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To the Editor:

I saw the recent letter you printed supporting Marty Lamb and I'd like to tell you why I support Carolyn Dykema for State Representative.

Where I lived prior to moving to Southborough, I didn't take any personal interest in the State Rep elections. I might not have ever felt I had a stake in this one either if Carolyn Dykema wasn't so visible in our town. But I constantly see her at local and town events.

Carolyn attends 95 percent of the Eagle Scout Courts of Honor in Southborough. She is frequently seen marching in the holiday parades and I have run into her at the Senior Center and the library. When our son won a state-wide writing award for high schoolers, it was she who attended the ceremony at the State House and presented him with his certificate.

Carolyn Dykema truly cares about her constituents. She gives up a tremendous amount of her personal family time at night, on weekends and holidays to involve herself in the lives - good times and bad times - of her constituents.

When someone makes themselves that available to their constituents it says something about their character.

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