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**Rep. Tranel Statement on State Budget being signed into Law**

State Representative Travis Tranel (R – Cuba City) released the following statement regarding the signing of the 2021-23 Wisconsin State Budget by Governor Evers today.

“The Legislature passed a great bipartisan state budget that included significant tax cuts that will benefit middle class families and small businesses across Wisconsin, who have struggled during the past year. It will save the average Wisconsin family about $1,200 over next 2 years. The budget invests significantly in our shared priorities like rural broadband, nursing homes, health care workers, hospitals, schools, and local roads. The Legislature did a great job crafting a budget that was reasonable, responsible, and invested in our state’s top priorities. Including federal funds, our schools will be seeing a record $3.2 billion increase, which is significantly more than the $655 million they received last budget. I’m glad Governor Evers decided to do the right thing and sign this well-crafted budget.”

Assembly Bill 68, which is now known as 2021 Act 58, passed both houses of the state legislature last week with a historic bipartisan vote. The bill received 64 votes in the State Assembly and 23 votes in the State Senate. This the most votes received on any state budget in a generation.

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