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CCM to co-host gubernatorial debate with AARP Connecticut and CT Mirror

The Connecticut Conference of Municipalities (CCM), along with AARP Connecticut and The Connecticut Mirror, will host a 2014 Connecticut Gubernatorial Candidate Debate tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, Sept. 23, at Hamden Middle School.

The debate will begin at 7 p.m. and be moderated by Mirror Capitol Bureau Chief Mark Pazniokas. The event will be streamed live on ctmirror.org.

CCM is Connecticut's statewide association of towns and cities. It is a nonpartisan, inclusionary organization that celebrates the commonalities between, and champions the interests of, urban, suburban and rural communities. CCM represents 155 of our 169 municipalities, where 93 percent of the state's population lives.

AARP Connecticut is a nonpartisan social mission organization with an age 50+ membership of nearly 37 million nationwide, and 600,000 in Connecticut. For over 28 years, non-partisan voter engagement has been part of AARP's mission to help Americans live their best lives. AARP members make up more than 40 percent of the voters in any given election in the state.

The Connecticut Mirror is the premier public policy news organization in the state. Since its launch in 2009, the nonprofit, nonpartisan Mirror has published more than 8,000 stories and provides content to other news organizations whose audience covers more than 70 percent of Connecticut. Its staff has also won 16 state, regional and national awards in the last two years and is the largest capitol bureau in the state.