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## **Rep. Born Votes to Cut Taxes for the Middle Class**

**Madison-** Rep. Mark Born (R-Beaver Dam) voted for a middle class tax cut that will affect nearly two million people in the state of Wisconsin. The bill passed out of the State Assembly on party lines and now moves to be taken up by the Wisconsin State Senate.

“Once again, Assembly Republicans are continuing our efforts to reduce the tax burden on Wisconsin families. Over the past eight years, we’ve decreased taxes by more than \$8 billion, all while continuing to grow our economy. Thanks to our conservative budgeting, we’re able to support initiatives like the one today, invest in our shared priorities, and put more money back in the pockets of hard working families.”

The Middle Class Tax Cut provides \$340 million in tax relief and will reduce taxes on individuals making less than \$100,000 and families making less than \$150,000. The median income family filing jointly is projected to see a \$310 reduction in net taxes.

“Governor Evers campaigned on a promise to cut taxes on the middle class. Unfortunately, his proposal does so by raising taxes on manufacturers and small businesses. Unlike Evers’ plan, we were able to find a way to cut taxes without shifting the burden on anyone else. I hope Governor Evers will sign this legislation when it gets to his desk, and fulfill his promise to the people of Wisconsin to keep more of their hard earned paychecks.”

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