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Murphy Reacts to State of the State Address

MADISON, Wis. – Representative Dave Murphy (R-Greenville) voiced his strong support for the initiatives contained in Governor Walker's State of the State Address.

Representative Murphy issued the following reaction to the Governor's speech:

Health care

"The Governor's Health Care Stability Plan will put Wisconsin on the national forefront of providing access to affordable, quality health care. While others fail to act, we're prepared to move forward to protect those with preexisting conditions, make the individual market more functional, and ensure Wisconsin's successful SeniorCare program is protected into the future, instead of subject to regular federal review."

Child Tax Credit

"Our record of sound fiscal management is reaping dividends, and families across the Fox Valley and Wisconsin are the beneficiaries. The budget surplus that we worked hard to create will allow for a permanent \$100 per child tax credit starting this year."

Schools

"After the largest school funding increase in the history of Wisconsin, I'm excited to support the Governor's call for fair funding for our rural schools. These targeted increases will boost our most efficient schools and the investment will empower these thrifty school districts to provide the excellent education that every Wisconsin child deserves."

Welfare

"As my mother used to say, 'Many hands make light work.' With our economy stronger than ever, we have a golden opportunity to make reforms to our welfare system. As we get more people into the workforce, it will be easier for us to provide the kind of support to unemployed folks that will make a real difference in their lives. By working together, we're creating the bright future that Wisconsin families deserve."

For video of Representative Murphy's reaction, visit https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bpG22ul-3qY&feature=youtu.be

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