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**SECRETARY BYSIEWICZ TO VISIT
WATERBURY'S HOPEVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL
AS A CELEBRITY READER**

On Friday, January 26, 2007, Secretary of the State Susan Bysiewicz will visit Hopeville Elementary School in Waterbury as a Celebrity Reader.

"As our state competes to expand its economy, it is essential for children to maximize their reading skills to ensure future success in the workforce," said Secretary Bysiewicz. "Hopeville Elementary School's Celebrity Reader initiative provides young students that opportunity, and I am delighted to participate in today's program."

Secretary Bysiewicz will read to school students from 9:30 – 10:00 AM. Hopeville Elementary School is located at 2 Cypress Street, Waterbury.