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cc:	WIOA State Partners
From:	Alice Sweeney, Director MassHire Department of Career Services
Date:	February 19, 2021
Subject:	Work-Based Learning State Best Practices – WorkforceGPS Webinar
Purpose:	To notify MassHire Workforce Boards, MassHire Career Center Operators, and other local workforce partners of the WorkforceGPS webinar: <u>Work-Based</u> <u>Learning State Best Practices</u> . The webinar is scheduled for Tuesday, March 16 th from 2:00 – 3:30.
Background:	Work-based learning is a great option for trade-affected workers because it combines employment and training. This allows workers to earn wages while training and limit their period of unemployment. Developing a robust work- based learning strategy can be a challenge. This webinar is a best-practices presentation by states on what they have done to address this. WorkforceGPS is an online technical assistance website created to help build the ca-
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