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Rep. Pronschinske Appalled at Tuition Changes

Madison – In Governor Evers’ 2019-2021 budget there is a provision that provides in-state tuition for undocumented Wisconsin residents. Republicans are speaking out against this blatant disrespect to veterans when you compare it to their tuition remission program.

According to state statues, veterans are required to prove Wisconsin residency at the time of entry into the armed services or must have resided in the state for at least five consecutive years immediately preceding their first semester in college as well as maintain a C average grade to qualify for their tuition and fees to be remitted. However, when it comes to the proposal for in-state tuition for undocumented students, there are minimal requirements.

“I believe by rewarding undocumented people with in-state tuition while ignoring the fact that our veterans must wait five years before receiving their tuition benefit by the state is such a slap in the face to every woman and man who has served our state and our country,” said Representative Treig E. Pronschinske (R-Mondovi). “We should be rewarding people who willingly sacrifice to make our communities safe, not handing out money to people who are here illegally.

Assembly Republican veterans have come out against this budget proposal mentioning the misplaced priorities of Governor Evers and urging the Joint Finance Committee to remove this item from the budget.

As always, feel free to contact my office with questions, comments, or concerns.

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