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Rep. Penterman Receives 2023 Legislative Champion Award for School Bus Safety Legislation

Madison, WI – Yesterday, State Representative William Penterman (R – Columbus) received the 2023 Legislative Champion Award from the Wisconsin School Bus Safety Association at their Annual Legislative Day. Rep. Penterman was acknowledged for his outstanding contributions to the safety and well-being of Wisconsin's students.

Rep. Penterman's unwavering dedication to the cause of school bus safety has been particularly evident this past year with his pivotal role in advancing the [2023 Wisconsin Bill 313](#), a bill relating to increased penalties for failing to stop for a school bus. This crucial piece of legislation demonstrates Rep. Penterman's commitment to ensuring the safety of our children during their daily commute to and from school.

Rep. Penterman's collaboration with stakeholders, his nuanced understanding of the challenges faced by the school bus community, and his commitment to legislative action have earned him the distinction of being named the 2023 Legislative Champion by the Wisconsin School Bus Association.

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