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Senator Stroebel: Tax revenue will not fix DOT audit problems
Legislative Audit Bureau releases WisDOT audit

Madison, WI – Following the release of the Legislative Audit Bureau report on the Wisconsin Department of Transportation, Senator Duey Stroebel (R-Cedarburg) responded:

The audit, as expected, outlined numerous possibilities for the legislature to act to ensure the Wisconsin DOT runs efficiently. We know projects are coming in way over budget. This is not acceptable.

It is not the time to raise the gas tax or transportation fees – especially before any of these efficiencies and concerns have been addressed.

Last week, I met with new WisDOT Secretary Dave Ross. I am confident his leadership will deliver a leaner agency that does not require new tax revenue.

I came to Madison to shrink the size of government and lower the tax burden. This audit provides several ways to do just that within our Department of Transportation.

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