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CELEBRATING THE FOURTH OF JULY

During this season of fireworks, parades, and family fun, I want to encourage everyone to take some time to not only relax and enjoy the long weekend with family and friends, but also to recognize the true significance of our Fourth of July commemoration. Together we celebrate the independence of our nation from Britain in 1776, when Congress approved the Declaration of Independence and inaugurated political freedom for our 13 colonies. For over two hundred years, the Fourth of July has been a day brimming with pride for America's heritage and gratitude for those who shaped that heritage. Flags, streamers, and patriotic colors remind us of our great nation, while parades, family barbecues, and the sights and sounds of fireworks remind us of the importance of our families and communities with whom we share this special day.

Before we fire up the grill and get the festivities under way, we should all take a moment to give thanks and bear in mind the American men and women who are serving in our military. They have made tremendous sacrifices to keep this country "the land of the free and the home of the brave," as have countless Americans who served in earlier generations. We salute our brave service members and remember the heroism of those who have come before us.

As a newly elected State Representative, I am incredibly proud to represent so many unique and special communities in Northern Wisconsin. From Bayfield to Park Falls, Washburn to Hurley, Phillips to Mercer, the 74th District is truly a wonderful place to call home. The friendly, hardworking, family-oriented people of the district exemplify the values that make America great. I can imagine no higher honor than being chosen to serve the people of the 74th in the State Assembly, and on this joyous national holiday, I want to extend my gratitude for your trust in me and wish you a very happy Fourth of July!

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns about any issues relating to state government. I can be reached at 888-534-0074 or Rep.Meyers@legis.wisconsin.gov.

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