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August Praises Supreme Court Decision

WI Supreme Court Rules Actions by Evers Administration to be Unconstitutional

This evening the Wisconsin Supreme Court struck down the unconstitutional actions taken by Governor Evers' administration, which had extended the Safer at Home Order. All businesses can reopen immediately unless there is a local health department order prohibiting it. In response to the action by the Supreme Court, Representative Tyler August (R-Lake Geneva) released the following statement:

"I was thrilled by the ruling issued by the Supreme Court today. It was clear that the actions taken by Governor Evers' administration were unconstitutional and had to be checked.

Our state and citizens deserve their voice to be heard. As a legislator, it was extremely frustrating to see my constituents' voice be silenced by the unilateral actions taken by this governor. The lockdown has taken an unbelievable toll on our state's economy, small businesses, and families.

It is time for Wisconsin to be open for business once again. I believe business owners can safely reopen using the guidelines provided by the Center for Disease Control.

I am confident that our communities can work together in a reasonable and responsible manner to reopen our state safely. Our health care system's capacity was never overrun, so protecting our vulnerable population can still happen without destroying our way of life.

My colleagues and I urge the Evers administration to work with us to promulgate rules that would provide clear guidance if COVID-19 reoccurs in a more aggressive fashion. I look forward to getting our state back on the path to prosperity, freedom, and liberty."

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