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## **Rep. Vorpapel Statement on State of the State Address**

**Madison-** State Representative Tyler Vorpapel (R-Plymouth) issued the following statement following Governor Walker’s State of the State address, which was given in front of a joint legislative session Tuesday afternoon.

“I am encouraged by the direction Governor Walker has led our state and continues to lead it. I am happy to see that much of the Governor’s agenda aligns with our Assembly Republican Forward Agenda. We need to continue to improve schools, build a stronger workforce, and most importantly limit the growth of government. The state’s finances are solid, and the rainy day fund is 165 times larger than when the GOP took majority in 2011. We also have the lowest unemployment rate that we’ve had in 15 years at 4.1%. These are all things that we can build on.

“I am especially encouraged to hear the Governor discuss his intention to work with the incoming Trump Administration and the U.S. Congress to allow Wisconsin more control over programs that now, we are merely a pass through. There are countless opportunities in Worker Training programs, education, and welfare policy where we know we can do it better and cheaper in Wisconsin.”

*Click the following link for a video clip from Rep. Vorpapel on his reaction to the State of the State Address: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ePT5FR1Qa7o&feature=youtu.be>*

*Representative Tyler Vorpapel (R-Plymouth) serves the 27<sup>th</sup> Assembly District which includes Kiel, Cleveland, Elkhart Lake, Howards Grove, Plymouth, Kohler, and Sheboygan.*

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