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Pledge Signers Enter Primaries in Massachusetts

WASHINGTON, D.C. – Americans for Tax Reform commends the Taxpayer Protection Pledge signers in Massachusetts's primary on September 16. The following candidates for state legislature have signed the Taxpayer Protection Pledge:

Senate

Brion Cangiamila (Middle.-4)
Robert Hedlund (Plym. & Norf.)
John Lebeaux (Worc.-2)
Steven Levy (Middl. & Worc.)
Sandi Martinez (Middl.-3)
Jon Rockwood (Brist. & Norf.)

Lonnie Brennan (Essex-18)
Stephen Comstois (Worc.-5)
C.J. Ferry (Brist.-7)
Paul K. Frost (Worc.-7)
Susan W. Gifford (Plym.-2)
Kurt Hayes (Middl.-37)
Brad Hill (Essex-4)
Donald Humason (Hamp.-4)
Kevin Kuros (Worc.-8)
Anthony Lucacio (Middl.-22)
Steven Lynch (Plym.-9)
Vinnie de Macedo (Plym.-1)
James B. Miceli (Middl.-19)

David Nangle (Middl.-17)
Lawrence Novak (Plym.-9)
Brian O'Connor (Middl.-31)
Jeffrey Davis Perry (Barnst.-5)
Elizabeth A. Poirier (Brist.-14)
George Ross (Brist.-2)
Richard Ross (Norf.-9)
William Scibelli (Hamp.-2)
Todd Smola (Hamp.-1)
Robert Thomas (Norf.-4)
John Valianti (Plym.-4)

House

Demetrius John Atsalis (Barnst.-2)
Paul Avella (Middl.-2)
Fred "Jay" Barrows (Brist.-1)
John Blaisdell (Essex-2)

As a Pledge signer, a candidate commits **"to oppose and vote against any and all efforts to increase taxes."** ATR applauds the commitment these candidates have made to taxpayers.

Pledge signers are in good company as 41 U.S. Senators, 192 Members of the U.S. House of Representatives, President Bush, eight Governors, seven Lieutenant Governors, and more than 1,200 state legislators have signed the Pledge.

Americans for Tax Reform is a non-partisan coalition of taxpayers and taxpayer groups who oppose all tax increases. For more information or to arrange an interview please contact John Kartch at (202) 785-0266 or by email at jkartch@atr.org

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