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## **Rep. Jessie Rodriguez delivers this week's Legislative GOP Weekly Radio Address**

**MADISON** – State Representative Jessie Rodriguez (R-Oak Creek) released the Weekly Radio Address on behalf of Wisconsin State Republicans.

*I'm Wisconsin State Representative Jessie Rodriguez from Oak Creek. This week, the governor submitted his budget proposal to the legislature. Unfortunately, his budget would take Wisconsin backwards when we need to move forward and focus on recovering from the effects of the pandemic.*

*The two-year spending plan increases taxes by at least 1 billion dollars while increasing all funds spending by more than 8 billion dollars. It also includes divisive non-fiscal policies like expanding welfare, legalizing recreational marijuana and repealing ACT 10.*

*He's also proposing an enrollment freeze for Wisconsin's School Choice programs. With many students in Wisconsin still struggling with some form of remote learning, this is not the time to restrict a parent's ability to choose a school that's best for their children.*

*Republicans on the Joint Finance Committee and in the legislature will create a responsible budget that funds Wisconsin's priorities while spending within our means and holding the line on taxes.*

Audio: [http://legis.wisconsin.gov/eupdates/asm63/Rodriguez\\_Radio.2.18.31.mp3](http://legis.wisconsin.gov/eupdates/asm63/Rodriguez_Radio.2.18.31.mp3)

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