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Gobi and Zlotnik Announce Education Training Grant for Winchendon

BOSTON – Senator Anne M. Gobi (D-Spencer) and Representative Jonathan D. Zlotnik (D-Gardner) have announced a \$7,500 grant being awarded to Winchendon Public Schools. The grant was awarded through the Massachusetts Tiered System of Supports (MTSS) Partnership Continuation Grants.

The grant funding will be used to create a model site that demonstrates the systematic implementation of evidence-based practices within a tiered system of support. The professional development training will enable Massachusetts educators to better serve students, including students with disabilities, and their families.

“These grant funds will provide professional development for our teachers, providing them with new tools in the classroom,” said Senator Gobi

"Professional development is key to helping teachers address new challenges they face in the classroom and grants like this make it possible for our local districts to do even more of it," said Rep. Zlotnik.

These competitive grants are in the fifth year of a five year federal funding award designed to increase district/school access to high quality, evidence-based professional development, including face-to-face and online training and technical assistance, products, services, and activities.

For more information contact Senator Gobi's office at 617-722-1540.

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