

WASHINGTON - Congressman John W. Olver (D-1st District) announced today that the c

Olver is a member of the House Appropriations Committee and worked to secure the fundi

\$100,000 for Franklin Community Action Corporation's (FCAC) youth substance abuse pre

This funding will assist FCAC with two programs - "Communities That Care," a community-

"FCAC has more than 30 years of experience assisting youth in Fra

For more information, contact Ann Darling, Director of Development

\$183,000 for Nashawannuck Pond in Easthampton

Located in the center of downtown Easthampton, the 31-acre Nasha

"The community of Easthampton has made great progress toward th

This funding is the final piece for the dredging of the pond. Over the

Adjacent to the pond is Nonotuck Park, a 200-acre park developed a

For more information, contact Easthampton Mayor Michael Tautznik

\$300,000 for Holyoke Medical Center

The funding will assist Holyoke Medical Center with its planned insta

"For more than a hundred years, Holyoke Medical Center has welco

Founded in 1893, Holyoke Medical Center is a private, not-for-profit

Approximately 78 percent of the hospital's inpatient payments and 5

For more information, contact Hank Porten, President and CEO of H

\$200,000 for Franklin Medical Center in Greenfield

This funding will go toward the hospital's plans to renovate and expa

"Franklin Medical Center is the county's sole community hospital, an

Franklin Medical Center's plans to upgrade its facility will address lon

Franklin Medical Center provides acute inpatient care and extensive

For more information, contact [Michael Skinner, President](mailto:Michael.Skinner@president) .

of Franklin

\$485,000 for the Food Bank of Western Massachusetts

The funding will help the Food Bank of Western Massachusetts

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"In today's tight budgetary times many in western

Massachusetts are

Olver added, "This project is so important

because while there is su

The Food Bank plans to construct a 17,000-square-foot

expansion o

For more information, contact David Sharken, Executive

Director of

\$500,000 to establish the Center for the Environment at UMass

The funding will assist with the development of the

Center for the En

"The growing need for new environmental research and

education o

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