**Celebrations and Challenges: One School’s Story of Trying to Become Sensitive to Trauma in the Lives of Children**

Brett Bishop is in his sixth year as Principal of the East Street Elementary School in Ludlow. He spent 14 years in Springfield as a teacher and Assistant Principal prior to coming to Ludlow. The East Street School is in their third year as a recipient of the Safe and Supportive Learning Environments state grant program. Brett will speak about the work – including both the successes and challenges – that has been done both at East Street and across the district of Ludlow to develop sensitivity to trauma in the lives of children and how this work has impacted the learning community.