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Weekly Radio Address: Wisconsin's finances strongest in a generation

Madison... Representative John Nygren (R-Marinette) released the Weekly Radio Address on behalf of Wisconsin State Republicans.

Hi I'm State Representative John Nygren, Co-chair of the Joint Committee on Finance.

The state is about to begin the biennial budget process.

And like your family, I believe the state should balance its checkbook. We shouldn't spend money we don't have.

Due to Republicans' sound fiscal management, Wisconsin's finances are the strongest in a generation. State debt continues to decline and, after over \$8 billion in tax cuts, state revenues continue to grow.

The state has a budget surplus and the nonpartisan Fiscal Bureau recently released new revenue estimates for the 2019-21 budget and they show we will have even more funds available for our priorities in the upcoming budget.

That's why Republicans recently proposed a tax cut for middle class families which would provide the median family a \$310 tax cut. It's your money, not Madison's.

Over the next few months, you will hear a lot of rhetoric from politicians trying to justify why bureaucrats in Madison need more of your hard earned money.

The government has more than enough money already, thanks to Republican reforms, which means we can continue to invest in the priorities that matter most to you, without raising taxes.

Thank you, and On Wisconsin.

<http://legis.wisconsin.gov/eupdates/asm63/0129NygrenBudget.mp3>

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