

Governor's Office for Emergency Relief and Recovery
(GOFERR) Legislative Advisory Board

Wednesday, April 22, 2020
1pm

Call in info

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Agenda

- Open – Reading of GOFERR 91-A compliant guidance
- Roll Call
- Presentations from Hospitality and Business:
 - 1:00PM – 1:30 PM: NH Lodging & Restaurant Association – President & CEO Mike Somers
 - 1:30PM – 1:50PM: NH Retail Association - President & CEO Nancy Kyle
 - 1:50PM – 2:10 PM: NH General Contractors – Executive Director Gary Abbott
 - 2:10PM – 2:30 PM: NH Auto Dealers Association – President Peter McNamara
 - 2:30PM – 3:00PM: BIA – President Jim Roche
- Next Scheduled Meeting
- Follow Up Items

Roll Call

- Jerry Little – Director of GOFERR, in GOFERR office in Concord, with Rhonda Hensley and Kate Spiner
- President Donna Soucy – home, Manchester, alone
- Speaker Steve Shurtleff – home, in Penacook, alone
- Leader Chuck Morse – office in Atkinson, alone
- Leader Dick Hinch – office, Merrimack, alone
- Chairman Lou D'Allesandro – kitchen, alone
- Chairwoman Mary Jane Wallner – (inaudible), alone
- Senator John Reagan – home, alone
- Representative Erin Hennesey – home, Littleton, 2 minor children are home

Presentations:

NH Lodging & Restaurant Association

President & CEO Mike Somers, office in Concord – alone, along with Tom Boucher – Greater NH Restaurants private office in Bedford, alone, Steve Duprey – Duprey Hospitality and Tim

Wiley – Hearts Turkey Farm in office alone, in Meredith give reports on COVID-19 related impacts to include: workforce, burn rate, revenue loss, PPP, and request of funds.

NH Retail Association

President & CEO Nancy Kyle, home alone gives report and update on COVID-19 related impacts to include: loss revenue, curb side sales, closed businesses and gives testimony from NH business owners.

NH Associated General Contractors

Executive Director Gary Abbott, home, give report and updated on COVID-19 related impacts to include: highways, bonds, loss of revenue from gas tax and tolls, and possible lack of building.

NH Auto Dealers Association

President Peter McNamara gives report and update on COVID-19 related impacts to include: PPP, online sales, sales, regulations and safety.

Business and Industry Association (BIA)

President Jim Roche gives report and update on COVID-19 related impacts to include: revenue loss, workforce, health guidelines, and workplace liability.

Next Scheduled Meeting

Friday, April 24th 1 pm

Follow Up Items

Senator Morse received memo to hear from the following groups: disability community, dentist, mental health and pharmacists.

Representative Mary Jane Wallner discuss the disability community from Granite State Independent Living. She's received a lot of questions to hear from the Long Term Care Stabilization Program from group home or in group settings, who are the workers that are eligible for that, how does it pass to the employees?

Senator Soucy would like to hear from public safety entities; AMR, municipalities and ambulance services. Additionally, would like to have the agenda posted on GOFERR website to be more clearly defined in addition to having the recordings up quicker than they currently are at the moment.

Senator D'Allesandro would like to know what has happened to the funds on the report we received on 4/17. What's happened since then to the 50 million dollar from general funds, what hospitals have received the monies and where are with that.