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Kessler Statement on Hiring of Outside Counsel in *Whitford v. Gill*

(MILWAUKEE) - State Representative Frederick P. Kessler (D-Milwaukee), said today that the decision by Republicans to use taxpayers' resources to hire outside counsel to redraw legislative boundaries pursuant to the requirements of the federal district court in *Whitford v. Gill* was shameful.

"The Attorney General is already representing the state. It is a waste of taxpayers' money. The plaintiffs in *Whitford* are being represented by pro-bono attorneys who will not be paid unless they win. I suggest that GOP legislators be more concerned with the taxpayers' resources rather than act as the tax and spend party."

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