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Rep. Kind Announces \$210,000 Economic Development & Job Creation Grant for West Central Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission

Includes Barron, Chippewa, Clark, Dunn, Eau Claire, Polk, and St. Croix Counties

Eau Claire, WI – Today, U.S. Rep. Ron Kind announced that the Economic Development Administration has awarded the West Central Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission, which comprises the counties of Barron, Chippewa, Clark, Dunn, Eau Claire, Polk, and St. Croix a \$210,000 grant to develop and implement a comprehensive economic development strategy. Below is Rep. Kind's statement on the announcement:

"Far too many of our rural Wisconsin communities have seen economic growth pass them over, which is why I am pleased to see the West Central Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission has received funding to help solve the problem. This grant funding will allow businesses and local officials to work together to design and implement a comprehensive plan to create jobs and grow the Wisconsin economy," said Rep. Kind.