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Senator Anne Gobi Brings Senate President to Monson

(Monson, MA) - As part of a statewide Senate tour, Senator Anne Gobi (D-Spencer) is pleased to welcome Senate President Stan Rosenberg, Senate Minority Leader Bruce Tarr, Senate Majority Leader Harriette Chandler, Senators Michael Moore, Jennifer Flanagan, Ryan Fattman and staff to Monson on Wednesday, February 11th. The visit will begin at 9:30 am at the newly opened town office building in Monson with an opportunity for local officials and town residents to meet with the group and share comments and ideas. The group will depart at approximately 10:30 am for visits to the Upper Blackstone, Millbury, Northbridge and culminating in a town hall style meeting at the Sherman Center, UMass Memorial Medical School in Worcester to be held from 6:30-8:30 pm.

"I appreciate the assistance of Monson Town Administrator Evan Brassard, in offering a site to meet. It will be a wonderful opportunity to demonstrate to the Senate President and my other colleagues the resilience of Monson and how this entire region is critically important to the Commonwealth," said Senator Anne Gobi.

"This is the second stop in our statewide Commonwealth Conversations Tour where we hope to hear directly from the people of the Commonwealth about how we can help improve their lives through our work in the Senate," said President Stan Rosenberg. "We hope these conversations will help us craft our agenda and engage the public in the good work that we hope to accomplish this legislative session."

The Commonwealth Conversations Tour is a statewide tour of Senate districts led by the local senators to reach out to local residents, businesses, and interests groups to listen directly to their needs and concerns with the hope that it will foster more civic engagement while helping each senator learn more about issues outside of their own districts.

The tour dates run from February 4th through March 11th. All members of the public are encouraged to participate. To read more about this effort you can follow on Twitter at @Ma_Senate. For live updates from the forum, follow Senator Anne Gobi on Twitter ([@AnneGobi](https://twitter.com/AnneGobi)) and Facebook ([Anne Gobi State Senate](https://www.facebook.com/AnneGobiStateSenate)). You can also contact Sen. Gobi at 617-722-1540 or anne.gobi@masenate.gov. Her Chief of Staff Brian Ferrarese can be reached by e-mail at brian.ferrarese@masenate.gov.

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