



**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU
Governor

**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
BY HIS EXCELLENCY
CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU, GOVERNOR**

Executive Order 2022-05

An order exempting funeral processions from paying tolls on New Hampshire roadways.

WHEREAS, individuals and families grieving the loss of a loved one deserve to be able to travel on New Hampshire roadways unimpeded by our tolls as they pay their final respects; and

WHEREAS, New Hampshire currently requires each vehicle in a funeral procession to pay a toll should they encounter one; and

WHEREAS, the de minimis revenue to the State is an unjustifiable additional burden on a grieving individual, family or friend; and

WHEREAS, participating in a funeral procession can often be a time of reflection free from interruptions.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU, GOVERNOR of the State of New Hampshire, by the authority vested in me by Part II, Article 41 of the New Hampshire Constitution, do hereby order, effective immediately, that:

1. Funeral processions on New Hampshire roadways where there is a cash lane shall not be mandated to pay a toll.
2. The lead car in any funeral procession shall stop, identify themselves, and inform the toll attendant of how many vehicles are part of the procession.
3. The toll attendant shall then permit however many said vehicles are identified as participating in the procession to pass free of charge.

Given under my hand and seal at the Executive Chambers in Concord, this 6th day of June, in the year of Our Lord, two thousand and twenty-two, and the independence of the United States of America, two hundred and forty-six.


GOVERNOR OF NEW HAMPSHIRE