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Governor Whitman Addresses Nashua, N.H. Chamber of Commerce

Speaking on taxes, trade and teachers, New Jersey Gov. Christie Whitman today told the Nashua, N.H. Chamber of Commerce that cutting taxes and expanding trade opportunities - as well as investing in education -- are the most important things a state can do to keep a strong economy.

"If we don't chicken out on any of these areas, we're sure to see a 21st century in which this great country - and our great states - continue to grow and prosper and lead the world in hope and opportunity for all," Gov. Whitman told the group of business leaders.

Gov. Whitman made the remarks during a trip to the New England states, where she also today gave a speech to the John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard University. The Governor is also attending fund-raisers for GOP candidates in Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

A text of the Governor's speech to the Chamber of Commerce is attached.