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East Bridgewater Christmas on the Common draws local and national candidates

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EAST BRIDGEWATER -

East Bridgewater's annual Christmas on the Common drew an uncommon guest list. Massachusetts State Sen. Scott Brown, who is running for the United States Senate seat left vacant by the passing of the late Sen. Ted Kennedy, took time out of his schedule before the Tuesday primary vote to make an appearance at the parade.

"It was wonderful to have Scott come and see the people of East Bridgewater, a town that actually carried the McCain ticket in last year's Presidential election. I know it's a town that supports his campaign to represent them in the U.S. Senate," said Geoff Diehl, candidate for State Representative for the 7th Plymouth District.

Light rain didn't hamper the enthusiasm shown by the carolers from Boss Academy of Performing Arts, the studio run by Diehl's wife KathyJo. They sang from a float decorated to look like the Massachusetts State House, complete with a replica of the gate at the Bullfinch entrance.

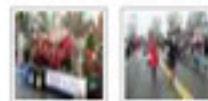
"The organizers from the Kiwanis Club of East Bridgewater did another fantastic job this year and I can't wait for the festivities next year," concluded Diehl.



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Massachusetts Sen. Scott Brown and State Rep. candidate Geoff Diehl attended the East Bridgewater parade Saturday, Dec. 5

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