Bill as Introduced

HB 507-FN - AS INTRODUCED

2013 SESSION

13-0200 06/01

HOUSE BILL

507-FN

AN ACT

relative to the maximum permit application fee for certain municipal dredging

projects.

SPONSORS:

Rep. Daniels, Hills 40; Rep. S. Sweeney, Hills 23; Sen. Bragdon, Dist 11

COMMITTEE:

Resources, Recreation and Development

ANALYSIS

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Hearing Minutes

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON RESOURCES, RECREATION AND DEVELOPMENT

PUBLIC HEARING ON HB 507-FN

BILL TITLE:

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DATE:

February 5, 2013

LOB ROOM:

305

Time Public Hearing Called to Order:

10:15 a.m.

Time Adjourned:

10:45 a.m.

(please circle if present)

Committee Members: Reps Chandley, Suzanne Smith Aguiar Gottling, Thomas L. Webb Hubbard Parkhurst Beaulieu Wazlaw Lovett Renzulla Holmes Cormie, Merrow, Ahlgren, Wright Mullen Schroadter and Ferrante

Bill Sponsors: Rep. Daniels, Hills 40; Rep. S. Sweeney, Hills 23; Sen. Bragdon, Dist 11

TESTIMONY

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Rep. Gary Daniels - Prime sponsor of the bill. Introduced the bill. Dredging for municipalities is cost prohibitive. This bill has been introduced in the past. Dredging would improve recreation opportunities. This bill is introduced today for one particular pond. This bill would be adding a paragraph "C" to RSA 482-A Fill and Dredge in Wetlands. Are water lilies protected? (no answer)

* Collis Adams, NH Department of Environmental Services (DES) - Opposes the bill. \$10,000 should be the cap. Municipalities can use their department to supply their expertise such as engineering costs. There is a one time pot of dollars from Federal government to assist this municipality with the dredging project.

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Respectfully submitted,

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DATE:

February 28, 2013

LOB ROOM:

202

Time Public Hearing Called to Order:

10:13 AM

Time Adjourned:

10:30 AM

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Committee Members: Reps. Almy (Lovejoy) Cooney Davis Butynski) J. Kelley, Shattuck, Young Ames (Karrick) Schamberg (Major R. Ober) (Ulery) Sanborn Hess, Abrami) Griffin, Azarian and Sapareto

Bill Sponsors: Rep. Daniels, Hills 40; Rep. S. Sweeney, Hills 23; Sen. Bragdon, Dist 11

TESTIMONY

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Rep. Frank Davis - Introduced HB 507.

Collis Adams, DES - Supports the bill ... see Handout Letter from DES Commissioner Burack supporting HB 507 as amended ... special circumstances might allow Milford dredging project for Osgood Pond to go forward to provide more recreational opportunities if sufficient federal and other monies become available for dredging. ... also see Handout Fiscal Note Worksheet from DES.

Respectfully submitted,

Rep. William Butynski, Clerk

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CHAPTER 482-A FILL AND DREDGE IN WETLANDS

482-A:3 Excavating and Dredging Permit; Certain Exemptions.

- X. (a) The maximum cash application fee for the New Hampshire department of transportation shall be \$10,000 per application plus provisions for technical or consulting services or a combination of such services as necessary to meet the needs of the department. The department may enter into a memorandum of agreement with the New Hampshire department of transportation to accept equivalent technical or consulting services or a combination of such services in lieu of a portion of their standard application fees.
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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES



Thomas S. Burack, Commissioner

February 5, 2013

The Honorable Shannon Chandley, Chair Resources, Recreation and Development Committee Legislative Office Building, Room 305 Concord, NH 03301

RE: HB 507-FN; Relative to the maximum permit application fee for certain municipal dredging projects.

Dear Chair Chandley:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on House Bill 507-FN, which would establish a maximum wetlands application fee of \$5,000 for municipal dredging projects whose primary purpose is to restore or reclaim a lake or pond. The Department of Environmental Services (DES) does not support HB 507-FN as proposed.

Based on past experience, it is unlikely that DES would be asked to permit more than one of these types of projects every four to ten years. Based upon our experience with other types of large scale projects, we would expect that the costs to review, permit, and monitor these types of municipal dredge projects would be in the order of \$10,000 to \$15,000, substantially higher than the proposed maximum permit application fee of \$5,000. Therefore, the costs to the state would substantially exceed the maximum permit fee revenues for these projects.

