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### **Wisconsin Engineering Industry Applauds DOT Secretary Pick**

Madison, Wisconsin: Chris Klein, President and Executive Director of the American Council of Engineering Companies of Wisconsin, released the following statement in reaction to Governor-Elect Tony Evers' announcement that he is appointing Craig Thompson, Executive Director of the Transportation Development Association of Wisconsin (TDA), to serve as his Secretary of the Department of Transportation.

“Craig has the qualifications and knowledge in place to make an immediate positive impact as Department of Transportation Secretary. As Executive Director of TDA, Craig Thompson is on the forefront of transportation issues. He is passionate about transportation and the delivery of a safe and efficient transportation system. Craig is a respected leader and ally for transportation.

We are confident Craig Thompson has the expertise and commitment to provide the Department of Transportation with strong leadership and vision. We are looking forward to working with Governor-elect Evers and Craig on Wisconsin's transportation infrastructure.”

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