

Senate and House Session Alerts for N.H. Democrats

Next House Session:

Thursday, May 2nd, 2024 - time TBA

Next Senate Session:

Call of the Chair

HEARING ALERTS:

Monday - April 22nd

House Education:

Hearing Time: 10:00 AM

Register before 11:59 pm on the day of the hearing to register your opinion!

OPPOSE

SB 341, relative to mandatory disclosure by school district employees to parents.

Our Opposition:

Protects the privacy of learners from unethical outing and upholds student rights to privacy

This bill would set up a big-brother system within school districts that would require teachers to monitor student behavior and make reported assumptions to parents. This is a dangerous bill that would open the door to situations where some students could be exposed to abuse and harm as a result of disclosures. Please sign-in [here](#) to **OPPOSE** this gross violation of privacy and harmful scheme.

House Education:

Hearing Time: 10:45 AM

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OPPOSE

SB375 relative to biological sex in student athletics.

Our Opposition:

Supports the Trans Community by insisting that they be able to play sports on high school and college sports teams

Please sign-in [here](#) to **OPPOSE** this harmful bill that infuses fear into situations where students just want to play sports with the teammates in which they identify with. Not only does this exclusion further marginalize the trans community - it is also denying equitable access to sports and activities within a learning community.

Tuesday - April 23rd

Senate Election Law & Municipal Affairs:

Hearing Time: 9:40am

OPPOSE

HB 1569: relative to eliminating voter identification exceptions.

Our Opposition:

Notes the dangerous effort to eliminate voter affidavits and notes GOP's propensity to increase barriers to voting and ballot access

This bill would disenfranchise voters who may have just moved or have misplaced a document necessary when registering to vote. This would take away same-day affidavits. Affidavits have full backing as a legal document and are sworn to accuracy - there is no evidence of widespread voter fraud around affidavits in their use. Sign in [here](#) to **OPPOSE** this bill!

Tuesday - April 23rd

Senate Energy & Natural Resources:

Hearing Time: 9:50am

Support

HB 1649: relative to prohibiting certain products with intentionally added PFAS.

Our Support:

Upholds the promise to remove PFAS in our communities including a commitment to increasing source reduction by disallowing this dangerous chain of chemicals in our most commonly used products.

As amended, this bill would prohibit manufacturers of certain consumer products in our state that have PFAS added, products the people of this state use in our everyday lives. This is an effort to address PFAS chemical additives in a multi-pronged approach. Sign in [here](#) to **SUPPORT** this bill!

Tuesday - April 23rd

Senate Election Law:

Hearing Time: 10:00am

Support

HB 1596 requires a disclosure of deceptive artificial intelligence usage in political advertising.

Our Support:

HB1596 is the ONLY bill crafted in such a way that, if passed, would go into effect this year in advance of the November 2024 elections making this bill a “must pass” in the bipartisan supported suite of AI bills. This 2024 election year is the first time deceptive deep fakes will play a significant role in influencing our elections because the rapid advancement of generative AI technology necessary to create deepfakes is now widely accessible for little to no money and requiring little to no skill. This common sense bill aims to curb the dissemination of disinformation when it is in the form of media manipulated by technology capable of making it appear that something was done or said in real life when it did not actually occur. Please sign-in [here](#) to **SUPPORT** this bill.

