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Legislature Passes Local Infrastructure Funding Bill
The Bill will Provide over \$8.6 Million for Senator Gobi's District

BOSTON, MA –**Senator Anne M. Gobi (D-Spencer)** and the state legislature has passed the “Chapter 90” bond bill aimed at funding local road and bridge repairs for FY21, continuing the legislature’s strong commitment to supporting our cities and towns.

The legislation passed authorizes \$200 million in Fiscal Year 2021 for municipal infrastructure improvements across the Commonwealth. This investment provides cities and towns with the ability to plan their construction needs in advance, giving communities access to predictable and consistent funding.

“I am glad to see a multiyear plan in place,” said Senator Gobi, “This will allow our towns to better plan for their road projects and remove some uncertainty moving forward.”
“Chapter 90” funds are allocated using a longstanding formula based on community road miles, population and employment.

The expected apportionment to Senator Gobi’s communities includes the following:

- Ashburnham in the amount of \$340,885
- Ashby in the amount of \$225,418
- Athol in the amount of \$508,650
- Barre in the amount of \$431,604
- Brimfield in the amount of \$280,152
- Brookfield in the amount of \$167,899
- Charlton in the amount of \$624,115
- East Brookfield in the amount of \$94,583
- Hardwick in the amount of \$358,226
- Holland in the amount of \$158,507

- Hubbardston in the amount of \$354,416
- Monson in the amount of \$464,905
- New Braintree in the amount of \$204,485
- North Brookfield in the amount of \$310,054
- Oakham in the amount of \$180,832
- Palmer in the amount of \$472,998
- Paxton in the amount of \$192,438
- Petersham in the amount of \$250,313
- Phillipston in the amount of \$188,654
- Rutland in the amount of \$376,561
- Spencer in the amount of \$498,066
- Sturbridge in the amount of \$430,518
- Wales in the amount of \$105,226
- Ware in the amount of \$424,054
- Warren in the amount of \$287,836
- West Brookfield in the amount of \$232,470
- Winchendon in the amount of \$456,901

For more information on the bill, please contact Senator Gobi's office by phone at (617) 722-1540, or by email at Anne.Gobi@MASenate.gov.

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