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## Statement on Ho-Chunk Nation's Beloit Casino Approval

**Madison –** Today, Rep. Amy Loudenbeck (R-Clinton) released the following statement following Governor Evers' announcement on his approval for the Ho-Chunk Nation's Beloit Casino.

"The City of Beloit, Rock County and the Ho-Chunk Nation worked together in good faith on a strong application for the proposed casino and I am pleased to see that Governor Evers is allowing this project to advance.

"Nearly a year ago, the Trump Administration issued a determination that taking the land into trust for the purpose of gaming would be in the best interest of the Ho-Chunk Nation and would not be detrimental to the surrounding community. I am pleased that the Evers Administration concurs with this determination and will allow this long-awaited development to move forward.

"Congratulations to the Ho-Chunk Nation, Beloit and Rock County. I look forward to your future progress and continued success."

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