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## **REP. KEITH RIPP'S RESPONSE TO GOVERNOR WALKER'S BUDGET ADDRESS**

**Madison, WI** – State Representative Keith Ripp (R-Lodi) issued the following statement in response to Governor Scott Walker's Budget Address:

“On Tuesday, Governor Walker highlighted the main priorities in his 2017-19 biennial state budget proposal. As a rural legislator, I am very pleased with Governor Walker's determination to cutting taxes and meeting our state's diverse economic needs by increasing funding for rural schools, worker training programs, and broadband expansion.

“These new investments would not have been possible without six years of common sense government reforms and our commitment to significantly reducing the tax burden for hardworking Wisconsin families. Even though Governor Walker did not propose any long-term plans to fund our state's current and future transportation system needs, I remain fully committed towards finding viable solutions this legislative session.

“I look forward to reviewing Governor Walker's specific budget initiatives and working with my colleagues to ensure Wisconsin continues moving in the right direction. Over the next several months as the State Legislature works through the budget process, I encourage the residents of the 42<sup>nd</sup> Assembly District to contact me with their comments and recommendations.”

Representative Ripp serves the residents of the 42nd Assembly District, which includes portions of Columbia, Dane, Dodge, Fond du Lac, Green Lake, and Marquette Counties.

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