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REP. ERNEST HEWETT SUPPORTS NEW LONDON MAGNET SCHOOL PROJECT

State Representative Ernest Hewett (D-New London) today lauded a measure he championed that was approved in the 2016 Legislative Session that will allow a vital local education project to move forward.

New London's school district is poised to become a sizable and top-notch magnet-school district. The project has been developing and evolving for a couple of years, and will continue to do so until all the details of the project are approved.

Rep. Hewett stated, "I have worked hard in Hartford supporting our magnet school and have helped fix technicalities to allow us to keep working on getting this project off the ground. A project of this magnitude is important to the entire region, and I am committed to doing everything I can to make it happen."

[H.B. 5556](#) addresses some of the issues faced by the New London school district. "I was able to work with the co-chairs of the Education Committee, to give New London time to meet our magnet school goals and to continue receiving reimbursements until we make the set requirements," **Rep. Hewett** said.

"I am thankful to my colleagues in the General Assembly for once again supporting an issue that is unique and extremely critical to us," **Rep. Hewett** said.

Rep. Hewett is serving his sixth legislative term in the General Assembly.

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