

New England Laborers'

ELECTION EDITION

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LABORERS VOTE
LABORERS WIN!

NEW HAMPSHIRE

Voter Information

*“The American Labor Movement
has consistently demonstrated its
devotion to the public interest.
It is, and has been, good for all
America.”*

~ John F. Kennedy





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When our Founding Fathers established the Constitution, they envisioned a government based on sacrifice and dedication to our American ideals. Our Republic was formed for the purpose of establishing justice, insuring domestic tranquility, providing for our common defense, promoting the general welfare and to secure the blessings of liberty for all Americans. They established the Congress to create laws that would promote the welfare and in turn secure the personal freedom of all Americans. They specifically noted that “our posterity” or future generations should benefit from the establishment of our newly formed government.

What would they think today when Congress refuses to act and fails to provide solutions for a variety of crisis situations during a period of great suffering for the American people? The “Great Recession” has cost many Americans their livelihood, their homes and the future they envisioned for their children.

Everyone, economists, business owners, educators, our union brothers and sisters agree that our Congress should provide for the well-being of our citizens by returning our hard earned tax dollars in the form of funding for the rehabilitation of our crumbling schools, roads, bridges and other vital infrastructure. Infrastructure development is essential to every modern society and the job opportunities it creates will move our economy forward.

Instead we have paralysis in Washington. Simply stated, there are some politicians that put personal political gain before the people. The hard working Democrats, Republicans and Independents in Congress who truly care about the people and want solutions are frustrated and demoralized. I, for one, am

outraged by the blatantly offensive behavior of elected leaders who refuse to work cooperatively to solve these problems.

Never before has there been such income inequality in our country, such eagerness to strip working men and women of their rights, pensions and standard of living. As watchdogs for all working men and women, unions are also under attack for standing up and demanding action.

The candidates that you will see in this publication have been interviewed and vetted by your District Council Legislative Committees for their commitment to help working people. Their voting records on issues important to working families have been scrutinized. The Democrat, Republican or Independent candidates we endorse must be focused on creating family sustaining jobs, benefits including healthcare, a public education for every child, and a pension to live on after a lifetime of work.

These are candidates that your District Council chose for your consideration as you exercise your all-important right to vote. Frustration can only be eased by action. Act on behalf of the well being of union families. Vote on November 4th!

Fraternally Yours,

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Our Endorsed New Hampshire Candidates

SENATOR JEANNE SHAHEEN

Candidate for U.S. Senate



United States Senator Jeanne Shaheen is the only woman in American history to have been elected Governor and U.S. Senator, with a record of breaking partisan gridlock to make a difference for the people of New Hampshire.

As Governor, Shaheen's focus on the economy helped New Hampshire businesses create nearly 67,000 new jobs. As a member of the U.S. Senate Small Business Committee, she helped craft the Small Businesses Jobs Act, which provided small businesses with tax breaks and access to the credit they need to grow and create jobs. Senator Shaheen is a leader in increasing export assistance to New Hampshire small businesses so they can sell their goods and services around the world.

Shaheen is a strong supporter of equal pay for equal work, voting for the Lily Ledbetter Fair Pay Act and cosponsoring the Paycheck Fairness Act. She also fights to make sure that small businesses can compete for federal research grants. As Senator, she is working to expand opportunities for small businesses to export and sell their products and services to growing markets around the globe. Shaheen helped craft the Small Business Jobs Act that included tax cuts for small businesses and boosted access to credit through SBA lending programs. She fought for the creation of the Manchester Job Corps Center and is a leading advocate for attracting students to careers in science, technology, engineering and math (STEM) to be prepared for the jobs of the future.

CONGRESSWOMAN CAROL SHEA-PORTER

Candidate for U.S. House of Representatives District 1



Carol Shea-Porter, the first woman ever elected to national office from New Hampshire, served two terms in the U.S. House of Representatives, from 2007 to 2011, and is once again serving New Hampshire's 1st Congressional District in the 113th Congress. She serves as a member of the House Armed Services Committee (Subcommittees on Readiness and on Military Personnel) and the Natural Resources Committee (Subcommittees on Fisheries, Wildlife, Oceans & Insular Affairs and on Public Lands and Environmental Regulation).

