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Rep. Rodriguez Supports Bill to Provide Signage for Basilica

MADISON, Wis – State Representative Jessie Rodriguez (R-Franklin) voted to support bipartisan legislation that provides directional signage for the Basilica of St. Josaphat in Milwaukee County. Rep. Rodriguez cosponsored the bill introduced by Rep. Zamarippa (D-Milwaukee).

“The Basilica is a historical landmark that is important in the Milwaukee area,” said Rodriguez. “Passage of this bipartisan bill is a great example of both sides of the aisle working together for the benefit of visitors to the Basilica.”

The Basilica is one of the largest buildings of faith in the Milwaukee area that brings visitors and tourists throughout the year. Currently, directional signage to the Basilica is lacking. Assembly Bill 83 will require the Department of Transportation to erect and maintain four directional signs on I94; two located east bound and two west bound. One of the two signs will be located near the exit ramps in both directions. The DOT will be required to approve the signs before they are posted.

The DOT anticipates the signage to cost approximately \$20,000. The cost of all four signs will be privately funded through donations to the Basilica.

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