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WINSLOW ENDORSES CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TAX CUT PROPOSAL

9th Norfolk State Representative Candidate Says Job Growth is Key and Won't Take Any Pay Raise
Until Unemployment Drops Below 5%

NORFOLK-- State Representative candidate Dan Winslow today endorsed the tax cutting and job growth proposals advanced by the Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce. "With unemployment in our towns ranging from 6.6 percent in Medfield to 11.3 percent in Plainville, we need to make job creation Job One in Massachusetts," said Winslow. Current unemployment levels in the 9th Norfolk House district include Walpole at 7.3 percent, Wrentham at 7.7 percent, Millis at 8.3 percent, and Norfolk at 8.5 percent, according to the most recent data available from the state Office of Labor Market Research and Analysis.

Winslow has pledged not to accept any legislative pay raise until unemployment falls below 5 percent in every town in the 9th Norfolk district, if he is elected. Legislative pay automatically is adjusted every two years, but legislators are not required to accept raises. "There is no such thing as a jobless recovery for someone who doesn't have a job," said Winslow. "If elected, I will support the tax cutting and job growth policies that will get Massachusetts working again."

The Chamber of Commerce's "Renew Mass" plan, is estimated to create 35,000 to 40,000 jobs, generate \$100 million in new income tax revenue and increase the Bay State's appeal to businesses. The bulk of the gains, according to chamber officials, would come from permitting multi-state companies to pay taxes only on their Massachusetts sales, rather than their profits or payroll taxes. The so-called single sales factor apportionment, officials say, would create 32,000 to 37,000 jobs when fully implemented, costing the state \$20 million in the short-term and \$100 million in the fifth year of implementation.

When fully implemented over five years, the plan would sacrifice \$165 million a year in business taxes while generating about the same amount in new payroll, property, sales and local taxes, officials say.

Winslow served as the Presiding Justice of the Wrentham District Court and left the bench to serve as the Governor's Chief Legal Counsel in the Romney administration during the state's last fiscal crisis. He is a partner at the law firm of Duane Morris LLP in Boston and most recently served as the Chief Legal Counsel to the Scott Brown campaign.

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