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Rep. Considine on February Assembly Session

Madison – Today, the Assembly was in session. Representative Dave Considine (D-Baraboo) issued the following statement on the bills passed today:

“The tax proposals that came before us today are fiscally irresponsible. I will not support proposals that will lead our state to a deficit. We need to use our state funds responsibly and help all Wisconsin residents. The legislation before us does not provide real relief to those who need it most. Instead, 59% of the tax cut goes towards Wisconsin’s wealthiest residents. If we want to make a real impact, we need to provide tax cuts to our working families.

“My colleagues across the aisle argue that tax cuts will attract more workers to our state. In reality, we are losing people to our neighboring states because we continue to debate out of touch legislation. Families are attracted to states like Minnesota and Michigan who are passing popular policies like paid family medical leave and healthy school meals for all.

“I will continue to advocate for quality healthcare, public education funding, agriculture investments, rural development, and environmental protections. These investments are what will attract workers and improve quality of life.”

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