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STABLE NH is a Game Changer: Save Money without Fear of Losing Qualified Federal Benefits

Concord, NH—Today the Executive Director of the Governor's Commission on Disability's Chuck Saia announced that the STABLE NH tax-deferred savings and investment plan has grown to a total of $174,000 of invested money.

"As co-administrator of the plan for those with disabilities, State Treasurer Bill Dwyer and I are gladdened that citizens of New Hampshire are taking advantage of this game changer program."

Since the first of the year, Dwyer and Saia have spread the word about the benefits of STABLE NH to select groups, advocates and agencies either through personal presentations, or with the assistance of technology.

"When I listen to comments and questions," said Saia, "I'm learning just how much of a game changer STABLE NH really is. To be honest, many have shared their experiences and actual apprehension about government programs. Many are skeptical that they won't lose their benefits, or even their money, if they open a STABLE NH account."

STABLE NH is a game changer because it allows for participation in the program without the fear of losing Federal benefits. This program is backed up with the authority and credibility of the New Hampshire State Treasury, Governor, Legislature and Executive Council.

There are a couple more questions which "The Chuck and Bill Show" address in their explanation of STABLE NH.

"Is it too good to be true?"

"You mean it's OK to declare and invest my son's birthday money from his grandparents into this account and it won't penalize him?"

According to Saia, "The best part of interacting with so many parents of those with disabilities is to be able to actually dispel fear they might have about STABLE NH and to explain how it can work for them."

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