# New Hampshire Fish and Game Department

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July 26, 2024

His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu
And the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

**REQUESTED ACTION**

Authorize the NH Fish and Game Department, Office of the Director, to make an unencumbered stipend payment to an applicant for travel related expenses related to a public hearing for the position of Executive Director of the NH Fish and Game Department, in an amount not to exceed $2,000, effective upon Governor and Council approval through October 31, 2024. 100% Fish and Game Funds.

Funding is available in account, Office of the Director, as follows:

| | FY 2025 |
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| 03 75 75 750020 11710000-080-500716-Out of State Travel | $2,000.00 |

**EXPLANATION**

NH Fish and Game Commission's Search Committee held confidential interviews for the position of Executive Director. At the conclusion of the interviews, Governor Sununu has nominated, to the Executive Council, one of the candidates, who resides in Olympia, Washington. The Executive Council has requested a public hearing be held; therefore, the Department would like to offer a travel stipend of no more than $2,000 for actual costs incurred for this travel.

Respectfully submitted,

Scott R. Mason
Executive Director