

Primary Bank's Bill Stone Honored in Second New Hampshire 200 List as One of New Hampshire's Most Influential Business Leaders

Year-long research initiative by NH Business Review editors reveals leaders across several industries throughout the state

Bedford, N.H. December, 9, 2021 — Bill Stone, President and CEO of Primary Bank was honored by NH Business Review as one of the most influential financial service leaders in the second bi-annual New Hampshire 200 list. The New Hampshire 200 is the product of a year-long research initiative by the editors of NH Business Review, resulting in an insightful and engaging look at the state's most influential business leaders across major industries. NH Business Review will celebrate the New Hampshire 200 during a reception on December 9 at the DoubleTree by Hilton Manchester Downtown, and will also be publishing a New Hampshire 200 book detailing the accomplishments of the recipients.

“It is an honor to be recognized by NH Business Review's New Hampshire 200 as a leader in the financial services industry. It is essential to build and maintain a thriving economy supporting the small business community and being a trusted financial partner in the great State of New Hampshire.” Said Bill Stone, President and CEO of Primary Bank.

Bill Stone began his career in banking more than 30 years ago, and was instrumental in the formation of Primary Bank, the first financial institution in New England and the second in the country to be established since the 2008 financial recession. He is a member of the Bank's Board of Directors and has served as president and CEO of Primary Bank, based in Bedford, since its founding in 2015.

The New Hampshire 200, first launched two years ago, recognizes business owners and leaders from all corners of the state across major industries, including architecture/engineering/construction, business and professional services, education, energy, finance, healthcare, hospitality, law, manufacturing, media/marketing, nonprofit, real estate, retail and technology. The New Hampshire 200 book includes personal, career and industry insight for readers, such as business lessons learned, challenges, predictions and more.

“We are pleased to announce this year's New Hampshire 200 list, which spotlights a truly remarkable group of individuals leading the Granite State in their respective industries,” said Jeff Feingold, editor of NH Business Review. “This list has been months in the making and has involved extensive research, interviews, and communication with our contacts in regional business circles. We look forward to providing the people of New Hampshire this inspiring look at the individuals who are making an immeasurable positive impact on the state, and to honor Bill Stone in our 2021 New Hampshire 200.”

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