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## **Rep. Born Supports Voter ID Constitutional Amendment**

**Madison, WI**—Today, Representative Mark Born (R-Beaver Dam) voted in favor of SJR 2 requiring photo identification to vote in any election:

“Voter ID is a cornerstone of our election process. Supporting this resolution to send it to referenda for the voters of Wisconsin to decide is vitally important,” said Rep. Born.

All proposed constitutional amendments need to be ratified by a vote of the full legislature in two consecutive legislative sessions. Both houses approved identical Joint Resolution language last session and both legislative bodies have approved them again this session. Now that the resolution has been approved by the Legislature it will then go to statewide referenda.

“Voter ID is supported by 74% of registered voters in Wisconsin. I am proud to cast my vote to preserve the integrity of our election system,” said Rep. Born.

The question that will appear on ballots for the upcoming Spring election will be:

*“Question 1: Photographic identification for voting. Shall section 1m of article III of the constitution be created to require that voters present valid photographic identification verifying their identity in order to vote in any election, subject to exceptions which may be established by law?”*

SJR 2 does not make any changes to the current statutory Voter ID law, it simply codifies it in our State Constitution, providing more protection for these important election security provisions.

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