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### **Fitchburg Mayor Aaron Richardson Announces Campaign for Wisconsin Treasurer**

Fitchburg, WI – Today, Fitchburg Mayor Aaron Richardson announced his candidacy for Wisconsin Treasurer as a Democrat.

“I have loved my time as Fitchburg Mayor and I feel the time is right for me to take the next step and bring my leadership, experience and expertise to the state. My experience leading one of the most diverse and fastest growing communities in Wisconsin will provide the foundation to not only make a difference in the lives of Wisconsin residents but also provide Governor Evers and lawmakers insight into what the communities of Wisconsin need from our leaders.”

In addition to being Mayor, Aaron is the chair of the Fitchburg Plan Commission. Previously, Aaron served as an Alder on the Fitchburg Common Council, chaired Fitch-Rona EMS, co-chaired the city’s Housing Task Force, and was a member of the Personnel and Public Safety Committees, as well as the Parks Commission. He is a member of the Fitchburg Lions Club and will be entering his sixth year coaching youth basketball.

“I am the 5<sup>th</sup> generation of my family to live in Fitchburg and would not want to live in any other state. I want to continue the great work Treasurer Godlewski has done. I will continue to work on efforts to make home ownership attainable for people throughout the state and provide financial educational materials to residents and school districts to improve financial literacy in Wisconsin. I have been a champion for diversity as Mayor and have experience building a responsible, multi-million dollar budget.”

Aaron has a degree in marketing and management from UW-Green Bay and an MBA from UW-Whitewater. In addition to being a lifelong and 5th generation resident of Fitchburg, Mayor Richardson enjoys many activities. These include euchre, visiting many Wisconsin state parks, cheering on the UW-Green Bay Phoenix, beekeeping, golfing, biking and running. Learn more about his campaign at [www.aaronforwi.com](http://www.aaronforwi.com).

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