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THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION



Victoria F. Sheehan
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His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu
and the Honorable Council
State House
Concord, NH 03301

Bureau of Highway Maintenance
April 11, 2022

REQUESTED ACTION

The Department of Transportation requests placing this item on the Consent Calendar.

Pursuant to RSA 4:8, authorize the Department of Transportation to accept 13,500 trash bags, with a reported value of \$2,583.90, from New Hampshire the Beautiful Inc. for use in the Sponsor-a-Highway Program.

EXPLANATION

NH RSA Title XX Transportation, Chapter 230 State Highways, Section 230:83 Sponsor-a-Highway Program requires the Commissioner of Transportation to "...establish a sponsor-a-highway program by directly involving citizens, groups, associations, and the business community in the beautification of the state's highways."

New Hampshire the Beautiful, Inc. supports this program by donating blue bags for the Department of Transportation to provide to the volunteer groups that remove trash from almost 1,749 miles of State Roadway. During calendar year 2021, 225 volunteer groups picked up 6,407 bags of trash as part of this program.

The Department appreciates the support of New Hampshire the Beautiful, Inc. and all the volunteer groups that make the Sponsor a Highway program a success and help keep our roadsides clean.

Sincerely,

Victoria F. Sheehan
Commissioner

Attachment

NHDOT Blue Bag Order for CY2022

District	Case Order		# Bags
1	20		3000
2	0		0
3	25		3750
4	25		3750
5	0		0
6	20		3000
Total	90		13500

Since 2007 462900 Prev yr ('19) 449400

Value /case* \$ 28.71

Total Value **\$ 2,583.90**

*Price from NH the Beautiful