

## Northeast Charter Schools Network, Inc.

### *Great Schools for Connecticut (GSCT) Project*

The Great Schools for Connecticut (“GSCT”) project will build on existing efforts to mitigate the state’s persistent educational inequities by catalyzing the growth of over 4,000 additional high-quality seats at 16 new, expanding, and replicating public charter schools over the next five years.

The GSCT project — which addresses the Absolute Priority, all five Competitive Preference Priorities, and the Invitational Priority — will pursue three overriding objectives:

**Objective #1:** increasing the number of high-quality public school seats for educationally disadvantaged students in Connecticut;

**Objective #2:** strengthening the caliber of the state’s charter school operation and authorization; and

**Objective #3:** heightening collaboration and resource sharing between and among schools with different governance structures.

Through the administration of a sophisticated and transparent subgrant program, rigorous programmatic and fiscal monitoring, expert technical assistance provided by deeply qualified practitioners, dissemination of best practices and exemplar resources, and an authentic commitment to partnering with parents and communities, GSCT will broaden opportunity for students most in need of outstanding public schools.

**State:**

New York

**PR Award Number:**

S282A220007

**Duration (Years):**

5 Years

**Year 1 Funding:**

\$3,440,894.00

**Total Expected Funding:**

\$26,666,665.00

**Number of Subgrants:**

16

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