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cc: WIOA State Partners

From: Alice Sweeney, Director
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Subject: **Make it Happen: Ticket to Financial Freedom Webinar**

Purpose: To notify Local Workforce Boards, One-Stop Career Center Operators and other local workforce partners of a webinar presented by the National Disability Institute (NDI) through Work Incentive Seminar Events (WISE) that will focus on goal setting, work incentives and financial independence. The *Make it Happen: Ticket to Financial Freedom* webinar will provide partners the opportunity to learn about Social Security Association (SSA) work incentives and support accessible through Employment Networks.

Background: NDI is a national nonprofit organization dedicated exclusively to designing pathways to economic stability and mobility for people with disabilities. NDI is most recognized for harnessing the power of collaboration with government, financial institutions, the business community, community nonprofits, and institutions of higher education to advance new opportunities for work, income production, savings, and asset building for people with disabilities.

[Make it Happen: Ticket to Financial Freedom](#) - **March 23, 2016** at 3:00p.m.

Presenters will share tips, tools, and resources:

- Gain basic financial knowledge such as budgeting and expense tracking;
- Understand tax benefits that may apply; and
- Learn about asset building and how it can help.

For questions or more information, please call 617-748-2318.

Use the *Make it Happen: Ticket to Financial Freedom* Webinar [Flyer](#) to share this event information with partners and clients.