

Horse with EEE euthanized A horse in Freetown was euthanized Monday for being infected with eastern equine encephalitis, a mosquito-borne virus. Massachusetts health officials are warning people to take precaution against mosquito bites. This was the states first case of EEE in a horse since 2006. There were no human cases last year, but from 2004-2006, there were 13 cases and 6 deaths. **METRO/AK**

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Murray touts 'I-Cubed' job program

Lt. Gov. Tim Murray

Mass. Lt. Gov. Tim Murray was the featured speaker at yesterday's Greater Boston Chamber Government Affairs Forum. Murray focused his remarks on new regulations that will create the "I-Cubed" investment program to grow jobs throughout Massachusetts and improve infrastructure.

1 On state government and the economy:

"Historically, what's made Massachusetts an economic leader is the intellectual capital, the tradition of innovation, the courage of entrepreneurship, and the work ethic of our people. State government should do the blocking and tackling that helps the private sector advance, while at the same time maintaining the sustainability of our economy and enhancing



Greater Boston Chamber of Commerce President Paul Guzzi, right, shares a laugh with Lt. Gov. Tim Murray yesterday.

the vitality of our communities."

2 On the state's manufacturing industry:

"Over the last two years,

I've visited dozens of manufacturers from Pittsfield to Boston, to make sure this administration is aware of their challenges, and to make sure we're doing what we can to sup-



Quote of the day

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port the manufacturing sector of our economy ... We have enormous opportunities in manufacturing, and huge needs for more skilled workers."

3 On the launch of I-Cubed:

"Today our administration will launch a new economic development program that we expect will create significant numbers of new jobs in Massachusetts, and leverage hundreds of millions

in private-sector investment. The initiative is called the Infrastructure Investment Incentive Program, or I-Cubed for short ... not as snappy as iPhone, but not bad."

4 On the purpose of I-Cubed:

"I-Cubed ... is specifically aimed at large-scale projects that can have a transformative effect on a community, especially in areas in need of revitalization ... So what are we

looking for? New jobs. If a company is just moving across town or transferring jobs already in Massachusetts ... they don't count."

● **Coming up at the Chamber** Deborah Dunsire, M.D., president and CEO of Millennium Pharmaceuticals will address the Chamber's Life Science Forum on Thursday, Oct. 2, at the Ritz-Carlton Boston Common.

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