



JESSIE RODRIGUEZ

STATE REPRESENTATIVE ★ 21ST ASSEMBLY DISTRICT

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Contact: Rep. Jessie Rodriguez

February 16, 2021
(608) 266-0610

RODRIGUEZ RESPONDS TO GOVERNOR EVERS' BUDGET ADDRESS

MADISON – This evening, Governor Tony Evers gave his budget address to the legislature, outlining his proposed 2021-2023 biennial budget.

Rep. Jessie Rodriguez (R-Oak Creek) released the following statement:

“I am grateful that because of a decade of responsible budgeting by legislative Republicans, Wisconsin is in a good spot financially. Despite the financial struggles brought on by the pandemic, revenues are higher than expected heading into the next biennial budget. This does not, however, mean we can spend recklessly and forget how we got to this point. It took years of work and many tough decisions to get here, and I know that we can continue on the same path.”

“I look forward to working with my colleagues on the Joint Committee on Finance over the next several months to craft a budget that is fiscally sound and works for all Wisconsinites. Legislative Republicans are committed to holding the line on taxes, improved infrastructure, and quality education. The budget is not a place to insert divisive policy – it is a document meant to set Wisconsin up for success for the next two years so that our shared goals are met and our priorities are funded. I am committed to working hard throughout this process to make sure that this budget is something we can all be proud of.”

###