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REPUBLICANS PLAY POLITICS WITH WOMEN'S HEALTH

MADISON –Earlier this afternoon, the Wisconsin State Assembly passed AB 179, 180, 182 and 183 without any Democrats voting in support. Representative Jodi Emerson (D-Eau Claire) released the following statement in response:

“I’m deeply disappointed that Republicans would rather focus on policies that have the potential to hurt women, instead of focus on real policy solutions like full Medicaid expansion that would advance women’s health in Wisconsin.

“These are private medical choices that belong between a woman and her doctor and we shouldn’t be putting laws into place that interfere with that.

“Governor Evers’ proposal to expand Medicaid along with his “Healthy Women, Healthy Babies initiative would make a significant investment in improving women’s health and birth outcomes. By their constant obstruction and bait and switch techniques, Republicans continue to show they put politics over people”

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