



BUILDING AMERICA

THE MERIT SHOP SCORECARD

A Review & Ranking of State Construction Environments

New Hampshire

Project Labor Agreements

No state policy and infrequent use at the local level.

Prevailing Wage

No.

Right to Work

No.

Public-Private Partnerships

Statute allows for the use of P3's on transportation infrastructure projects. A public-private partnership transportation infrastructure oversight commission considers and recommends potential projects to the commissioner of transportation projects that may be suitable for use of a P3. Statute allows municipalities to issue bonds or notes for economic development (vertical projects), including P3s with certain specifications. Unsolicited bids are accepted.

Workforce Development Incentives

Current labor supply satisfies 67% of peak labor demand.

State offered \$2,579,958 in grants and incentives for workforce preparation and development in 2020.

Career and Technical Education

97% of CTE high school graduates are placed in colleges or careers.

New Hampshire does not recognize NCCER as an approved curriculum for CTE programs.

Job Growth Rate

4.5%.

OVERALL RANK 27

Project Labor Agreements B

Prevailing Wage A

Right to Work F

Public-Private Partnerships A

Workforce Development Incentives D

Career & Technical Education B

Job Growth Rate B

Compared to the National Average

NEW HAMPSHIRE		NATIONAL
B	PLA	B
A	PPP	C
D	WDI	C
B	CTE	B
B	JGR	C

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Industry Overview

Prompt Pay	<u>Private</u> : No law. <u>Public</u> : No law. <u>Subs</u> : No law.
Immigration/E-Verify Mandate	No law in place.
Percentage of State GDP From Nonresidential Construction	3.4%.
Incidence Rate	No data available.
Occupational Safety & Health Oversight (State vs. Federal)	Federal oversight.
Percentage of Union Membership in Private Construction	14.1%
Marijuana Legalization Status	Legalized for medicinal use and decriminalized for personal use.

Business Facts

Minimum Wage	7.25
Percentage of Pensions Funded	62.7%
Effective Real-Estate Tax Rate	2.03%
Corporate Income Tax Rate(s)	7.70%
State and Local Public Construction Expenditures (in millions)	609