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Senate Democrats Respond to Republicans' Abrupt Adjournment

MADISON, Wis – Yesterday, Senate Republicans presumably adjourned for the year, despite numerous session days remaining until April 11. Not only did Republicans end their legislative work weeks early, but they adjourned without finishing the business on the calendar. In response, Wisconsin Senate Democrats released the following statement:

“Yesterday, we witnessed an utter failure by Senate Republicans. Gaveling out of the Senate’s last session day so hastily, without even finishing the calendar and thus limiting the discussion of Senate members, is truly appalling. Republicans’ actions are deeply misguided and an affront to the basic function of government.

“The majority party knows that Democrats are working for Wisconsinites while they work for special interest groups. Put simply, Republicans are realizing that their do-nothing agenda does not resonate with voters and they are running scared from accountability this fall.

“Because of Republicans’ failings, we missed the opportunity to pass resolutions commemorating the anniversary of D-Day and the Girl Scouts, along with legislation to enact Monday ballot processing, address PFAS in Wisconsin, support our veterans, keep our communities safer from gun violence, and more.”

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