



(608) 266-3007 Toll-Free (888) 534-0099

STATE REPRESENTATIVE • 99th ASSEMBLY DISTRICT

Rep.Duchow@legis.wi.gov P.O. Box 8952 Madison, WI 53708-8952

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE February 12, 2019 Contact: Rep. Cindi Duchow (608) 266-3007

## Rep. Duchow Votes for Wisconsin's Middle Class Tax Cut

**Madison, WI** –State Representative Cindi Duchow (R-Delafield) joined her Assembly Republican colleagues today in voting for a middle class tax cut that would use the state budget surplus to deliver \$340 million in tax relief to Wisconsin families.

"Wisconsin has some of the highest taxes in the nation and we need to do all we can to put more money back in the hands of Wisconsin taxpayers," said Duchow. "I support this tax break because I believe local taxpayers are in a better position to handle their hard-earned tax dollars than government bureaucrats in Madison."

Under the bill, tax reductions are targeted to individuals making less than \$100,000 and families earning \$150,000 or less. The Legislative Fiscal Bureau projects the median income family filing jointly would see a \$310 reduction in taxes. 75% of this tax cut benefit will go to filers with incomes between \$30,000 and \$100,000. If the proposal is passed by the Wisconsin State Senate and signed by the Governor, this tax cut would take effect next year.

"Even with divided government in Madison this session, Assembly Republicans are committed to finding solutions to lower Wisconsin's tax burden. This proposal is just the beginning and is truly a win-win for Wisconsin," Duchow said.

The measure passed the State Assembly 61 to 33. It now moves on to the State Senate for consideration.

###

Representative Duchow represents the 99<sup>th</sup> Assembly District which includes the communities of Chenequa, Delafield, Dousman, Hartland, Merton, Nashotah, Oconomowoc Lake, Ottawa, and Wales; and portions of Genesee, North Prairie, Oconomowoc, and Summit