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Holland Awarded IT Grant Funding

BOSTON – Senator Anne M. Gobi (D-Spencer) and Representative Todd M. Smola (R-Warren) have announced that the Town of Holland has been awarded \$4,950 through the Community Compact IT grant program. The funding will allow them to upgrade the town's thirteen year old website to improve communications between town departments, committees, officials, and residents.

"I want to congratulate the Town of Holland on being awarded these funds," said Senator Gobi. "I am excited to visit the new website when it is completed."

"This grant will be a great benefit to the residents of Holland," said Representative Smola. "This funding provides for essential updates which will make information more readily available and communication easier."

The Community Compact IT Grant Program is a competitive grant program focused on driving innovation and transformation at the local level via investments in technology. This grant opportunity is specifically for cities and towns who applied for a Community Compact on or before January 29, 2016. Holland signed its Community Compact on April 26, 2016.

Grants funding supports the implementation of innovative IT projects by funding related one-time capital needs such as technology infrastructure, upgrades and/or purchases of equipment or software. Incidental or one-time costs related to the capital purchase such as one-time planning, design, installation, implementation and initial training are eligible.