

AT THE POLLS - GENERAL ELECTION - NOVEMBER 8

The Beacon asked candidates running for office to submit up to 250 words and a picture.

Governor Vote for one

Tom Sherman Democratic Party

I am Dr. Tom Sherman, a State Senator from the Seacoast and the Democratic nominee for Governor. I found my passion for service when I was working as an EMT during high school. That passion for service has fueled my career as a doctor and as a legislator.



Over the course of 35 years as a doctor, I have learned two valuable lessons: the importance of listening, and how we can accomplish goals when we all work together. As a state legislator I have relied on these lessons to work across the aisle to expand health care to 50,000 Granite Staters,

lower prescription drug costs, ensure our drinking water is clean and safe to drink, and protect American manufacturers.

Since March, I have been traveling the state listening to Granite Stater's concerns. And what I'm hearing is that Granite Staters are concerned about attempts to defund our public schools, soaring energy prices, and attacks on reproductive rights across our state and country.

New Hampshire needs a leader who will sit down and listen and work to solve these problems. As your governor I would take common-sense measures like working with stakeholders to reduce red tape and build more housing. I'd legalize adult-use marijuana so that revenue stops going to surrounding states.

And I'd support our public schools and put Roe v. Wade into statute.

Chris Sununu Republican Party

Today in New Hampshire, unemployment is at its lowest rate in history, and we had the fastest growing economy in the nation in the second quarter by GDP growth.

Throughout the COVID



pandemic, New Hampshire was rated the #1 state for personal freedoms while also having one of the lowest death rates in the nation. We let data guide our decision making and empowered individuals, families, and businesses. We continue to monitor the data and are prepared with the tools in place for whatever might come this winter to keep our citizens safe and our economy open – just as we have for the last two years.

We've passed three balanced budgets without raising a single tax or fee and have lowered taxes on small businesses, stopped a 17-cent-per-gallon gas tax increase, eliminated the electricity consumption tax, and are completely zeroing out the Interest and Dividends tax within the next five years.

We're investing \$100 million to help build new housing which will help grow our workforce and economy, helping our workers live and work in New Hampshire.

We are doing everything we can to return more money to people's pockets by cutting taxes. To limit the impacts See Candidates on page 8

Order of Parties on the Ballot

In the November general election, per RSA 656:5 II & III and the Secretary of State's website, the Andover ballot will list "Other" candidates in the first column, the Democratic candidates in the second column, and Republican candidates in the third column. For the sake of consistency, the Beacon's At the Polls section follows the same order.

The order of candidates for a given office is based on the primary election ballot (RSA 656:5-a).



LORNA CARLISLE REPRESENTATIVE

District 5 – Andover, Danbury, Hill, Salisbury & Webster

I'm a Webster native and Salisbury resident for 18 years. I retired in 2021 and was looking forward to running our farm stand full time. However, with the state of politics I felt compelled to run for state representative rather than complain. I hope you'll consider voting for me, as well as Ken Wells and David Nesbitt, my fellow Democrats, in November. I will work to halt the erosion of your basic human rights being advanced by New Hampshire Republicans.

I stand for:

- Strengthening public schools and supporting public-school teachers.
- Ensuring that birth control and abortion remain personal healthcare decisions, not matters for politicians to determine.
- Protecting marriage equality, understanding that people's sexual orientation and gender identity are civil rights.
- Caring for our environment: We must support local, state, and federal policies that protect clean air, clean water, and a rapid transition to a sustainable energy future.
- Balancing your 2nd amendment rights with your right to keep your families, all of our children, and our communities free from the threats of gun violence.
- Making it easy for every citizen to vote and to have their vote counted.

I think of the U.S. Constitution as a brilliant framework, a living document we should interpret through the lens of modern technologies and scientific understanding.

This is the United States of America. Truth matters here.

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