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MEDIA ADVISORY

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PROJECT 351 SPRING SERVICE: WESTBOROUGH QUALITY SORT

WESTBOROUGH-- On Saturday, April 7, 2018, Project 351 Ambassadors and alumni from Westborough come together for a Quality Sort to conclude their Spring Service clothing drives. Spring Service benefits Cradles to Crayons, a nonprofit that provides low-income and homeless children with everyday essentials. Spring Service is the largest youth-led service initiative in Massachusetts.

Ambassadors have spent the last two months planning and leading clothing drives in their schools and hometowns. On Saturday, Westborough Ambassadors and Alumni will come together to sort the clothes they have collected and to ensure that the clothes meet Cradles to Crayons' quality standards. The clothes will then be transported to Cradles to Crayons' Giving Factory in Brighton.

WHAT: Project 351 Westborough Sort

WHEN: Saturday, April 7, 2018

9:00am - 3:00pm

WHERE: Westborough High School, 90 W. Main Street, Westborough, MA 01581

WHO: Project 351 eighth grade Ambassadors and high school alumni from Westborough will be

joined by members of their leadership team, including classmates, educators, and

friends.

ABOUT PROJECT 351:

Project 351 is a youth service nonprofit organization that develops a rising generation of "community-first" citizen leaders. Launched by Governor Deval Patrick in 2011 and now convened by Governor Charlie Baker, Project 351 fosters unity and strengthens the ethic of service through the engagement and enrichment of an eighth grade Ambassador from every city and town in Massachusetts. Annually, Ambassadors are selected by hometown educators for an exemplary ethic of service and the values of kindness, compassion, humility, and gratitude, and engage in a transformative year of youth-led service projects.

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