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**SENATOR MOORE & REPRESENTATIVE POLITO ANNOUNCE
\$3,500,000 IN ROAD & MASS TRANSIT GRANTS FOR SHREWSBURY**

State Senator Michael O. Moore (D-Millbury) and Representative Karyn E. Polito (R-Shrewsbury), are pleased to announce the Town of Millbury has been awarded two grants totaling \$3,600,000 from the first wave of funding from the federal economic recovery stimulus program.

The Transportation grants have been awarded to help finance a Road and Mass Transit project in Shrewsbury and Worcester. A \$3.5 million grant was awarded to resurface roads starting at 140 Massasoit Road for a 3.5 stretch down Route 20. Overall, 39 projects throughout the Commonwealth will receive Transportation grants totaling over \$336 million to help clean, repair and develop roadways.

"I am pleased to see the serious investment to improve and maintain the quality of roads and bridges in the Town of Shrewsbury," said Senator Michael O. Moore (D-Millbury). "This initiative demonstrates the commitment of the Commonwealth to help manage the infrastructure of our roadways. They clearly recognize this as an issue of safety for area residents."

"This project is a strong choice for the use of stimulus funding, providing necessary maintenance to our infrastructure, and generating jobs to keep our community at work," said Representative Polito. "I applaud the Commonwealth for allocating this essential funding to the Town of Shrewsbury."