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Attorney General Josh Kaul Endorses Melissa Sargent for State Senate

MADISON— Melissa Sargent (D-Madison) released the following statement announcing an endorsement from Attorney General Josh Kaul, for her candidacy for Wisconsin's 16th Senate District:

"Today I am very honored to announce an endorsement from Attorney General Josh Kaul," said Sargent. "In his tenure as Attorney General, and beyond, Attorney General Kaul has been dedicated to keeping our state safe, ensuring justice for Wisconsinites, and championing for government accountability and transparency. From environmental protections, preventing discrimination, standing up for survivors of sexual violence, and more, the work Attorney General Kaul has done for Wisconsin is unparalleled."

"As a state representative, Melissa Sargent has been a strong advocate for her constituents and for change that can make our communities safer. I had the opportunity to work with Melissa on proposed gun-safety and sexual assault kit reform legislation—issues on which Melissa has been a leader in the state assembly. Melissa dives into policy details, and she stands up for progressive values and the people she represents. Melissa will continue to be a leader on important issues as a member of the state senate, and I'm proud to endorse her campaign."

"I am truly humbled to have earned the support of Attorney General Kaul," said Sargent. "Attorney General Kaul and his leadership at the Wisconsin Department of Justice, has made deep impacts on our state. I look forward to his continued leadership, and working together on the issues facing Wisconsin. I am honored to have his support," said Sargent.

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Born and raised in Dane County, Melissa served on the Dane County Board prior to being elected to represent the 48th Assembly District. Before her start in politics, Melissa owned a small business and worked in the private sector. Concern for the greater community and a vision for a better Wisconsin brought her to public service and community activism. She is a proud mother of 4 boys, and lives on Madison's northside.