As proposed, HB 507-FN is also not consistent with existing sections of statute. Specifically, there is currently a statutory cap of \$10,000 on wetlands application fees for similar projects from the New Hampshire Department of Transportation (DOT) projects [ref. RSA 482-A:3,X.(a)] and tidal dredging projects to improve navigation for a municipality [ref. RSA-482-A:3,X.(b)].

We recommend that this bill be amended to cap the application fee at \$10,000, rather than \$5,000. A \$10,000 cap would be more in line with actual expected costs and be consistent with the maximum statutory fees set for similar municipal tidal dredging projects.

Thank you for this opportunity to comment. Please contact Mr. Collis Adams at 271-4054, or me at 271-2958, if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Thomas S. Burack Commissioner

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cc: Representatives Daniels and Sweeney

Senator Bragdon

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE BUDGET ASSISTANT FISCAL NOTE WORKSHEET

Date Sent to Agency: 12/18/2012	LSR #:	13-H-200-R
Agency: Dept. of Environmetal Services	Bill #:	HB 507-FN
Due to LBAO: February 25, 2013	Amendment #(s):	13-0241h
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State Fund(s) Affected: Fee Account

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State Revenue	N/A	(\$77,120)	0	0 .	0
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Net State Impact	N/A	(\$77,120)	0	0	0

County Revenue	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
County Expenditure	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Net County Impact	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

Local Revenue	N/A	0	N/A	N/A	N/A .
Local Expenditure	N/A	(\$77,120)	0	0	0
Net Local Impact	N/A	(\$77,120)	0	0	0

NOTÉ:

- (1) List only the amount of change in the appropriate column.
- (2) Place all negative numbers in parenthesis.
- (3) You may replicate this worksheet.
- (4) Refer to Guidelines for Fiscal Note Worksheets for further information.

A) <u>ASSUMPTIONS:</u> Explain how estimate was derived. Describe costs that can be absorbed without additional funding. If no estimate can be prepared, <u>explain why in detail</u>. If no fiscal impact, <u>explain why in detail</u>.

It is assumed that only a portion of a lake or pond will be dredged as opposed to the entire water body. This fiscal note assumes a 10 acre dredging area.

It is also assumed that very few municipalities would be able to afford the construction costs associated with these types of large scale dredging projects so the Department would only see an application of this type once every five to ten years or no more than once in the two biennium cycles covered by this fiscal note.

There is no difference in state expenditures assuming one application is filed and processed by the Department in FY 2014.

B) <u>METHOD:</u> Show calculations used to determine fiscal impact. <u>Calculations must agree with and explain totals on first page.</u>

The revenue from an application fee under the current fee structure for the assumed 10 acred dredge would be:

(\$0.20/SF) X (43,560 SF/acre) X (10 acres) = \$87,120.

Revenue under current fee structure = \$87,120 Revenue under proposed fee structure = \$10,000 Lost revenue = (\$77,120)

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F) OTHER COMMENTS: Include tax variables, federal mandates, etc.

RSA 482-A: X. (a) and (b) set maximum application fees at \$10,000 for Dept. of Transportation projects and municipal navigation dredging projects, respectively. Historically these maximum application fees have not covered the expenses associated with reviewing the application, issuing the permit, and performing follow up inspections and monitoring on these large scale projects. Historically, expenditures on a typical large scale DOT project are about double the \$10,000 maximum application fee set by law.

Review, permitting, and follow up monitoring costs associated with large dredging projects could be in the range of \$15,000 to \$20,000 depending upon the physical, chemical, and biological characteristics of the dredged material and requirements for disposal of the dredged material.

AGENCY REPRESENTATIVE PREPARING WORKSHEET:

Rene Pelletier
Name/Signature
Asst. Director NHDES 271-2951
Title, Agency and Phone Number
February 25, 2013
Date



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Thomas S. Burack, Commissioner

February 28, 2013

The Honorable Susan Almy, Chairman Ways and Means Committee Legislative Office Building, Room 202 Concord, NH 03301

RE: HB 507-FN - Relative to the maximum permit application fee for certain municipal dredging projects.

Dear Chairman Almy:

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on House Bill 507-FN, as amended, that would establish a maximum wetlands application fee of \$10,000 for certain municipal dredge projects whose primary purpose is to restore or reclaim lakes or ponds. The Department of Environmental Services (DES) supports HB 507-FN as amended.

