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Rep Allen Honors Carol Ann Kay, Founder of ACAP, with the Hometown Hero Award

Today, State Representative Scott Allen (R-Waukesha) honored Carol Ann Kay, founder of the Adaptive Community Approach Program (ACAP), with the Hometown Hero Award.

"Over her many years of service, Carol has done a tremendous job advocating for those with disabilities, helping them volunteer in the community, and breaking down prejudice from the community towards those with disabilities," said Rep Allen.

ACAP was founded in 1982 to help integrate those with disabilities into the community. This occurred at a time when the state was moving towards deinstitutionalizing those with disabilities, intending to see them reintegrate into society. Carol saw a need and gathered others to help.

"Carol's passion to welcome and include those with disabilities continues on today in the work of ACAP," said Rep. Allen. "She may be retired, but her legacy of faithful service to the greater Waukesha community lives on. I'm proud to have presented her with the Hometown Hero Award."

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Rep. Scott Allen represents most of the City of Waukesha and parts of the Village of Waukesha.