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Stroebel Supports DNR Request to Limit EPA Regulations *Senator calls on Trump administration to accept DNR Plan*

Madison, WI – On March 13, Journal Sentinel reporter Lee Berquist wrote “[Wisconsin wants break from Trump administration on ozone rules in advance of Foxconn development](#).” The reporter forgot several key components crucial to the 20th Senate District. Senator Duey Stroebel released the following statement:

“I fully support the DNR’s science-based approach to handling the 2015 EPA standards. The area of ozone non-attainment would expand to the majority of my district. A significant amount of ozone in Southeast Wisconsin causing the non-attainment designation is from areas south of the state.

Furthermore, if the EPA begins stricter regulation of Washington County, the agency would be punishing a county without an air monitor. Additionally, many monitors including two of three monitors in Milwaukee County and a monitor in Sheboygan County show the area is compliant with stricter standards.

All area monitors are below the 2008 EPA standards.

Wisconsin has a rich tradition of manufacturing. Wisconsin also has a rich tradition of preserving our resources. The Wisconsin DNR is taking a systematic approach to the issue.

This is another case of Washington trying to overregulate our economy. Last month, I sent a letter to the EPA urging further review and analysis of this misdirected regulation. I trust the Trump administration to do the right thing.”

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