

Progressive Democrats Endorse Seth Magaziner

The Rhode Island Progressive Democrats are very pleased to announce our endorsement of Seth Magaziner for the office of Treasurer of Rhode Island. We are delighted that new leaders like Seth are willing to challenge the status quo in this state of business for big business' sake.

We trust that Seth will bring a progressive focus to the office of Treasurer. He has a strong commitment to the issues of workers' rights, job security, livable wages, affordable banking services, and a relief from predatory lending practices. He wants to reopen negotiations on the pension mess and has a plan to bring Rhode Island investment dollars home for microloans to support small businesses and start-up companies. And he supports a more progressive tax system and other measures to address the growing issue of income inequality.

We thank Mr. Frank Caprio for his many thoughtful answers while submitting to our endorsement process and for his years of service to the state. However, we believe that Rhode Island needs new faces and a fresh vision.