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Rep. Rob Brooks Receives Wisconsin Counties' Outstanding Legislator Award

Port Washington, WI—Today, Representative Rob Brooks (R-Saukville) was honored by the Wisconsin Counties Association with a "WCA Outstanding Legislator Award," for his work on behalf of county government during the 2019-2020 legislative session.

"As a former county board chairman, Representative Rob Brooks has a first-rate understanding of county government and challenges facing local units of government throughout the state," said WCA Executive Director Mark D. O'Connell. "Rob Brooks is an incredible partner for Wisconsin's seventy-two counties, and a true advocate for taxpayers. We are proud to present him with this award."

Representative Brooks was the chief author of several seminal pieces of legislation important to Wisconsin counties. Chiefly, the consolidation of services; the transportation swap (allowing state government to swap a portion of federal funds within local transportation programs with existing transportation dollars); closing the dark store loophole; and holding the line on property taxes.

"The relationship between the state and counties is of paramount importance and our work with Representative Rob Brooks is valued and appreciated. Together, we have been able to meaningfully impact the lives of millions of Wisconsinites," stated WCA Executive Director Mark D. O'Connell.

The "WCA Outstanding Legislator Award" is handed out biennially to a select group of legislators who have represented county interests in both the legislature and their districts. These legislators have demonstrated leadership for counties on key issues, legislatively and in the budget.

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