

News Release, 10-30-08: Goffstown Television (GTV), Channel 16

NH State Representative Candidate Forum

“Political Mix”, co-hosted and produced by Ivan Beliveau and Roger Richard, presented a live on-air political forum for the Goffstown-Weare Democratic and Republican candidates for NH State Representative.

Ten of 16 candidates for 8 open positions on the state ballot were at the Goffstown High School Media Center Oct 23, for a spirited discussion of subjects of interest to Goffstown-Weare residents.

Steve Brzozowski, Russ Day, Larry Emerton, John Hikel, Kevin Hodges, Rip Holden, Katelyn Kerin, Neal Kurk, Cal Pratt and Derek Winsor all answered questions presented to them by Beliveau and Richard after being given an opportunity to introduce themselves to the TV viewers.

Each of the candidates had “drawn straws” and were sitting intermingled amongst each other at a “round table.” The co-hosts alternately then asked each candidate in order a pre-selected question chosen by each co-host.

Three questions each from Beliveau and Richard, including such subjects gun control, alternative energy support, birth control, state budget, taxes, road repair, veterans hospital and assistance for families hurt by the economy were presented to the participants.

Beliveau and Richard then alternately directed a second round of 3 questions to specific candidates chosen by the co-hosts.

The TV audience was able to get a clear impression of each of the candidate’s positions on some of the important issues of interest to Goffstown-Weare voters for the upcoming Nov. 4, national and state elections.

At the end of the political forum, each candidate was given time to address the TV audience and rebut any of the answers given by individual forum participants.

GTV Show (Channel 16) Times:

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