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The Stern Center for Language and Learning Announces the Move of its Williston Location

Williston, VT - - The **Stern Center for Language and Learning**, a nonprofit learning center, announces receiving a lead gift of one million dollars from the Hoehl Family Foundation for a new home. The Press is invited to attend an announcement and virtual ribbon-cutting on **October 7, 2011 at 11:30 a.m. at the Catamount Country Club located at 1400 Mountain View Drive, Williston, Vermont.**

The new Stern Center location will be named the Cynthia K. Hoehl Building in honor of Mrs. Hoehl, a life-long teacher, tutor, and current Stern Center board member. Mrs. Hoehl has worked in public schools, migrant communities, and even prisons, so she's seen first-hand how important literacy skills are across the lifespan. Cynthia Hoehl noted, "As a Stern Center board member, I've watched the extraordinary impact that Blanche and her team have had on individuals who learn differently. Our family decided to invest in the future of the Stern Center." In addition, the Hoehl Family Foundation established the Cynthia K. Hoehl Institute for Excellence at the Stern Center in 2008.

The Stern Center will reduce organizational costs and more efficiently use space by combining its Williston services under one roof. Currently, the Stern Center occupies 135 Allen Brook Lane and leases additional space at 147 Allen Brook Lane to accommodate staff and students. The Stern Center will relocate to The Seven Gables building at 183 Talcott Road in Williston.

The Stern Center will move to its new location in late 2011 between instruction semesters to minimize interruption of services. The new location will continue to offer all of the Stern Center's research-based and professionally delivered services. The Stern Center's White River Junction office will not be affected by this move.

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With locations in Williston and White River Junction, The non-profit Stern Center for Language and Learning is dedicated to learning for all as we recognize that all great minds don't think alike. The Stern Center is committed to helping individuals identify their learning strengths and needs as well as to finding solutions that allow everyone to learn. Through evaluations, instruction, social thinking® and communications services, professional learning, and research, children and adults learn about themselves and are better equipped to reach their full potential. Scholarships are available. More information may be found at www.sterncenter.org.