



**STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE**  
**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

**CHRISTOPHER T. SUNUNU**  
Governor

June 25, 2019

**Governor's Veto Message Regarding House Bill 409**

By the authority vested in me, pursuant to part II, Article 44 of the New Hampshire Constitution, on June 25th, 2019, I have vetoed House Bill 409, relative to the maximum optional fee for transportation improvements charged by municipalities when collecting motor vehicle registration fees.

New Hampshire citizens already feel they pay high vehicle registration fees and this bill would double the surcharge that municipalities could collect. Government should be focused on finding efficiency and reducing waste rather than adding to the burden on our citizens.

For the reasons stated above, I have vetoed House Bill 409.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Christopher T. Sununu".

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Christopher T. Sununu  
Governor