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Senator Pfaff Urges Action on Child Care Counts

Madison, WI – Today, State Senator Brad Pfaff (D-Onalaska) met with the Senate Committee on Economic Development and Technical Colleges for a hearing on Governor Evers’ special session bill that includes funding for Child Care Counts and workforce development. The Child Care Counts program has provided payments to child care providers since COVID and has kept many of them in business.

Senator Pfaff released the following statement after the hearing:

“To grow Wisconsin’s economy and expand our state’s workforce, we must invest in child care.”

“Wisconsin’s child care providers and working families made it clear today that their voices will be heard and that we need funding for Child Care Counts, or we will lose child care providers.”

“Without reliable and affordable child care, parents cannot work. It is time for the legislature to fund Child Care Counts and stabilize Wisconsin’s child care industry.”

“I’ll continue to fight for our working families and kids.”

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Senator Brad Pfaff represents the 32nd Senate District, which includes La Crosse, Vernon, Crawford, and southern Monroe County.