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**Rep. Fitzgerald Praises Governor Evers' Executive Budget**

MADISON – Today, Governor Tony Evers delivered his biennial budget address, emphasizing budget priorities highlighted by Wisconsinites for the upcoming 2025-27 budget. Following the address, Representative Joan Fitzgerald (D-Fort Atkinson) released the following statement:

“Through his budget proposal, Governor Evers has proven his commitment to put Wisconsinites first. I stand behind his budget initiatives to lower costs for working families, improve access to affordable healthcare, and keep property taxes low in Wisconsin. These common-sense efforts that Governor Evers proposed will ensure that our state can progress in a positive direction, and move us all forward.

“As a former teacher, Governor Evers' declaration of 2025 as the Year of the Kid puts forth a massive investment in childcare, public education, and mental health services that I wholeheartedly support. Our kids deserve clean drinking water, positive educational opportunities, and quality school meals. I am extremely thankful that Governor Evers' proposal puts our kids first.

“Since Governor Evers took office, he has consistently listened to and upheld the priorities of the people of our state. He has followed through on his promises, and with this budget proposal, I am confident his efforts will carry us through the next two years, and far beyond that. As the Representative for the 46th Assembly District, I will do everything I can to bring these policies to life.

“As we move forward, we have the chance to deliver on the promises we have made to the people of Wisconsin and improve the lives of us all. Let's get to work.”

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