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## EVERS SETS THE STAGE FOR BIG SPENDING WITH LITTLE ACCOUNTABILITY

**Madison, WI**— Governor Tony Evers unveiled his proposed state budget for the upcoming biennium, featuring unrealistic spending increases and provisions that are impractical. In response, Representative Dave Maxey (R-New Berlin) issued the following statement:

"Once again, Tony Evers gets to play Santa Claus by delivering good news and making promises without the necessary accountability. His budget offers spending increases that look appealing on paper, but they fail to consider the fiscal reality our state faces.

As governor, it's easy to promise the world, but it's the legislature's responsibility to ensure that we provide Wisconsinites with a balanced and fiscally responsible budget. The numbers need to be grounded in reality. We cannot afford to spend more than what the state is actually taking in through revenues.

As we move forward in the budget process, I will work with my colleagues to ensure we craft a budget that is not only fiscally responsible but also truly reflects the values and priorities of the people of Wisconsin."

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Representative Maxey proudly represents Wisconsin's 83rd Assembly District, which encompasses Waukesha County, including the communities of New Berlin, Waukesha, and Muskego. Elected in 2022, he is the Chairman of the powerful Assembly Committee on Campaigns and Elections.