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**Celebrating Leadership in Energy:  
2025 NH Energy Champion Award Winners Announced**

**MANCHESTER, NH** – The eighth annual New Hampshire Energy Week concluded last week, marking another successful year of convening leaders and stakeholders from across the state's diverse energy landscape. With the largest programming schedule to date, the 2025 NH Energy Week featured more than twenty virtual and in-person events that drew participation from across the public and private sectors.

Throughout the week, attendees explored timely topics shaping New Hampshire's energy future, from journalism and workforce development to energy affordability and emerging technologies. Events included speakers and panels featuring municipal, state, and federal officials, business leaders, researchers, utilities, and nonprofit organizations - all sharing insights and solutions that span the full spectrum of the energy system.

The week culminated in a two-part capstone event at the University of New Hampshire at Manchester, where participants heard about a range of innovative technologies, including resilient home energy solutions, grid interconnection strategies, waste heat recovery, and advanced conductors and cooling systems.

Later that afternoon, NH Energy Week organizers honored individuals and organizations that are driving meaningful progress with the 2025 NH Energy Champion Awards. These awards recognize outstanding leadership, innovation, and collaboration in advancing New Hampshire's energy goals - from traditional energy systems to cutting-edge technologies. **U.S. Senator Jeanne Shaheen was recognized as the Elected Official Energy Champion for her leadership in advancing energy policy and innovation.**

The 2025 NH Energy Week Energy Champion award recipients are:

- **Small Business Energy Champion:** Chapman Construction/Design

- **Large Business Energy Champion:** Lonza
- **Community Energy Champion:** Rockingham County
- **Elected Official Energy Champion:** U.S. Senator Jeanne Shaheen
- **Young Professional Energy Champion:** George Anderson
- **2024 Project of the Year Energy Champion:** Kingston Solar Array (Unitil)

The organizing partners would also like to recognize all of this year's NH Energy Champion Award nominees:

### **2025 Energy Champion Award Nominees:**

Large Business Nominees:

- ***Lonza (Winner)***
- Albany International
- Southern NH University
- Unitil

Small Business Nominees:

- ***Chapman Construction/Design (Winner)***
- Amherst Country Club
- Barrington Solar
- Elm Grove Companies
- Grateful Electric
- J4 Energy Solutions
- KW Management Inc
- Lakes Region Community Developers
- Miracle Farms Landscaping
- Turn Cycle Solutions

Elected Official Nominees:

- ***U.S. Senator Jeanne Shaheen (Winner)***
- Bruce Caplain, Town Moderator with the Town of Bethlehem
- NH Senator Howard Pearl

Community Nominees:

- ***Rockingham County (Winner)***

- Town of Barrington
- Town of Plymouth
- Town of Stratford

Young Professional Nominees:

- ***George Anderson (Winner)***
- Matt L'Heureux

Project Nominees:

- ***Kingston Solar Array (Unitil) (Winner)***
- Hannah Grimes: Energy Efficiency & HVAC Improvements
- Monadnock Food Co-Op: EV Charging Station
- Mt. Kearsarge Indian Museum: Sustainable Energy Project

The 2025 NH Energy Week Organizing Partners are: Clean Energy NH, Community Power Coalition of NH, NH Businesses for Social Responsibility, NH Community Development Finance Authority, NH Small Business Development Center, Ski NH, and the Young Professionals in Energy.

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**About NH Energy Week:** NH Energy Week celebrates the entire energy ecosystem dedicated to advancing a sustainable and economically prosperous energy future for the Granite State. Bringing together energy users, providers, policymakers, and community leaders, the event-series continues to serve as a statewide platform for dialogue, education, and recognition rooted in four core principles: empowerment, equity, accessibility, and education.

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