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Senate Capital Budget Committee Approves Capital Appropriations

Concord, NH - The Senate Capital Budget Committee today gave its unanimous approval to the state's two-year capital appropriations plan, HB 25. The bill authorizes \$268 million in bonds for capital projects across state facilities.

"From the Rochester Courthouse to the State Veterans Home, this bill meets New Hampshire's greatest long-term infrastructure needs without stretching our state's borrowing capacity or weakening our bond rating," said Sen. Dan Innis (R-Bradford), Chairman of the Capital Budget Committee.

"I want to thank Chairman Mark McConkey and the members of the House Public Works Committee. They did an amazing job crafting this Capital Budget bill. In fact, we were able to approve it with only minor technical changes. That shows how well they did their job."

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Highlights of HB 25 include:

- Rochester Courthouse- \$17.5 m
- Winnisquam Regional CTE Center Renovation- \$7.6 m
- Drinking Water State Revolving Fund- \$10.4 m
- Clean Water State Revolving Fund- \$11.4 m
- Hampton North and South Liquor Stores- \$13.8m
- NH Veterans Homes improvements- \$765,000
- UNH Biological Sciences, PSU Hyde Innovation Center, and Keene State Elliot Student Service Center- \$17 m

HB 25 will head to the Senate floor with a unanimous 5–0 recommendation later this month.

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