There is currently a statutory cap of \$10,000 on wetlands application fees for New Hampshire Department of Transportation (DOT) projects [ref. RSA 482-A:3,X.(a)] and tidal dredging projects to improve navigation for a municipality [ref. RSA-482-A:3,X.(b)]. As amended, HB 507-FN is consistent with these existing sections of statute and is, therefore, acceptable to DES. In addition, the fiscal impact, while indeterminable, is expected to be minor because our experience has been that very few large municipal dredging projects occur in New Hampshire, typically fewer than one per year.

Thank you for this opportunity to comment. Please contact Mr. Rene Pelletier at 271-2951, or me at 271-2958, if you have any questions or need additional information.

Sincerely,

Thomas S. Burack, Commissioner

cc: Senator Bragdon Representative Daniels Representative Sweeney

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Volunteers and veterans groups will continue to purchase and install signage and enhance and maintain the memorial site. HB 233 has no fees attached and presumes that the Franconia State Park War Memorial will not be subject to development. The amendment corrects a typographical error to make memorial singular not plural. **Vote 17-0.**

HB 273-FN-L, authorizing the commissioner of the department of resources and economic development to enter into contracts for provision of free Wifi Internet access at Hampton Beach state park. INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.

Rep. Jane E Beaulieu for Resources, Recreation and Development: This bill was drafted to authorize the state to enter into contracts with the Hampton Beach Village Precinct to provide free Wifi Internet access to Hampton Beach State Park. The department of resources and economic development (DRED) already has the ability to enter into agreements. In addition, representatives from the departments of information technology, the state's core network and their providers, raised several concerns, including the costs to, liabilities for and expectations of the state. The committee encourages the precinct to continue dialogue with local businesses, DRED and other stakeholders. Vote 17-0.

HB 507-FN, relative to the maximum permit application fee for certain municipal dredging projects. OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT.

Rep. Suzanne J Smith for Resources, Recreation and Development: This bill brings wetland application fees for municipal dredging projects in line with the statutory cap already in place for similar NH department of transportation projects and tidal dredging projects which benefit municipalities. This bill will lower the application fee paid for large municipal dredging projects to an amended maximum of \$10,000 (the original bill asked for \$5,000). DES testified that large scale projects which would qualify for the cap are rare and they offered support for the bill. **Vote 17-0.**

WAYS AND MEANS

HB 212, relative to charitable gaming. INEXPEDIENT TO LEGISLATE.

Rep. Patricia T Lovejoy for Ways and Means: This bill reduces the payout to charities from charitable gaming. Under this bill the 35 percent payout to the charities would be calculated after taxes rather than before taxes. The committee was against any reduction in the payout to charities. In addition this bill made changes to the remitting requirement which will be addressed in HB 314. **Vote 15-2.**

New Hampshire General Court - Bill Status System

Docket of HB507

Docket Abbreviations

Bill Title: relative to the maximum permit application fee for certain municipal dredging projects.

Official Docket of HB507:

Date	Body	Description
1/3/2013	Н	Introduced 1/3/2013 and Referred to Resources, Recreation and Development; HJ 12 , PG.198
1/29/2013	Н	Public Hearing: 2/5/2013 10:15 AM LOB 305
2/6/2013	Н .	Executive Session: 2/12/2013 10:15 AM LOB 305
2/13/2013	Н	Committee Report: Ought to Pass with Amendment #0241h for Feb 20 (Vote 17-0; CC); HC 15 , PG.269
2/13/2013	Н	Proposed Committee Amendment #2013-0241h; HC 15, PG.296-297
2/20/2013	Н	Amendment #0241h: AA VV
2/20/2013	Н	Ought to Pass with Amendment #0241h: MA VV
2/20/2013	Н	Referred to Ways and Means
2/20/2013	Н	Public Hearing: 2/28/2013 10:00 AM LOB 202

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Motions:

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Moved by Rep. Smith

Seconded by Rep. Renzullo

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Motions:

OTP, OTP/A TL, Retained (Please circle one.)

Moved by Rep. Smith

Seconded by Rep. Renzullo

Vote: 17-0 (Please attach record of roll call vote.)

CONSENT CALENDAR VOTE: YES

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

Statement of Intent:

Refer to Committee Report

Respectfully submitted,

Rep. Jane E. Beaulieu, Clerk

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON RESOURCES, RECREATION AND DEVELOPMENT

EXECUTIVE SESSION on HB 507-FN

BILL TITLE:

relative to the maximum permit application fee for certain municipal

dredging projects.

DATE:

2/12/13

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Motions:

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Moved by Rep.

Seconded by Rep.

