

FINANCE COMMITTEE 2016-17

The Finance Committee oversees the management of NHLTA's finances, and it also serves as the Scholarship Committee for the Mildred P. McKay Scholarship Fund. The committee establishes and periodically reviews financial policies, procedures and practices to ensure proper financial management.

The Finance Committee recommended the appointment of William J. Shea, CPA, PLLC, to independently conduct NHLTA's annual financial review and to prepare NHLTA's federal and state returns. The Board of Directors appointed Shea on August 3, 2016.

In calendar year 2016, the Scholarship Committee awarded seventeen full or partial McKay scholarships, including eight MLS course scholarships. For 2017, as of May 31, twelve scholarships have been awarded, including four MLS course scholarships.

Mildred P. McKay was New Hampshire State Librarian, 1942–1964. In 1965, NHLTA established the Mildred P. McKay Scholarship Fund. The New Hampshire Charitable Foundation annually grants NHLTA new funds for McKay scholarship awards. Criteria for McKay scholarship eligibility and a scholarship application can be found on NHLTA's website, www.nhlta.org.

Finance Committee members are Mark Branoff, Chair, Thomas Wallace and Loring Webster.