Shea-Porter is a strong advocate for issues that are important to women and families. She was an original cosponsor of H.R.11, the Lilly Ledbetter Fair Pay Act of 2009, which

became law on Jan. 29, 2009, and was also an original cosponsor of the Paycheck Fairness Act, which would have amended the Equal Pay Act to revise remedies for, enforcement of, and exceptions to prohibitions against sex discrimination in wages.

Her top priority is creating good jobs for New Hampshire working families, and she has held roundtables with business owners and employment information sessions for veterans across the state. New Hampshire small businesses and workers are the backbone of the state's economy, and she is working for smarter investments in job creation, research and development, and infrastructure to help power the state's growth.

**CONGRESSWOMAN
ANN MCLANE KUSTER**

***Candidate for U.S. House of Representatives
District 2***



Ann McLane Kuster was elected to the United States Congress to represent New Hampshire's 2nd District in November 2012, and was sworn into office on January 3, 2013. She is the first woman to ever represent the district in Congress. She is a member of the House Committee on Veterans' Affairs, the House Committee on Agriculture, and the House Small Business Committee.

Her top priority in Congress is to help create jobs and opportunity for hard-working middle class New Hampshire families. While our nation's small businesses drive job creation and economic growth, our government plays a critical role in fostering the conditions businesses need to grow, thrive, and create jobs. As a member of the Small

Business Committee, she is actively working to support innovation and the expansion of economic opportunity in our country.

McLane Kuster believes that our roads, bridges, airports, electrical grid, and other components of our national infrastructure are the foundation on which our economy is built. For American businesses to expand and hire, we must repair and strengthen the shared infrastructure needed to transport goods, people, and power. That is why she is a cosponsor of the Partnership to Build America Act (H.R. 2084), bipartisan legislation to leverage private investments to fund an Infrastructure Bank for financing public works projects.

**GOVERNOR
MAGGIE HASSAN**

***Candidate for Governor of the State of
New Hampshire***



Governor Maggie Hassan is moving New Hampshire in the right direction and solving problems the New Hampshire Way – bringing people together and working with Independents, Republicans, and Democrats to build a stronger middle class and a brighter economic future for New Hampshire.

Under Governor Hassan's bipartisan leadership, the unemployment rate is at the lowest level since 2008 and New Hampshire has recovered nearly all of the jobs lost in the Great Recession. The Governor will continue working across party lines to support job creation at innovative businesses, expand opportunity for middle class families, and keep New Hampshire's economy moving forward.

Governor Hassan has been a steadfast advocate for New Hampshire's middle

class families, working to improve access to good-paying jobs, making health care and higher education more affordable and accessible, and investing in the priorities that will keep our economy moving in the right direction for middle class families. The Governor will continue her relentless focus on expanding opportunity for our middle class and fighting for the priorities that matter to hard-working Granite State families.

The Governor worked across party lines to enact a bipartisan plan to expand access to health coverage to as many as 50,000 hard-working men and women. Governor Hassan signed into law the New Hampshire Paycheck Fairness Act to ensure women receive equal pay for an equal day's work.

Our Endorsed New Hampshire Candidates

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**COUNCILOR
COLIN VAN OSTERN**

***Candidate for Executive
Council – District 2***



Colin Van Ostern was elected by his fellow New Hampshire citizens to represent Executive Council District 2 in Concord beginning in January of 2013.

His goal is to support the creation of good jobs and strong communities, with more focus on economic growth and less government interference in our personal lives. Van Ostern brings strong business experience and a track-record of advocating for pro-growth, pro-consumer policies in our state.

ROBIN MCLANE

***Candidate for Executive
Council – District 3***



Robin McLane's New Hampshire political roots are deep. Her great-grandfather was Governor from 1905 to 1907. Other family members include a State Senator, an Executive Councilor and a U.S. Representative.

McLane herself represented Portsmouth in the Legislature in the early 1980's. She worked on equal pay for equal work, introducing computer technology in public libraries and separating mentally ill prisoners from the general prison population. Her concerns as a legislator parallel her lifelong interests in women's rights, education and mental health.

**COUNCILOR
CHRISTOPHER PAPPAS**

***Candidate for Executive
Council – District 4***



Born and raised in Manchester, Chris Pappas' lifelong devotion to the region and its future compelled him to run for the Executive Council in 2012 and to seek re-election this year.

