

Walz and Toomey
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In the race for the 8th Suffolk District, which includes Cambridgeport, MIT and Area 4, we endorse Marty Walz.

We expect Cambridge voters to send progressives to the State House of Representatives, and we encourage them to send Walz into the race against Richard Babson for the 8th Suffolk seat.

We appreciate Walz' no-nonsense approach and her understanding of neighborhoods. As a longtime member of one of the largest neighborhood associations in Boston, she can help bring a new sense of organization and advocacy to some of the city's most diverse neighborhoods.

A strong sense of neighborhood can help the city battle many of its ills, including crime and the affordable housing crunch.

We also agree with her commitment to the environment. If she can bring some of the success she has brought the Esplanade to the Magazine Beach and Charles River area, our city will be well served.