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## Representative Smola Announces DSAC Grant for Palmer Schools

BOSTON – Representative Todd M. Smola (R-Warren, Ranking Member, Committee on Ways & Means), is pleased to announce that the Palmer School District has been awarded \$14,912 through the District and Schools Assistance Center (DSAC) grant program. This program enables teachers to participate in regionally-based professional development and assistance initiatives. DSAC regional assistance is designed to enhance district and regional capacity to plan, implement and sustain research-based practices to improve student performance.

"This grant benefits both teachers and students throughout Massachusetts," said Representative Smola. "The Palmer School District does an outstanding job preparing our children for the future and these programs help our teachers do that."

The DSAC grant is funded with a combination of state and federal money and is administered through the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education.

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