As a business owner, Pappas understands that a modern, multimodal transportation infrastructure is critical in ensuring New Hampshire is a premier place in which to live and grow a business. That is why he has prioritized vital regional transportation projects including finishing the widening of I-93 from Manchester to Salem, widening Route 101 through Bedford, fixing countless crumbling roads and bridges, and advancing an important study of passenger rail service to Boston.

New Hampshire Statewide Council

NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE SENATE

<i>DISTRICT</i>	<i>CANDIDATE</i>	<i>PARTY</i>	<i>DISTRICT</i>	<i>CANDIDATE</i>	<i>PARTY</i>
1	JEFF WOODBURN	D	14	SHARON M. CARSON	R
2	CAROLYN MELLO	D	15	DAN FELTES	D
3	JOHN R. WHITE	D	16	DAVID BOUTIN	R
5	DAVID PIERCE	D	17	NANCY R.B. FRAHER	D
6	RICHARD LEONARD	D	18	DONNA M. SOUCY	D
7	ANDREW J. HOSMER	D	19	KRISTI ST. LAURENT	D
8	LINDA L. TANNER	D	20	LOU D'ALLESANDO	D
9	LEE C. NYQUIST	D	21	MARTHA FULLER CLARK	D
10	MOLLY KELLY	D	22	CHUCK MORSE	R
11	ROGER TILTON	D	23	DONNA SCHLACHMAN	D
12	PEGGY GILMOUR	D	24	CHRIS MUNS	D

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NEW HAMPSHIRE STATE REPRESENTATIVES

<i>DIST.</i>	<i>CANDIDATE</i>	<i>COUNTY</i>	<i>PTY.</i>	<i>DIST.</i>	<i>CANDIDATE</i>	<i>COUNTY</i>	<i>PTY.</i>
2	LISA DIMARTINO	BELKNAP	D	1	GILMAN SHATTUCK	HILLSBOROUGH	D
3	THOMAS WILLIAM DAWSON	BELKNAP	D	7	BRENDON S. BROWNE	HILLSBOROUGH	D
1	ERIK CORBETT	CARROLL	D	8	JEFF GOLEY	HILLSBOROUGH	D
2	TOM BUCO	CARROLL	D	9	LINDA DISILVESTRO	HILLSBOROUGH	D
2	SYNDI WHITE	CARROLL	D	10	PATRICK LONG	HILLSBOROUGH	D
4	NICK VAZZANA	CARROLL	D	11	ROBERT WALSH	HILLSBOROUGH	D
6	KEITH SIMPSON	CARROLL	D	14	MARY HEATH	HILLSBOROUGH	D
7	EDWARD A. BUTLER	CARROLL	D	15	RYAN CURRAN	HILLSBOROUGH	D
1	PAUL BERCH	CHESHIRE	D	16	DAVID MCCLOSKEY	HILLSBOROUGH	D
2	JOHN E. MANN	CHESHIRE	D	16	BARBARA SHAW	HILLSBOROUGH	D
6	TIMOTHY N. ROBERTSON	CHESHIRE	D	17	JON HOPWOOD	HILLSBOROUGH	D
9	RICHARD AMES	CHESHIRE	D	17	TIMOTHY J. SMITH	HILLSBOROUGH	D
9	DOUGLAS LEY	CHESHIRE	D	18	PATRICIA CORNELL	HILLSBOROUGH	D
12	F. BARRETT FAULKNER	CHESHIRE	D	19	BOB BACKUS	HILLSBOROUGH	D
13	HENRY A.L. PARKHURST	CHESHIRE	D	21	BRENDA ELLEN GRADY	HILLSBOROUGH	D
14	PATRICIA MARTIN	CHESHIRE	D	21	JO ANN ROTAST	HILLSBOROUGH	D
4	HERB RICHARDSON	COOS	R	24	PETER R. LEISHMAN	HILLSBOROUGH	D
4	TROY MERNER	COOS	D	26	MELANIE LEVESQUE	HILLSBOROUGH	D
5	JOHN E. THOLL JR.	COOS	R	26	GALE TAYLOR	HILLSBOROUGH	D
3	SUSAN FORD	GRAFTON	D	28	SYLVIA E. GALE	HILLSBOROUGH	D
7	JIM AGUIAR	GRAFTON	D	28	JAN SCHMIDT	HILLSBOROUGH	D
8	JOHN H. TUCKER	GRAFTON	R	28	THOMAS D. WOODWARD	HILLSBOROUGH	D
8	SUZANNE SMITH	GRAFTON	D	29	PEGGY MCCARTHY	HILLSBOROUGH	R
9	JUDY WALICK	GRAFTON	D	29	SUZANNE HARVEY	HILLSBOROUGH	D
11	CHUCK TOWNSEND	GRAFTON	D	29	WARD T. SHAFF	HILLSBOROUGH	D
13	RICHARD ABEL	GRAFTON	D	29	SUZANNE MERCIER VAIL	HILLSBOROUGH	D
13	ANDREW A. WHITE	GRAFTON	D	30	MARIELLEN J. MACKAY	HILLSBOROUGH	D
15	TERRI MERTZ	GRAFTON	D	30	CINDY ROSENWALD	HILLSBOROUGH	D
1	MARJORIE PORTER	HILLSBOROUGH	D	31	DAVID E. COTE	HILLSBOROUGH	D

