

The New Hampshire House Of Representatives

Sherman A. Packard, Speaker of the House

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House Speaker Praises House Finance Committee on Bipartisan Budget

Concord, NH: House Speaker Sherman Packard (R-Londonderry) praises the House Finance Committee after HB 1 and HB 2 were both recommended out of Committee by votes of 14-11:

"I want to thank the members of the House Finance committee for their hard work over the last month and a half to produce this budget proposal that received a bipartisan vote.

It's never an easy task to produce a budget that satisfies the needs of the state while balancing the wants of 400 legislators. The outcome of the floor vote next week will put House members on record on several key issues, and we're likely to see several floor amendments.

This budget contains key legislation that includes raises for our valued state employees. It also strengthens economic prosperity and fosters job growth that will benefit all Granite Staters."

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