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Rep. Sanfelippo appointed to Wisconsin Center District Board

Madison - Representative Joe Sanfelippo (R-New Berlin) has been appointed to the Wisconsin Center District Board to serve on behalf of Representative John Nygren (R-Marinette), who is Co-Chair of the Joint Committee on Finance. The Wisconsin Center District Board (“WCDB”) operates the Wisconsin Center, UW-Milwaukee Panther Arena and Milwaukee Theatre. Additionally, the WCDB collects special taxes on hotel rooms, car rentals, prepared food and drinks in restaurants and taverns to fund debt service plus [Visit Milwaukee](#).

“I am honored to be appointed to the WCDB,” Representative Sanfelippo said. “It is crucial that appointed boards such as this one do their duty to ensure their funds, some of which are raised through taxes and fees on Wisconsinites, are spent wisely.”

“The recent discussions about a new arena for the Milwaukee Bucks and other events have raised public awareness and discourse about our current sports and arts infrastructure in Milwaukee. I look forward to the opportunity of adding my thoughts and private sector experience to this distinguished board.”

The WCDB consists of fifteen unpaid members appointed by the Governor, Milwaukee County Executive, Mayor of Milwaukee and Milwaukee Common Council President. Representative Sanfelippo’s appointment will last through the 2015-2016 legislative session.

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