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31	MARY J. GORMAN	HILLSBOROUGH	D	11	STEVE SHURTLEFF	MERRIMACK	D
33	TROY SAUNDERS	HILLSBOROUGH	R	12	PAUL HENLE	MERRIMACK	D
33	KEN GIDGE	HILLSBOROUGH	D	13	JUNE M. FRAZER	MERRIMACK	D
34	ALLISON NUTTING	HILLSBOROUGH	D	19	CHRISTY DOLAT BARTLETT	MERRIMACK	D
34	TIMOTHY SOUCY	HILLSBOROUGH	D	20	RICHARD W. DEBOLD	MERRIMACK	D
36	LINDA HARRIOT-GATHRIGHT	HILLSBOROUGH	D	20	DAVID DOHERTY	MERRIMACK	D
36	MICHAEL B. O'BRIEN SR.	HILLSBOROUGH	D	20	DIANNE E. SCHUETT	MERRIMACK	D
37	CHARLENE TAKESIAN	HILLSBOROUGH	R	21	DENIS R. BEAUDOIN SR.	MERRIMACK	D
37	JEREMY MULLER	HILLSBOROUGH	D	21	MARY E. FRAMBACH	MERRIMACK	D
37	KEVIN P. RILEY	HILLSBOROUGH	D	22	ALAN TURCOTTE	MERRIMACK	D
37	ALEJANDRO URRUTIA	HILLSBOROUGH	D	23	DENNIS D'OVIDIO	MERRIMACK	D
38	RICHARD D. MCNAMARA	HILLSBOROUGH	D	23	ROBERT E. MARTEL	MERRIMACK	D
42	DANIEL J. SULLIVAN	HILLSBOROUGH	D	25	DAVID KARRICK	MERRIMACK	D
43	BENJAMIN C. BAROODY	HILLSBOROUGH	D	26	LORRIE J. CAREY	MERRIMACK	D
44	MARK L. PROULX	HILLSBOROUGH	R	27	MARY STUART GILE	MERRIMACK	D
45	CARLOS GONZALEZ	HILLSBOROUGH	R	27	CHIP RICE	MERRIMACK	D
2	SCOTT A. BURNS	MERRIMACK	D	28	KATHERINE D. ROGERS	MERRIMACK	D
3	LEIGH A. WEBB	MERRIMACK	D	2	HAL RAFTER	ROCKINGHAM	D
3	DEBORAH H. WHEELER	MERRIMACK	D	4	STEPHEN D'ANGELO	ROCKINGHAM	D
4	TOM SCHAMBERG	MERRIMACK	D	4	CHARLOTTE LISTER	ROCKINGHAM	D
5	DAVID KIDDER	MERRIMACK	R	5	TED COMBES	ROCKINGHAM	D
6	BARBARA C. FRENCH	MERRIMACK	D	5	TAM SIEKMANN	ROCKINGHAM	D
9	HOWARD MOFFETT	MERRIMACK	D	5	GARY VERMILLION	ROCKINGHAM	D
9	GEORGE L. SAUNDERSON	MERRIMACK	D	5	LISA I. WHITEMORE	ROCKINGHAM	D
10	DAVID LUNEAU	MERRIMACK	I	6	BOB FESH	ROCKINGHAM	R

