ACT establishing a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on the state house grounds.

*Be it Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:*

1       1 Committee Established. There is established a committee to study the construction of a  
2 permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on the state house grounds.

3       2 Membership and Compensation.

4           I. The members of the committee shall be as follows:

5               (a) Three members of the house of representatives, appointed by the speaker of the  
6 house of representatives.

7               (b) One member of the senate, appointed by the president of the senate.

8           II. Members of the committee shall receive mileage at the legislative rate when attending to  
9 the duties of the committee.

10       3 Duties. The committee shall study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor  
11 John Gilbert Winant on the state house grounds including an appropriate site, design, and private  
12 funding source.

13       4 Chairperson; Quorum. The members of the study committee shall elect a chairperson from  
14 among the members. The first meeting of the committee shall be called by the first-named house  
15 member. The first meeting of the committee shall be held within 45 days of the effective date of this  
16 section. Three members of the committee shall constitute a quorum.

17       5 Report. The committee shall report its findings and any recommendations for proposed  
18 legislation to the speaker of the house of representatives, the president of the senate, the house  
19 clerk, the senate clerk, the governor, and the state library on or before November 1, 2012.

20       6 Effective Date. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

# Amendments

Rep. Bouchard, Merr. 11  
January 24, 2012  
2012-0360h  
10/04

Amendment to HB 1134

1 Amend the title of the bill by replacing it with the following:

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3 AN ACT                establishing a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to  
4                            Governor John Gilbert Winant on state property other than the state house  
5                            grounds.  
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7 Amend the bill by replacing section 1 with the following:

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10 permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on state property other than the state house  
11 grounds.  
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13 Amend the bill by replacing section 3 with the following:

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15        3 Duties. The committee shall study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor  
16 John Gilbert Winant on state property other than the state house grounds, including an appropriate  
17 site, design, and private funding source.

**Amendment to HB 1134**

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2012-0360h

**AMENDED ANALYSIS**

This bill establishes a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on state property other than the state house grounds.

# Speakers





# Hearing Minutes

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

PUBLIC HEARING ON HB 1134

**BILL TITLE:** establishing a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on the state house grounds.

**DATE:** January 24, 2012

**LOB ROOM:** 201      **Time Public Hearing Called to Order:** 1:15 p.m.

**Time Adjourned:** 1:21 p.m.

(please circle if present)

**Committee Members:** Reps. G. Chandler, Seidel, E. Smith, Graham, Gionet, McConkey, Tilton, Waterhouse, Kolodziej, Buxton, Maltz, M. Smith, Terrio, Bouchard, Campbell, Dong, Sprague and Ramsey.

**Bill Sponsors:** Rep. Shurtleff, Merr 10; Rep. D. Patten, Merr 11; Rep. Bettencourt, Rock 4

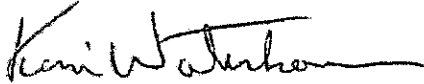
TESTIMONY

\* Use asterisk if written testimony and/or amendments are submitted.

**Rep. Shurtleff**, prime sponsor, introduced and spoke in favor of HB 1134. Governor Winant served as a state senator and three-term Governor of the State of New Hampshire. He served as the first administrator of Social Security for the federal government. Gov. Winant served as the U.S. Ambassador to England during WWII. He earned great praise and admiration from the British people for his support of our efforts during the war.

**Rep. Bouchard** of Concord, spoke in favor of State land other than on the State House grounds serving as a site for this honor.

Respectfully submitted,



Rep. Kevin Waterhouse,  
Clerk

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

PUBLIC HEARING ON HB 1134

BILL TITLE: establishing a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on the state house grounds.

DATE: 1/24/12

LOB ROOM: 201

Time Public Hearing Called to Order: 1:15 PM

Time Adjourned: 1:20

(please circle if present)

Committee Members: Reps. G. Chandler, Seidel, E. Smith, Graham, Gionet, McConkey, Tilton, Waterhouse, Kolodziej, Buxton, Maltz, M. Smith, Terrio, Bouchard, Campbell, Long, Sprague and Ramsey.

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# Voting Sheets

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

EXECUTIVE SESSION on HB 1134

**BILL TITLE:** establishing a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on the state house grounds.

**DATE:** January 25, 2012

**LOB ROOM:** 201

Amendments:

Sponsor: Rep. Bouchard/Gionet OLS Document #: 2012 0360h

Sponsor: Rep. OLS Document #:

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Motions: OTP, OTP/A, ITL, Interim Study (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep. Bouchard/Gionet

Seconded by Rep.

Vote: 14-2 (Please attach record of roll call vote.)

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Moved by Rep.


Seconded by Rep.

Vote: (Please attach record of roll call vote.)

CONSENT CALENDAR VOTE: 14-2 YES

(Vote to place on Consent Calendar must be unanimous.)

