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REP. NEUBAUER: STATEMENT ON ASSEMBLY SESSION

MADISON – Today, the Wisconsin State Assembly met in regular session, approving several Republican-led bills that, if signed, would undermine Wisconsin's COVID-19 recovery. Rep. Greta Neubauer (D-Racine) released the following statement in response:

"Wisconsinites have been asking their elected officials to prioritize their health and safety for more than a year, but Assembly Republicans still can't get their act together for the people of our state. We all want to return to our Wisconsin way of life, but instead of highlighting the proven safety and efficacy of the COVID-19 vaccine, Republicans are pushing anti-vaccine rhetoric and policy on the Assembly floor. Instead of expanding BadgerCare and increasing access to affordable medical care at a time where more Wisconsinites are struggling than ever, they swear to turn down more than a billion dollars of federal investment in our state.

"Today, Assembly Republican leaders once again demonstrated that they are more focused on partisan political maneuvers than addressing our constituents' needs during this ongoing pandemic. Wisconsinites deserve better. I hope we can return to session soon to actually act on the pressing issues facing our state."