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## Whelton for Senate Touts Strong Start to State Senate Race

Sheboygan, WI – Kyle Whelton, Democratic candidate for the 9th Senate District, reported raising \$73,393.86 since announcing his campaign for state senate in March, outraising his opponent this reporting period. Whelton reported more than 500 total contributions to his campaign, with over 400 of those being \$100 or less.

"I am humbled by the outpouring of grassroots support our campaign has received," said Whelton. "Our campaign is about building stronger communities, investing in our public schools, and standing up for working families. It is clear that Wisconsinites believe in our vision," added Whelton.

"Our ability to outraise an incumbent in such a short period of time is proof that our campaign is energized and ready to do what it takes to win in November," said Whelton campaign manager Henry Rawlins. "Wisconsinites are ready for change in the state senate, and they are excited about Kyle's ability to deliver that change for the people of Senate District 9."

Kyle Whelton was born and raised in Sheboygan, where he now serves on the school board. Kyle is also actively involved in the community, serving as the President of Habitat for Humanity Lakeside, serving on the Sheboygan Housing Rehabilitation Commission and the Mead Public Library Board, and is a past board member of the Wisconsin Recovery Community Organization.

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