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Her Excellency, Governor Kelly A. Ayotte  
and the Honorable Council  
State House  
Concord, New Hampshire 03301

**REQUESTED ACTION**

Authorize the New Hampshire Veterans Home to accept and expend monies from donations received pursuant to RSA 119:8, Donations, by adding \$50,000 to 05-043-043-430010-70240000 HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, NH VETERANS HOME, VETERANS HOME BENEFIT FUND, to provide for Veteran residents' quality of life needs and related projects, effective upon Governor and Council approval through June 30, 2025 and further authorize these funds to be allocated as follows. 100% Other funds.

**05-043-043-430010-7024 HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, NH VETERANS HOME, BENEFIT FUND VETERANS HOME**

State Fiscal Year	Class/Account	Class Title	Current Budget	Increased (Decreased) Amount	Revised Budget
SFY25	003-406870-20	Revolving fund	\$137,585	\$50,000	\$187,585
		<b>TOTAL REVENUE</b>	<b>\$137,585</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>	<b>\$187,585</b>
SFY25	020-500200	Current Expense	\$50,172	\$50,000	\$100,172
SFY25	048-500226	Contractual Maint Build-Grn	\$87,413	\$0	\$87,413
		<b>TOTAL EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$137,585</b>	<b>\$50,000</b>	<b>\$187,585</b>

**EXPLANATION**

This request is being made to accept and expend the NH Veterans Home donations to provide for Veteran residents' quality of life needs and related projects of the New Hampshire Veterans Home. The New Hampshire Veterans Home receives donations in accordance with RSA 119:8, Donations. In addition, pursuant to RSA 119:5, Powers of Board, all monetary and non-monetary donations are managed, and expenditures are approved by the New Hampshire Veterans Home Board of Managers. Some monies are deposited into the Citizens Bank Veterans Home Benefit Fund account.

The donations are used to purchase entertainment experiences, some examples include but are not limited to attending social events; and items/services for all Veterans to use, some examples include

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but are not limited to internet, computers, and personal items. Some of the quality-of-life items are purchased with monies deposited into the Citizens Bank Veterans Home Benefit Fund, while others are purchased with the NH Veterans Home Procurement Card (P-Card), which is paid out of 05-043-043-430010-70240000 HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, NH VETERANS HOME, VETERANS HOME BENEFIT FUND. The funds will be budgeted in Class 020 – Current Expense to cover the P-Card purchases.

Source of Funds: 100% Other Funds (donations pursuant to RSA 119:8).

If Other Funds no longer become available, General Funds will not be requested to support the benefit fund expenditures.

Respectfully Submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kimberly MacKay". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

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