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6	JIM WEBB	ROCKINGHAM	R	3	BOB PERRY	STRAFFORD	D
6	MARY L. TILL	ROCKINGHAM	D	3	ELLEN PHILLIPS	STRAFFORD	D
8	JOHN J. MANNING, JR.	ROCKINGHAM	R	5	NAIDA L. KAEN	STRAFFORD	D
8	FRED DOUCETTE	ROCKINGHAM	R	6	TIMOTHY HERRIGAN	STRAFFORD	D
8	CAMRON IANNALFO	ROCKINGHAM	D	6	MARJORIE K. SMITH	STRAFFORD	D
8	DENNIS IANNALFO	ROCKINGHAM	D	6	JANET G. WALL	STRAFFORD	D
9	MICHAEL VOSE	ROCKINGHAM	R	14	BILL BABER	STRAFFORD	D
13	CAROL CROTEAU	ROCKINGHAM	D	16	LEN DISESA	STRAFFORD	D
14	WILLIAM FRIEL	ROCKINGHAM	R	17	PETER BIXBY	STRAFFORD	D
14	HARLAN CHENEY	ROCKINGHAM	D	18	ROGER R. BERUBE	STRAFFORD	D
17	MARCIA MOODY	ROCKINGHAM	D	18	DEANNA S. ROLLO	STRAFFORD	D
19	EVERETT LAMM	ROCKINGHAM	D	19	GUY J. EATON	STRAFFORD	R
19	C. DAVID LONDON	ROCKINGHAM	D	23	TOM RANSOM	STRAFFORD	D
20	MAX ABRAMSON	ROCKINGHAM	R	1	LEE WALKER OXENHAM	SULLIVAN	D
21	ROBERT RENNY CUSHING	ROCKINGHAM	D	3	ANDREW SCOTT O'HEARNE	SULLIVAN	D
24	DAVID A. BORDEN	ROCKINGHAM	D	4	LARRY CONVERSE	SULLIVAN	D
30	JACKIE CALI-PITTS	ROCKINGHAM	D	5	RAYMOND GAGNON	SULLIVAN	D
32	MAUREEN R. MANN	ROCKINGHAM	D	8	THOMAS W. LAWARE	SULLIVAN	R
33	STEVEN J. WOITKUN	ROCKINGHAM	R	8	CYNTHIA PAGE SWEENEY	SULLIVAN	D
36	PATRICIA LOVEJOY	ROCKINGHAM	D	9	VIRGINIA O'BRIEN IRWIN	SULLIVAN	D
37	E. ELAINE ANDREWS-AHEARN	ROCKINGHAM	D	10	JOHN R. CLOUTIER	SULLIVAN	D
1	LARRY BROWN	STRAFFORD	D	11	LINDA WOODDELL	SULLIVAN	D
2	MARTIN G. LAFERTE	STRAFFORD	D				

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR NEW HAMPSHIRE VOTERS

- 1. Absentee Ballot Search** - If you applied for an absentee ballot, you can find out if the clerk has received your request; when the absentee ballot was sent to you; and when it was received back in the clerk's office.
- 2. Party Information** - If you are not sure what party you are registered as on the checklist, you can check it by going to sos.nh.gov.
- 3. Polling Place Search** - Find out where your polling place is in your town or ward for state elections.
- 4. Clerk Information Search** - Find out who your clerk is and where the town office is located.
- 5. State List - Clerks and Polling Places** - You can download a list of all town clerks and their contact information, as well as where the polling places are across the state with the hours of polling. **Please note: the polling places and hours of polling are for state elections only - not local elections.*

Remember the Voter ID Law is now in effect in New Hampshire!

YOU WILL NEED TO BRING.....

- Driver's license issued by any state (even if expired)
- ID card issued by NH DMV (Division of Motor Vehicles)
- U.S. Armed Services ID card
- U.S. Passport (even if expired)
- Valid photo ID card issued by either the federal government or a state, county or municipal government
- Valid student ID card

- Other photo ID deemed legitimate by the supervisors of the checklist, the moderator, or the clerk or verification of identity by a supervisor of the checklist, the moderator or the clerk.

A voter who does not have an approved photo ID may obtain a free photo ID for voting purposes only by presenting a voucher from their town/city clerk or the Secretary of State to any NH DMV office that issues identification.

*If you have any questions call the New Hampshire Secretary of State for more information.
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