Vote:

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CONSENT CALENDAR VOTE:

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE OFFICE OF THE HOUSE CLERK

1/10/2013 9:30:36 AM Roll Call Committee Registers Report

2013 SESSION

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Motion: OTP	Amendment #: 24/h		
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Thomas, Yvonne D	'\\'/		
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Hubbard, Pamela J	V/		
Beaulieu, Jane E, Clerk	V/		
Webb, Leigh A			
Wazlaw, Brian			
Renzullo, Andrew ,			
Ahlgren, Christopher J	A		
Merrow, Harry C			
Schroadter, Adam R			
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HOUSE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

EXECUTIVE SESSION on HB 507-FN

BILL TITLE:

relative to the maximum permit application fee for certain municipal

dredging projects.

DATE:

March 19, 2013

LOB ROOM:

Room 202

Amendments:

Sponsor: Rep.

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Motions:

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

Moved by Rep. Sanborn

Seconded by Rep. Abrami

Vote:

16-0 (Please attach record of roll call vote.)

Motions:

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

Moved by Rep.

Seconded by Rep.

Vote:

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CONSENT CALENDAR VOTE: 06-0

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

Statement of Intent:

Refer to Committee Report

Respectfully submitted,

William Butumileo

Rep. William Butynski, Clerk

HOUSE COMMITTEE ON WAYS AND MEANS

EXECUTIVE SESSION on HB 507-FN

BILL TITLE:

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DATE:

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Amendments:

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Motions:

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Moved by Rep. Santorn

Seconded by Rep. Aframi

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Moved by Rep.

Seconded by Rep.

Vote:

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Statement of Intent:

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Respectfully submitted,

Rep. William Butynski, Clerk



STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE OFFICE OF THE HOUSE CLERK

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2013 SESSION

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	Exec Session Date:	19 1 13	
Motion: OTP by Sanboun + Abrami	Amendment #:		
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Lovejoy, Patricia T, V Chairman			
Butynski, William , Clerk			
Davis, Frank W	V,		
Shattuck, Gilman C			
Kelley, John D	V		
Cooney, Mary R A brent			
Ames, Richard			
Karrick, David B	V,	-	
Schamberg, Thomas C	V,	,	
Young, Harry L			
Major, Norman L, ABSENT			
Griffin, Mary E			
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TOTAL VOTE:	16	0	

Committee Report

February 13, 2013

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

The Committee on <u>RESOURCES</u>, <u>RECREATION AND</u>

<u>DEVELOPMENT</u> to which was referred HB507-FN,

AN ACT relative to the maximum permit application fee for certain municipal dredging projects. Having considered the same, report the same with the following amendment, and the recommendation that the bill OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT.

Rep. Suzanne J Smith

FOR THE COMMITTEE

Original: House Clerk

COMMITTEE REPORT

Committee:	RESOURCES, RECREATION AND DEVELOPMENT	
Bill Number:	HB507-FN	
Title:	relative to the maximum permit application fee for certain municipal dredging projects.	
Date:	February 13, 2013	
Consent Calendar:	YES	
Recommendation:	OUGHT TO PASS WITH AMENDMENT	

STATEMENT OF INTENT

This bill brings wetland application fees for municipal dredging projects in line with the statutory cap already in place for similar NH Department of Transportation projects and tidal dredging projects which benefit municipalities. HB507 will lower the application fee paid for large municipal dredging projects to a maximum of \$10,000. DES testified that large scale projects which would qualify for the cap are rare and they offered support for the bill.

Vote 17-0.

Rep. Suzanne J Smith FOR THE COMMITTEE

Original: House Clerk

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To: Ebbs, Heather Subject: Re: No Subject

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March 20, 2013

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

REPORT OF COMMITTEE

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Rep. Laurie J Sanborn

FOR THE COMMITTEE

Original: House Clerk

COMMITTEE REPORT

Committee:	WAYS AND MEANS
Bill Number:	HB507-FN
Title:	relative to the maximum permit application fee
	for certain municipal dredging projects.
Date:	March 20, 2013
Consent Calendar:	YES
Recommendation:	OUGHT TO PASS

STATEMENT OF INTENT

This bill caps the application fee for municipal dredging projects to restore a lake or pond to 10,000, as it is for similar tidal dredging projects, instead of using a per square foot calculation. The fiscal impact on the state is expected to be negligible.

Vote 16-0.

Rep. Laurie J Sanborn FOR THE COMMITTEE

Original: House Clerk

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HB 507

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Respectfully submitted,

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