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REP. RYAN ANNOUNCES GRANT FOR REPLACEMENT OF POLICE RADIO SYSTEM

State Representative Kevin Ryan (D-Norwich) is pleased to join the announcement of the State Bond Commission's approval of funds for the replacement of its police radio system.

"These funds will help advance the city's public safety communications system," said **Rep. Ryan**. "The district will benefit with this assistance to upgrade the antiquated police radio system, ensuring both our citizens and officers are safe."

A \$500,000 grant-in-aid has been approved to replace the existing police radio system with modern digital ones.

Ryan added, "Residents and legislators have been working persistently to gather funds to upgrade the police radio system. This investment is crucial to streamlining communication between officers and police headquarters. I am grateful to see funding for this vital project approved."

A 248,780 grant has also been passed to finance alterations, renovations, and technology equipment at various Technical Education and Career Schools.

"The funding for both the projects will significantly boost Norwich's infrastructure to further facilitate a safer environment and equip our children with resources to succeed," said **Rep. Ryan**.

The grant-in-aid was approved at the State Bond Commission Meeting held on December 11 at the Legislative Office Building in Hartford.

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