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LeMahieu Statement on Governor Evers' Veto

Madison- Senate Majority Leader Devin LeMahieu issued the following statement regarding the Governor's veto:

"Governor Evers speaks of compromise but governs as an extreme partisan.

"The legislative map he vetoed today is more than 99% identical to the one he proposed to the Wisconsin Supreme Court. The changes the legislature made would have disenfranchised fewer Wisconsinites than the Governor's submission, and would have undone a small handful of the Governor's most egregious incumbent gerrymanders.

"The Governor could have taken yes for an answer and gotten more than 99% of what he wanted. Instead he vetoed his own maps because he is confident that the Wisconsin Supreme Court will trample the constitutional authority of the legislature."

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Senator Devin LeMahieu represents the 9th Senate District, which includes portions of Sheboygan, Manitowoc, and Calumet Counties. He serves as Majority Leader for the Wisconsin State Senate.