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Rep. Macco Statement on Brewers Funding Proposal

MADISON, Wisc. – Representative John Macco (R-Ledgeview) issued the following statement concerning the Brewers Funding Proposal, which will extend the Brewers lease in Milwaukee until 2050.

“Coming from Green Bay, I understand the tremendous value that comes from hosting a major sports franchise. This funding program is a financially sound way to ensure the Brewers continue to be a major contributor to Wisconsin’s economy while not burdening the rest of the state with additional taxation,” said Rep. Macco.

“This program will fund the upkeep of American Family Field directly from income taxes generated by the stadium. Rest assured, unless you work at the stadium or play on the baseball diamond, your tax dollars are not going towards these improvements.”

“As a businessman, I know that you sometimes have to spend a little now to prosper later. Wisconsin is set to gain \$232.1 million in net income tax revenue by simply investing only a portion of the existing player income tax. As an economic driver for the state, whether it be from the Brewer game or the various concerts they host, it is clear that Wisconsin stands to lose more by letting the Brewers leave, than it will cost to keep them here.”

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