

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement Report (RSA 15-B)



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Office/Appointment/Employment held: State Representative, Deputy Speaker

List the full name, post office address, occupation, and principal place of business, if any, of the source of any reportable honorarium or expense reimbursement.

Source of Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement:

Name of source: RECEIVED

Post Office Address: MAY 22 2008

Occupation: NEW HAMPSHIRE

Principal Place of Business: DEPARTMENT OF STATE

If source is a Corporation or other Entity:

Name of Corporation or Entity: Lincoln Institute of Land Policy, Cambridge, MA

Name of Corporate/Entity Representative: Brooke Digges

Work Address of Representative: Resource Plus 200 Seaport Blvd, Suite 309 Boston, MA 02210

Food and/or beverages consumed pursuant to RSA 15-B:6, II with value over \$25.00

Value of Honorarium: 419.14 Date Received: 5/8 + 5/9 08 If exact value is unknown, provide an estimate of the value of the gift or honorarium and identify the value as an estimate. [X] Exact [ ] Estimate

Value of Expense Reimbursement: ~~419.14~~ Date Received: ~~5/8 + 5/9 08~~ A copy of the agenda or an equivalent document must be attached to this filing. [X] Exact [ ] Estimate

Briefly describe the service or event this Honorarium or Expense Reimbursement relates to:

Economic Perspectives on State & Local Taxes - seminar for N.H. legislators and staff

"I have read RSA 15-B and hereby swear or affirm that the foregoing information is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief."

Signature of Filer: Linda T. Foster

Date Filed: 5/22/08

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Return to: Secretary of State's Office, State House Room 204, Concord, NH 03301

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NEW ENGLAND PUBLIC POLICY CENTER  
FEDERAL RESERVE BANK OF BOSTON

**ECONOMIC PERSPECTIVES ON STATE AND LOCAL TAXES**

May 9, 2008

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*A small, interactive seminar targeted to legislators and think tank executives  
in the New England states.*

**Thursday, May 8, 2008**

*Private Dining Room, Harvest Restaurant*

**6:30-8:00 p.m. Reception and Dinner for participants and faculty**

**Friday, May 9, 2008**

*Lincoln House, 113 Brattle Street, Cambridge, MA*

**8:30 - 9:00 a.m. Sign-in and Continental Breakfast**

**9:00 – 9:15 Introduction**

- *Joan Youngman*, Senior Fellow and Chairman, Department of Valuation and Taxation, Lincoln Institute of Land Policy
- *Robert Tannenwald*, Director, New England Public Policy Center, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston
- **Moderator for the Day:** *Daphne A. Kenyon*, Visiting Fellow, Lincoln Institute of Land Policy

**9:15 – 10:30 a.m. New Perspectives on State Debt**

- *W. Bartley Hildreth*, Director, Kansas Public Finance Center, Wichita State University, “Current Challenges in Issuing State and Local Government Securities”
- *Andrew Haughwout*, New York Federal Reserve Bank, “A New Perspective on State Debt and Assets”

**10:30 – 10:45 a.m. Break**

**10:45 – 12:00 State Finances, State Aid, and Property Taxes in an Uncertain Economy**

- *Andrew Reschovsky*, Visiting Fellow, Lincoln Institute of Land Policy and Professor of Public Affairs and Applied Economics, University of Wisconsin-Madison, “State Aid and Property Taxes in an Economic Downturn”

- *Lucy Dadayan*, Senior Policy Analyst, State and Local Government Finance, Nelson A. Rockefeller Institute of Government, “Current Assessment of State Finances”

**12:00 – 12:45 p.m. Lunch**

**12:45 – 1:45 p.m. Lunch Talk and Discussion: The Housing Market and the Economy**

- *Karl E. Case*, Katharine Coman and A. Barton Hepburn Professor of Economics, Wellesley College, “The Housing Crisis and What It Means for State and Local Governments”

*Karl “Chip” Case is a master teacher, co-author of a best-selling economics principals text, founding partner of a real estate research firm, and co-developer of the S&P/Case-Shiller® Home Price Indices. For the past 25 years his research has focused on real estate markets and prices, including studies that attempt to isolate the causes and consequences of boom and bust real estate cycles and their relationship to economic performance.*

**1:45 – 2:00 p.m. Break**

**2:00 – 3:30 Reforming State Business Taxes**

- *Martin Sullivan*, Contributing Editor, *State Tax Notes*, “State Corporate Income Taxes: Leaky Buckets”
- *William Ardinger*, Rath, Young and Pignatelli, P.A., “New Hampshire’s Business Enterprise Tax as a Model for State Business Tax Reform”
- *Robert Tannenwald*, Director, New England Public Policy Center, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, “Business Tax Reform Proposals in Massachusetts: Policy Options for New England States”

**3:30 Adjourn**

**From:** "Digges, Brooke" <brooke.digges@resource-plus.com>  
**Subject:** May 9th Conference Costs for Reporting Purposes  
**Date:** Tuesday, May 20, 2008 10:35:03 AM

Good morning,

I am aware that many of you need the cost per person of the May 9th Economic Perspectives on State and Local Taxes conference at the Lincoln Institute of Land Policy. Below, please find the cost per person. Please call me with any questions.

May 8th Reception & Dinner at the Harvest Restaurant:  
\$136

May 9th Breakfast & Lunch at the Lincoln Institute:  
\$47.00

Sheraton Commander Hotel 1 night stay:  
\$236.14

Thank you!

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