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What's Happening

This past week I had the opportunity to spend time in the Capitol to listen to the public on multiple topics in the various committee hearings that I sit on. The Assembly also took action and voted some bills out of committee as well as voted on many other bills during floor session.

A few of the topics included discussion and voting on bills relating to adoption, temporary practice by physicians at camps, appropriating money to county snowmobile trails, fee waivers for our fourth graders to state parks, unlawful taking of deer, property rights, and many others.

As the chair of the Assembly Committee on Consumer Protection, on Thursday January 16th we heard bills regarding industrial gas contracts, placing warnings on menus and signs regarding food allergies, and a 'lemon law' for farm equipment.

The most interesting bill that came up had to do with protections for husbandry, or a 'lemon law' for farm equipment. After hearing from farmers it was clear that this has been a problem for some time. Currently in the state we have protection for vehicles but not for farm equipment. What ends up happening is these farmers spend thousands of dollars on implements that don't work, have to pay for repairs and often a buying another implement. They often need this farm equipment right away or risk crops going bad.

Our snowmobile trails are very important to our great state, so I am happy to support providing more funding to county snowmobile trails through Assembly Bill 692. Maintaining our trails are vital for tourism and outdoor recreation.

The unlawful taking of a deer with Assembly Bill 39 was another topic of discussion that our state has seen, which takes away from our long standing tradition here in the State of Wisconsin. It is disappointing to those that have been hunting and respect hunting. When somebody unlawfully takes a deer, it takes away from those that may be hunting to feed their family, truly spend time with their friends and family in the woods, and degrades our long standing tradition that we take seriously here in our state.

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

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