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## **Rep. Plumer Protects Voter ID and Strengthens State Election Law**

**MADISON, WI** – Today in the Assembly, Rep. Plumer voted to protect Wisconsin’s Voter ID requirement, passed another tax cut for the middle class, and increased the childcare tax credit to help families:

“The election-related bills we passed in the Assembly today make it harder for bad actors to ignore state law and ensure an equal playing field,” said Rep. Plumer. “We’ve already seen efforts by Governor Evers and Democrats to eliminate voter ID. The constitutional amendment passed today gives the people of Wisconsin the opportunity to tell them NO.”

The Assembly passed a number of other election bills:

- AJR 76 – A state constitutional amendment ensuring only U.S. citizens can vote in Wisconsin elections. It will now go to voters for approval or rejection.
- AJR 77 – A state constitutional amendment banning private funds (Zuckerbucks) from being used to run elections. It will now go to voters for approval or rejection.
- AB 494 – Strengthens Indefinitely Confined Voter designation, so that individuals cannot abuse this option to avoid the state’s Voter ID law.
- AB 570 – Strengthens law governing Special Voting Deputies, so that individuals in residential care and nursing home facilities can vote safely with the assistance they are afforded under the law.
- AB 571 – Improves maintenance of the state voter list to help ensure it is up to date, clean, and ineligible or deceased voters are removed. It also removes the use of default birth dates and registration dates that caused concerns previously.

“These are common sense updates and reforms that strengthen existing voting and election laws in Wisconsin,” added Rep. Plumer. “A number of these bills received bipartisan support and implement fixes recommended by the non-partisan Legislative Audit Bureau review of our state’s elections.”

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