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Representative Schutt Responds to State of the State

Madison, WI – Representative Ellen Schutt (R-Clinton) issued the following statement in reaction to Governor Evers’ annual State of the State address.

“I am very disappointed by the Governor’s State of the State address. Once again, the Governor took credit for the accomplishments of the Republican legislature. The Governor referenced the great financial position Wisconsin is in, the \$4 billion budget surplus, and all of the ways he would love to spend it.

“Wisconsin is in its best financial position in history because of legislative Republicans fiscal management. We should not use the surplus as an excuse to spend more and grow the size of government. That money belongs to the taxpayers.

“I believe that the government has the responsibility to return that money back to the taxpayers. While the federal government continues to spend and cause inflation to sky-rocket, we have the ability to provide relief and cut taxes. That is why I, along with my Republican colleagues, have introduced legislation that would reduce the tax burden on the middle class, retirees, and families.

“Wisconsinites are tired of the divisive rhetoric like that which came from the Governor, and need real solutions to their problems. It is past time for the Governor to realize that.”

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The 31st Assembly District includes the City of Elkhorn, portions of the Cities of Beloit, and Whitewater, the Villages of Clinton and Darien, the Towns of Bradford, Clinton, Johnstown, La Prairie, Turtle, Darien, Lafayette, La Grange, Richmond, Spring Prairie, Sugar Creek, and Whitewater, and portions of the Town of Beloit.