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RHODE ISLAND DEMOCRATS TO VISIT WITH NEW DNC CHAIR TOM PEREZ *Former Labor Secretary to Greet Students & Supporters at Rhode Island College*

WARWICK, R.I. – Joseph M. McNamara, Chair of the Rhode Island Democratic Party, announced today that Tom Perez, the newly elected chairman of the Democratic National Committee, will travel to Rhode Island on Thursday, April 6. The event is co-hosted by the Rhode Island Democratic Party, the Young Democrats of Rhode Island and the College Democrats.

Perez served as President Barack Obama’s Labor Secretary from 2013 to 2017, and was elected Chair of the Democratic National Committee in late February of this year, calling it [the Party](#) that turns “hardship into hope, doubts into dreams...the party of inclusion and opportunity.”

The Chairman’s schedule of Rhode Island events is as follows:

2:00pm Closed Press: Informational Meeting with Legislators and Labor Leaders
Location: Rhode Island AFL-CIO at 194 Smith St., Providence.

3:00pm Open Press: Tour of Community College of R.I. Lincoln Campus
Location: CCRI Flanagan Campus, 1762 Old Louisquisset Pike, Lincoln, RI
NOTE: Tour open to press for b-roll, likely media gaggle after event

4:00pm Open Press: Conversation with DNC Chair Tom Perez
Location: Rhode Island College, Student Union Ballroom, 600 Mt. Pleasant Ave., Providence, RI

Perez’s visit to Rhode Island does not include any fundraising events. The DNC is renting the space at Rhode Island College for the 4pm event. No state resources will be used.

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