

# New Hampshire

Department of Agriculture,  
Markets, and Food

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Shawn N. Jasper, Commissioner

April 7, 2025

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

## REQUESTED ACTION

Pursuant to RSA 94:3, the Department of Agriculture, Markets, and Food, requests approval for an annual salary increment for Joshua K. Marshall, Assistant Commissioner, Position #9U789 in the amount of \$5,864 from the current unclassified salary grade GG, step 2 (\$94,955) to salary grade GG, step 3 (\$100,819), effective May 15, 2025 upon Governor and Council approval. 100% General Funds.

## EXPLANATION

RSA 94:3 "Yearly Service Increases," states in part: "upon recommendation of the appointing authority, the holder of any position mentioned in RSA 94:1-a shall be entitled to an annual increase in salary amounting to 1/6 of the difference between the minimum and maximum salary for said position but in no case shall the total salary exceed the maximum as herein established."

Mr. Marshall was appointed to his position on May 15, 2024 and is eligible to advance to the next step on the salary scale on May 15, 2025. He is currently being paid at a Labor Grade GG, step 2. I respectfully request approval of this salary increase.

Thank you for your consideration.

Respectfully Submitted,



Shawn N. Jasper  
Commissioner