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The Mission of the New Hampshire Council of Professional Geologists is:

- to strengthen and advance the geologic sciences as a profession;
 - to promote the protection of public welfare and the environment through the professional practice of geologic sciences;
 - to promote high standards of ethical conduct within the profession of geology;
 - to promote the legal standing of geologists and their ability to practice geologic sciences in New Hampshire; and
 - to promote the licensing of geologists in New Hampshire through statutory regulation.
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MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THE GALA EARTH SCIENCE WEEK

DINNER, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12

There will be a gala Earth Science Week Dinner on Thursday, October 12, 2000 at the Wayfarer Hotel in Bedford. There is so **much to celebrate**. It is the **10th Anniversary** of the New Hampshire Geological Society and its formal Annual Meeting. **The PG bill passed this year**. NHCPG will join NHGS in **honoring Eugene Boudette** on the occasion of his retirement as State Geologist and in offering a warm **welcome to the new State Geologist, David Wunsch**. And much more! Be sure to be there! Good food, good time.

UPDATE ON THE PG BOARD

New Hampshire's PG bill became effective on August 20, 2000, but it will be a while before PG licenses are issued. Governor Jeanne Shaheen will nominate four geologists and one public member for the new Board of Professional Geologists. The nominations must be approved by the Governor's Executive Council. Since NHCPG was the primary non-legislative advocate for the bill, it had some responsibility to continue support of the legislation by suggesting candidates for possible consideration for the new Board of Professional Geologists. A poll of the NHCPG Officers, Board of Directors, and Board of Advisors indicated consistent support for the following four geologist candidates, all of whom indicated willingness to serve in this important capacity – Prof. Timothy Allen of Keene State College, John Cotton of the NH Department of Environmental Services, Paul Sanborn of Sanborn, Head & Associates, and Dorothy Richter of Hager-Richter Geoscience, Inc. The poll also indicated consistent interest in suggesting Nancy Stickney of North Salem as the public member. Mrs. Stickney is retiring from the New Hampshire House of Representatives at the end of the year. She served on the House committee that considered the PG bill, so she is familiar with the policy issues and needs of the law. The above names were submitted to the Governor's office, but of course, the Governor may nominate others. The Governor's staff has indicated that the Governor will try to work on her nominations for the PG Board during the month of September.

Don't forget to check out our NHCPG website at www.nhcpg.org or the NHGS at www.nhgs.org.

See you 5:30 PM on

SEPTEMBER 6 at NHDES in CONCORD

NHCPG Meeting Schedule

Regular meetings of the NHCPG are held monthly at the NHDES offices on Hazen Drive in Concord. Please come to any or all of the meetings. The meetings are scheduled for the first Wednesday of each month at 5:30 pm. Be there on time, however, because the building is locked so you will need to be let in. So — mark these dates on your calendar [Ed. Note: These meetings will continue and emergency meetings may be needed as we work through the process. More than ever, your attention and assistance will be very critical.]:

September	Wednesday, 6th
October	Wednesday, 4th
November	Wednesday, 1st
December	Wednesday, 6th

Note: meetings scheduled after December 2000 will be in a later newsletter.

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