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Dear Friends and Neighbors,

It was a disappointing night for Badger fans last night, but I am so proud of our team for making it as far as they did. Congratulations to Bo Ryan and the team for an incredible season.

In this week's newsletter, you will find an update on legislation that impedes the ability of local municipalities like Madison to regulate so-called transportation network companies, Election Day information, and an invitation to join me tomorrow night at a listening session on the state budget.

If you have any questions or need assistance with any matter, please feel free to contact my office.

Sincerely,

Lisa Subeck
State Representative
78th Assembly District

VOTE today

Today is the spring election, and polls will be open until 8 p.m.

[Click here to see what is on your ballot, find where to vote, or get more election information.](#)

Note: Photo ID is not required to vote in the April 7 election.

Budget Listening Session, April 8

Tomorrow, I will be hosting a listening session in the 78th Assembly District to hear your thoughts and concerns about the state budget. Please stop by to let me know what you think and what you would like to see in or out of the budget.

Where: Alicia Ashman Library, 733 N High Point Road, Madison
Date: April 8
Time: 6:00 – 8:00 p.m.

Transportation Network Companies (TNC) Legislation on the Fast Track

Last week I shared with you information about introduced proposed bill that would take authority away from local governments to regulate TNCs. This legislation is championed by a company called Uber, which provides taxi service under the guise of ride sharing using a network of individual drivers who are dispatched utilizing a smart phone application. Uber is the Walmart of the taxicab industry and is spending big money on lobbyists in an attempt to undercut locally owned and operated taxi companies by writing their own rules.

Unfortunately this bill is on the fast track. On Thursday, it received public hearings in both the State Senate and State Assembly. I testified at both hearings, to express my opposition to the bill and raise concerns about how it impacts Madison.

[Click here to read my full testimony.](#)

Follow the links below for a couple of news stories about the hearings:

[Wisconsin Rideshare Legislation Gets Public Hearings, Wisconsin Radio Network](#)

[Uber officials: Bill to regulate services would allow growth, Associated Press](#)

Summer Interns

Things happening in the district & around Madison

Budget Listening Session
April 8, 2015
6:00PM – 8:00PM
Alicia Ashman Library, 733 N High Point Road, Madison

Warner Family Fun Nights
Friday, April 10, 2015
5:30PM-8:30PM
Warner Park Community Recreation Center
1625 Northport Drive
Madison, 53704

Kids can play on the bouncy house, take one of the family fitness classes, or make art projects. Tickets are \$5 per family at the door.

Prairie Hills Community Garden Registration Day
Saturday, April 11, 2015
12PM-3PM
Meadowood Community Center
5734 Raymond Road

If you are a returning gardener or want to see if there are any open plots for the 2015 growing season, come to the community garden registration day! Registration will be for the Prairie Hills, Meadowood, and Hammersley community gardens. You can learn

My office is now accepting applications for summer interns. If you or someone you know is looking for a summer internship, we still have openings. [You can apply on the website by clicking here](#) or submit a cover letter and resume via e-mail to rep.subeck@legis.wi.gov. It is a great way to gain some experience and learn about the legislative process.

more about our neighborhood community gardens. For more information you can contact prairiehillsgarden@gmail.com

Tornado and Severe Weather Awareness Week

The week of April 13-17, is Tornado and Severe Weather Awareness Week in Wisconsin. Wisconsin averages 23 tornadoes annually. Last year, 38 tornadoes in Wisconsin were confirmed by the National Weather Service (NWS). Eight of the tornadoes were rated as strong and the remaining 30 were rated as weak.

At 1:00 p.m. Thursday April 16, the National Weather Service will issue a statewide mock tornado watch and at 1:45 p.m. a statewide mock tornado warning. Many radio and TV stations will participate in the drill. In addition, NOAA weather radios (also known as emergency weather radios) will issue alert messaging. This is an ideal opportunity for schools, businesses and families to practice safe procedures for severe weather.

If actual severe weather occurs anywhere in the state on April 16th, the tornado drill will be postponed to Friday, April 17 with the tornado watch and warnings issued at the same scheduled times. If severe weather occurs on Friday, the drill will be cancelled. The Wisconsin Department of Public Instruction, Wisconsin Emergency Management and the National Weather Service encourage your participation in promoting Tornado and Severe Weather Awareness Week. For more information on tornadoes and severe weather, contact your county emergency management director or your local NWS office.

Madison Yard Waste Sites Open

Madison property owners can now dispose of your yard waste at 3 sites in the City of Madison. The three sites are: 4601 Sycamore Ave., 1501 W. Badger Road and 402 South Point Road. The Sycamore and Badger sites will also take brush, large items, garbage and recycled electronics. Waste Sites are open every day from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and to 8 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday. City of Madison's Streets Division have started collecting brush and yard waste from the curb. For more information from the City of Madison, click here.

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Meadowood Neighborhood Community Garden Registration Day
Saturday, April 11, 2015 1 pm - 4 pm
(2 pm for Hammersley Gardens)
 Meadowood Neighborhood Center
 5734 Raymond Rd

Greentree Neighborhood Annual Meeting
Tuesday, April 14th 6:30-8 p.m.
 Meadowood Neighborhood Center
 5734 Raymond Rd

West Side Farmers Market
 Saturdays, April 18th to November 14th
 7AM - 1PM
 Hill Farms DOT Building Parking Lot
 University Ave. & Segoe Rd.

Health Insurance Enrollment and Exemption Application Assistance.
Mondays, March 15th to April 30th Noon - 5 pm
 Richard Dilley Tax Center (Atrium)
 Villager Mall
 S. Park St., Madison

Thursdays, March 15 - August 31st 10 am - 3 pm
 Dane County Job Center
 1819 Aberg Ave., Madison

Consumers can walk-in for assistance or make appointments by call Covering Kids & Families at 608-261-1455.