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League of Wisconsin Municipalities Praises Choice of Craig Thompson as WisDOT Secretary

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Craig Thompson is an outstanding choice for Secretary of Transportation. His broad and extensive knowledge of all modes of Wisconsin's transportation network will serve the state well. Governor-Elect Evers could not have made a better selection.

The League is particularly pleased to have a Secretary-designate who understands the interaction between modes and levels of transportation. Because of his knowledge and background, we are confident that Mr. Thompson will argue as passionately and articulately for sustaining local streets, transit systems, bridges, harbors and freight as he will for state and interstate highways. No one understands better than Craig Thompson that it's all part of the same critical system.

Wisconsin's economy thrives because over the decades we have invested in our infrastructure, especially our transportation infrastructure. Craig Thompson's appointment as Secretary of Transportation sends a clear signal that the Evers administration will be a good steward of that investment.

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