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**Subject:** Press Event: Governor's Award for Excellence in Science  
**Location:** 1st Floor Lobby, Statehouse  
**When:** 3/25/2015 11:30:00 AM - 11:50:00 AM

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**BRIEFING:** Hal and Rob

**EVENT:** Press Event: Governor's Award for Excellence in Science

**DATE:** Wednesday, February 25, 2015

**TIME:** 11:30 AM

**LOCATION:** 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Lobby, Statehouse

**LOCATION SET-UP:**

Podium  
State Seal  
Microphone  
Blue backdrop  
Flags

**PRIMARY STAFF:** Ashton Lee

**ADVANCE STAFF:** Zach Pippin

**PURPOSE:** To present the Governor's Award for Excellence in Science to five recipients.

**PRESS:** Yes

**PUBLIC:** Yes

**INTRODUCED BY:** N/A

**LENGTH OF SPEAKING:** 5 mins.

**SPEAKING ORDER/LINE-BY-LINE:**

11:00 AM Award winners arrive and are held in the conference room  
11:30 AM NH Opening Remarks  
11:33 AM Dr. Bill Pirkle, Chair of the Selection Committee  
Award Presentation (Dr. Pirkle will announce each recipient, give a brief bio, and descriptive the award)  
Photo Opp with NH and Dr. Pirkle  
11:45 AM NH Closing Remarks  
11:47 AM NH Q&A

**BACKGROUND:**

**SUGGESTED TALKING POINTS:**