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## **Legislature Announces Tax Relief for Middle Class and Seniors**

**MADISON, WI** – Today, the Legislature announced a tax relief package to help middle class families and seniors in Wisconsin. The legislation will soon be passed in the Assembly and Senate and sent to the Governor. This will be another opportunity for Governor Evers to fulfill his commitment to middle class tax relief this session.

“I am still committed to returning the state surplus back to taxpayers, and the legislation we announced today provides over \$2 billion in tax relief,” said Rep. Plumer. “We’ve given the Governor numerous opportunities to stand with us and reduce the tax burden on Wisconsinites. I sincerely hope he finally joins us to help the middle class, seniors, and young families with children in daycare.”

The various bills in the tax relief package announced today contain the following provisions:

- Expand the second income tax bracket to include joint-filers making between \$38,190 and \$150,000. This would result in a \$454 average cut for each filer.
- Exclude up to \$150,000 in retirement income from taxation for joint filers. Provision would apply to those over age of 65. Exclusion would be \$75,000 for single filer. This would provide an average tax cut of \$1,582.
- Expand the married couple tax credit, which would provide an average tax cut of \$338.
- Expand the childcare tax credit, which would provide an average tax cut of \$656 to families with children in childcare.

“I look forward to getting this important relief through the Legislature and onto the Governor’s desk,” added Plumer. “It is time for him to step up and deliver the middle class tax relief he promised.”

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