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## Representative Gundrum's CFIS Bill Passes Assembly

**Madison, WI** – Representative Rick Gundrum's (R-Slinger) bill to bring all local candidates under the Wisconsin Ethics Commission's Campaign Finance Information System passed the Assembly yesterday on a unanimous vote. This morning he released the following statement:

"I am happy to see Senate Bill 822 pass unanimously in the Assembly yesterday. This legislation is something I worked on for months with Senator Dan Knodl and several stakeholders. This bill provides uniformity, accessibility, and efficiency when it comes to local candidates and their campaign finance reports. Clerks across Wisconsin's communities will no longer have to develop and maintain their own campaign finance systems. By bringing all local campaign finance under CFIS, Wisconsinites will be able to easily review the campaign finance reports of candidates running for school board, alderman, or mayor in their own communities."

If signed into law, Senate Bill 822 as amended will go into effect on July 1, 2025. All local candidates will file their campaign finance reports with the Wisconsin Ethics Commission instead of with their local clerks.

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