

# WisDems: Welcomes Vice President Harris, celebrates Biden-Harris accomplishments for Wisconsin

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**MADISON, Wis.** — Ahead of Vice President Harris' visit to Wisconsin today, Democratic Party of Wisconsin Chair Ben Wikler released the following statement welcoming the vice president back to the Badger State:

"With the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law, the Biden-Harris Administration delivered a once-in-a-generation investment in our nation's roads, bridges, railroads, and broadband infrastructure—all without the support of a single Wisconsin Republican in Congress. Wisconsin Democrats are proud to welcome Vice President Harris back to the Badger State to celebrate this accomplishment—among the many others—that the Biden-Harris Administration has made for the Badger State. The record is clear: if you want a team that builds, Joe Biden and Kamala Harris are just the ticket."

## **Here's a look at just a few ways the Biden-Harris Administration has delivered for Wisconsinites:**

- So far, the Biden Administration has committed [\\$1.4 billion](#) in funding from the Bipartisan Infrastructure Law to provide affordable, reliable high-speed internet to everyone in Wisconsin.
  - In addition, [379,500 households](#) in Wisconsin are saving \$30-75 per month on high-speed internet through the Biden Administration's Affordable Connectivity Program.
  - With these allocations and other Biden administration investments, Wisconsin has the resources to connect every resident and small business

to reliable, affordable high-speed internet by [2030](#).

- Under the Biden-Harris Administration and Democrats' leadership, unemployment is down to 2.5% in Wisconsin, with [149,400 new jobs](#) created – including manufacturing jobs.
  - Georgia-Pacific committed to a [\\$500 million](#) expansion of its Green Bay paper-related production facility, bringing on 100 new employees and hiring over 500 construction workers.
- Under the Biden-Harris Administration, private companies have announced [\\$3 billion](#) so far in commitments to invest in 21st century industries like clean energy and biomanufacturing.
  - WEC Energy Group announced its [\\$426 million](#) plan for the state's first large-scale solar and battery storage project outside of Milwaukee.