Statement of Intent: Refer to Committee Report



Respectfully submitted,

Rep. Kevin Waterhouse, Clerk

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

EXECUTIVE SESSION on HB 1134

BILL TITLE: establishing a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on the state house grounds.

DATE: 1/25/12

LOB ROOM: 201

Amendments:

Sponsor: Rep. *Buchard / Gismet* OLS Document #: 2012-0360h  
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Motions: ~~OTP~~ OTP/A, ITL, Interim Study (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep. *Buchard / Gismet*

Seconded by Rep.

Vote: (Please attach record of roll call vote.) 14-2

Motions: OTP, OTP/A, ITL, Interim Study (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep.

Seconded by Rep.

Vote: (Please attach record of roll call vote.)

CONSENT CALENDAR VOTE: *Yes 14-2*

(Vote to place on Consent Calendar must be unanimous.)

Statement of Intent: Refer to Committee Report

Respectfully submitted,

*Kevin Waterhouse*

Rep. Kevin Waterhouse, Clerk

PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

Bill #: HB1134 Title: Establishing a Committee to Study the Construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on the State House grounds.  
 PH Date: 01/24/12 Exec Session Date:       /      /      

Motion: CTP/A Amendment #:       

MEMBER	YEAS	NAYS
Chandler, Gene G, Chairman	✓	
Seidel, Carl W, V Chairman	✓	
Smith, Edwin O	✓	
Graham, John A		✓
Gionet, Edmond D	✓	
McConkey, Mark E		✓
Tilton, Franklin T	✓	
Waterhouse, Kevin K, Clerk	✓	
Kolodziej, Walter		
Buxton, Michael P	✓	
Maltz, Jonathan S	✓	
Terrio, Ross W	✓	
Bouchard, Candace C W	✓	
Campbell, David B	✓	
Long, Patrick T	✓	
Sprague, Dale R	✓	
Ramsey, Peter E	✓	
TOTAL VOTE:		

14-2

# Committee Report



**CONSENT CALENDAR**

**February 1, 2012**

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES**

**REPORT OF COMMITTEE**

**The Committee on PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS to  
which was referred HB1134,**

**AN ACT establishing a committee to study the  
construction of a permanent memorial to Governor  
John Gilbert Winant on the state house grounds.**

**Having considered the same, report the same with the  
following amendment, and the recommendation that  
the bill OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT.**

**Rep. Candace C W Bouchard**

**FOR THE COMMITTEE**

## COMMITTEE REPORT

Committee:	<b>PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS</b>
Bill Number:	<b>HB1134</b>
Title:	<b>establishing a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on the state house grounds.</b>
Date:	<b>January 26, 2012</b>
Consent Calendar:	<b>YES</b>
Recommendation:	<b>OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT</b>

### STATEMENT OF INTENT

This bill establishes a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Winant on state property other than the state house grounds and without the use of public funds. Gov. John Winant began his political career as a member of the N. H. House and the N. H. Senate. In 1925 he was elected to his first of three terms as N. H. Governor. Although a Republican, he was selected by Democratic President Franklin Roosevelt to serve as the first Director of Social Security Administration in 1934. In 1937 he was elected Director of the International Labor Organization in Geneva, Switzerland. In 1941 again President Roosevelt turned to Governor Winant and asked him to serve as U.S. Ambassador to England during World War II. At the end of the war only two Americans were awarded the Order of Merit by King George. General Eisenhower and John Winant. In 1946 Governor Winant resigned his ambassadorship and was appointed by President Truman as a U. S. Representative to the United Nations. Sadly in 1947, John Winant died. A permanent memorial to honor this man who gave so much to his state, his country and the world, is long overdue.

Vote 14-2.

Rep. Candace C W Bouchard  
FOR THE COMMITTEE

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## CONSENT CALENDAR

### PUBLIC WORKS AND HIGHWAYS

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COMMITTEE REPORT

COMMITTEE: Public Works and Highways

BILL NUMBER: HB 1134

TITLE: Establishing a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on the State House grounds.

DATE: January 25, 2012 CONSENT CALENDAR: YES  NO

- OUGHT TO PASS
- OUGHT TO PASS W/ AMENDMENT
- INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE
- INTERIM STUDY (Available only 2<sup>nd</sup> year of biennium)

Amendment No.  
2012-0360h

STATEMENT OF INTENT:

See Attached

COMMITTEE VOTE: 14-2

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

- Copy to Committee Bill File
- Use Another Report for Minority Report

Rep. Candace C.W. Bouchard  
For the Committee (Signature)



2012-0360h

## AMENDED ANALYSIS

This bill establishes a committee to study the construction of a permanent memorial to Governor John Gilbert Winant on state property other than the state house grounds.

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