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Kolste Will Not Seek Re-election

MADISON – Representative Kolste will announce during Thursday’s Assembly floor session that she will not see re-election after this term. She released this statement:

“To say that serving as your state representative for the last eight years has been an honor and a privilege would be a huge understatement. As I will say later today on the floor, being in the Legislature has been an experience of a lifetime, but it has certainly not been my lifetime experience. The relationships with my family, friends and community have informed my beliefs and I hope that is what has been represented in the work that I have done in the Capitol. It is a more fervent hope that the politics, especially the politics of power that sometimes are ever present in legislative bodies, have had a much more marginal effect on what I believed we should accomplish as a body.

It is now time for me to take time to help my family and community on a more personal level. I will not be seeking re-election.”

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