

Politics Public File February 2014

Date=2/6/2014

Time=3:11

Slug=HENRIQUEZ EXPULSION

AN HISTORIC DAY UNDER THE STATE'S GOLDEN DOME. ONE NEVER SEEN BEFORE BY MOST PEOPLE IN THE STATE. THE EXPULSION OF A PUBLICLY ELECTED LAWMAKER. CONVICTED CRIMINAL AND CURRENT JAIL INMATE CARLOS HENRIQUEZ IS NO LONGER A STATE REP. LET'S GET RIGHT TO POLITICAL REPORTER SHARMAN SACCHETTI WHO IS LIVE AT OUR BEACON HILL STUDIO.

Date=2/17/2014

Time=7:00

Slug=PATRONAGE LYING

FOX UNDERCOVER DIGGING UP NEW EVIDENCE OF POLITICAL PATRONAGE IN THE STATE HIRING PROCESS. FOR THE PAST YEAR, OUR INVESTIGATIVE TEAM HAS BEEN LOOKING INTO ALLEGATIONS THAT PEOPLE ARE GETTING STATE JOBS ALL BECAUSE OF WHO THEY KNOW. STATE OFFICIALS KEEP INSISTING THAT'S JUST NOT TRUE. BUT AS INVESTIGATIVE REPORTER MIKE BEAUDET REVEALS, IT'S GETTING HARDER FOR THE STATE TO EXPLAIN AWAY THE EVIDENCE OF PATRONAGE.

Date=2/18/2014

Time=4:00

Slug=PRESIDENTIAL RACE

WE'LL HAVE A NEW PRESIDENT IN 2016. THE RACE FOR HIS SUCCESSOR IS CERTAINLY NOT CUT AND DRY. QUESTIONS HANG ON WHETHER HILLARY CLINTON WILL RUN. REPUBLICAN GOVERNOR CHRIS CHRISTIE HAUNTED BY SCANDAL IN HIS NEW JERSEY ADMINISTRATION AND MITT ROMNEY HAS NOT BEEN HIDING IN THE SHADOW. HE'S BEEN EVERYWHERE LATELY. WE BRING IN BOSTON UNIVERSITY POLITICAL HISTORIAN AND PROFESSOR TOM WHALEN.

Date=2/24/2014

Time=2:39

Slug=PATRICK PRESIDENTIAL HOPES?

COULD ONE SIMPLE WORD SIGNAL A CHANGE OF HEART? WHEN IT COMES TO A POSSIBLE PRESIDENTIAL RUN, GOVERNOR DEVAL PATRICK NOW SAYS "MAYBE." POLITICAL REPORTER SHARMAN SACCHETTI, HE'S NOT RULING IT OUT!!!!?

Date=2/26/2014

Time=2:38

Slug=GOVERNORS RACE

NOW TO THE RACE FOR GOVERNOR. A CROWDED FIELD OF CANDIDATES ALL FEELING THEIR WAY ON THE CAMPAIGN TRAIL. STILL EARLY ON BUT WE WANT TO KNOW. WHAT'S THE STRATEGY THESE CANDIDATES ARE USING? FOX 25'S POLITICAL REPORTER SHARMAN SACCHETTI IS HERE WITH MORE.

Date=2/26/2014
Time=2:53
Slug=REVERE VOTING

THE FUTURE OF GAMING IN THE CITY OF REVERE BEING DECIDED TODAY. VOTERS WILL DECIDE IF A PROPOSED CASINO AT SUFFOLK DOWNS CAN MOVE FORWARD. MOHEGAN SUN WANTS TO BUILD A GAMING RESORT ON THE REVERE-SIDE OF THE TRACK. AND THE POLLS ARE OPEN FOR ANOTHER FEW HOURS. FOX 25'S TED DANIEL WITH US NOW FROM REVERE.

Date=2/27/2014
Time=1:17
Slug=COAKLEY ON BAKER

NOW FOR THE LATEST IN THE RACE FOR THE CORNER OFFICE. ATTORNEY GENERAL AND CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR MARTHA COAKLEY SPEAKING OUT AGAINST ONE OF HER OPPONENTS. COAKLEY RELEASED A STATEMENT TODAY AFTER THE REPUBLICAN PARTY VOTED TO ENDORSE A NEW PLATFORM WITH CONSERVATIVE STANCES ON MARRIAGE EQUALITY AND A WOMAN'S RIGHT TO CHOOSE. COAKLEY SAYS THE NEW PLATFORM WOULD BE A MAJOR STEP BACKWARDS. SHE SAYS HER REPUBLICAN OPPONENT CHARLIE BAKER HAD A CHANCE TO STAND UP TO HIS PARTY AGAINST THIS NEW STANCE BUT FAILED.