

2026 - IMMIGRATION BILLS

[**CACR 14**](#), relating to qualifications for office. Providing that candidates of the office of governor, state senator, and state representative shall be citizens of the United States. Sponsors: (Prime) Katelyn Kuttub, Jennifer Rhodes, Bob Lynn, Robert Wherry. **STATUS:** Executive session on 2/3/26.

[**CACR 21**](#), relating to voting eligibility. Providing that only legal resident United States citizens who are at least 18 years of age or older who reside in the place they claim as domicile shall be eligible voters. Sponsors: (Prime) Ross Berry. **STATUS:** Executive session 2/3/26.

[**HB 392**](#), (New Title) directing the dissolution of the department of health and human services' office of health access and the department of environmental services' functions for environmental justice. **OPPOSE. STATUS:** Hearing: 02/18/2026, Room 103, SH, 09:40 am

[**HB 1062**](#) authorizing the secretary of state to conduct random audits of the citizenship qualification of registered voters. **OPPOSE.** Sponsors: (Prime) Bob Lynn. **STATUS:** Public hearing on 2/3/26.

[**HB 1106**](#), requiring the public disclosure of the citizenship of a candidate for public office. Sponsors: (Prime) Matt Sabourin dit Choinière, Aboul Khan, JD Bernardy, Aidan Ankarberg, Tom Mannion, Robert Wherry, Katelyn Kuttub, Michael Granger, Joseph Barton. **STATUS:** Executive session 2/3/26.

[**HB 1115**](#), adding a definition of citizen of New Hampshire. Sponsors: (Prime) Donald McFarlane. **STATUS:** Public hearing 1/21/26.

[**HB 1142**](#), relative to requirements for law enforcement officers assisting in immigration enforcement. **SUPPORT.** Sponsors: (Prime) Alexis Simpson. **STATUS:** Public hearing 1/28/26.

[HB 1252](#), requiring the department of motor vehicles to only administer the skills test for commercial driver licenses in English and prohibiting the support of an interpreter for the administration of the skills test for commercial driver's licenses.

OPPOSE. Sponsors: (Prime) Ted Gorski. **STATUS:** Assigned to House Transportation Committee; no public hearing has been scheduled yet.

[HB 1364](#), requiring quarterly reports from counties, municipalities, or any other political subdivisions of the state that enter into certain agreements with the federal government concerning assistance with federal immigration enforcement.

SUPPORT. Sponsors: (Prime) Alissandra Murray, David Meuse, Tom Mannion. **STATUS:** Public hearing on 1/30/26.

[HB 1445](#), authorizing the issuance of enhanced drivers licenses for border crossing and proof of citizenship. Sponsors: (Prime) Erik Johnson. **STATUS:** House voted ITL by VV, 2/5/26.

[HB 1499](#), relative to additional grounds for eviction under the landlord and tenant statute. **OPPOSE.** Sponsors: (Prime) Joe Alexander, Katelyn Kuttab. **STATUS:** On House calendar for 2/19/26. Majority Committee Report - Ought to Pass with Amendment #2026-0490h 02/03/2026 (Vote 10-8; RC). Minority Committee Report - Inexpedient to Legislate. [See amended analysis here.](#)

[HB 1561](#), prohibiting nationals of the People's Republic of China from attending state institutions of higher education. **OPPOSE.** Sponsors: (Prime) Mike Belcher **STATUS:** Executive session on 2/17/26.

[HB 1570](#), relative to governmental budget authority for agreements for law enforcement agencies to participate in federal immigration enforcement. **SUPPORT.** Sponsors: (Prime) Buzz Scherr , Paul Berch, Chris Muns, David Meuse, Alissandra Murray. **STATUS:** House voted ITL on 2/12/26, RC 198-161

[HB 1609](#), limiting the use of state, county, and municipal funds for construction and operation of certain immigrant detention facilities. **SUPPORT.** Sponsors: (Prime) David Meuse **STATUS:** Public hearing on 1/15/26.

[HB 1706](#), repealing the refugee resettlement program in the department of health and human services and prohibiting expenditure of state funds on refugee

resettlement. **OPPOSE**. Sponsors: (Prime) Travis Corcoran. **STATUS**: Assigned to House HHS Committee; no public hearing has been scheduled yet.

[HB 1709](#), relative to prohibiting the rental of residential property to individuals unlawfully present in the United States. **OPPOSE**. Sponsors: (Prime) Joe Alexander , Kimberly Rice, Daniel Innis, Ross Berry, Katy Peternel, Kristine Perez, Katelyn Kuttub, Victoria Sullivan. **STATUS**: Public hearing 1/27/26.

[HB 1822](#), relative to reporting of civil immigration detentions by state, county, and local law enforcement and correctional facilities. **SUPPORT**. Sponsors: (Prime) Zoe Manos, Chris Muns, Michael Edgar, David Meuse, Eric Turer, Donovan Fenton, Alissandra Murray, Linda Haskins, Toni Weinstein, Pat Long. **STATUS**: Committee Report - Inexpedient to Legislate 01/22/2026 (Vote 7-6; RC)