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I am writing for you vote to the NHFOA Council. I have been attending council meetings this year since July, to get a feel for how they are run and how each council member interacts and what they contribute. Through these meetings, I feel I could be an asset to the Council and bring the boards best interests with me.

Last year I worked with Kevin Bolduc to get the NHFOA store website up and running. This year I was on the mechanics committee, helped develop one of the quizzes for the local meetings and worked with Kevin again on getting the sublimated shirts done.

This is my 5th year on the board, and because of this, I had the benefit of having had both Glenn Colburn as the apprentice chair my first year and Shaun Bean my second year. This allowed me to see different methods and techniques as a new official. Speaking of new officials, I feel we should definitely have a southern NH apprentice class that mirrors the more northern apprentice class. This would give us more coverage for newer officials, and would give apprentices a little more flexibility in making meetings.

I definitely have thoughts of how I would like to see the organization grow – especially when it comes to transparency. But more importantly I will listen to others for their input – this is an organization of many, not just a council of 11.

When voting ask members running, whether up for re-election or running for the first time, what they have done in terms of committees or proposals, and what their goals are.

Thank you for your time and hopefully your vote