

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

Monday, April 13, 2020

1pm

Call in info

- Dial the call in number: [1-800-356-8278](tel:1-800-356-8278)
- Enter the 6 digit conference code: 125563#

Roll Call

- Governor Sununu – office at State House with Legal Counsel John Formella
- Commissioner Little – office at banking department with no one
- President Donna Soucy – home, alone
- Speaker Steve Shurtleff – home, alone
- Leader Chuck Morse – business, alone
- Leader Dick Hinch – Merrimack, alone
- Chairman Lou D'Allesandro – home in Manchester, in kitchen at kitchen table, wife is present
- Chairwoman Mary Jane Wallner – home Concord, alone
- Senator John Reagan – home office in Deerfield
- Representative Erin Hennesey – home, Littleton kids are husband are working from home, but not in room

Agenda

- Discuss the role of the Joint Legislative Committee
- Identify groups you would like to receive input from and the format for receiving information, recognizing the current social distancing limitations
- Set a schedule for future meetings

Role

Role of this Committee is to take in as much information as we can to find the best way to disperse funds as we work through the COVID 19 pandemic. There are social and economic impacts.

Thank you for taking on this assignment. More details to come once the Governor signs the Executive Order creating GOFERR. Feel free to contact me anytime if you have any questions on how this operates, or your thoughts on how we should move forward. The committee needs to meet as frequently as possible.

Department of Treasury to send monies on April 24, 2020.

Guidelines for dispersement to be released today Monday, April 13, 2020.

Actions

Committee wants reports on the full overview from the following:

Emergency Operations Command and Control Group List

- Safety
- HHS
- Transportation

Municipal Association

Association of Counties – what they deem best to hear from

Mayor Craig

Mayor Donchess

Long term Healthcare Facilities

Nursing Homes

Home Bound Seniors

Disability Community

Corrections

Employment Services

Hospital Associations

Businesses

- Aggregate info from PPP applications

Business and Economic Affairs

- Travel and Tourism
- Hospitality

Education

- Elementary
- High school
- Higher education

Main Point

The goal is to create a plan, phases and timing of dollars, and how they should be spent. Monies should be spent before end of December 2020. The dollars cannot be used on governmental revenue, but private and nonprofit businesses that need relief. CARES Act will give guidance that the funds must be COVID related. Input should also come from Charitable Foundation.

Scheduled Meetings

Wednesday, April 15th 1pm

Friday, April 17th 1pm

Calls will continue *every* Monday, Wednesday and Fridays at 1pm via conference call system used for first meeting on April 13, 2020.

More calls TBD by Committee based on information shared on these days.

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