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## Weekly Radio Address: Rep. Mark Born: JFC to being voting on state budget

**MADISON** – State Representative Mark Born (R-Beaver Dam) released the Weekly Radio Address on behalf of Wisconsin State Republicans.

Hi, I'm State Representative Mark Born, Co-Chair of the Joint Committee on Finance.

This week, JFC will begin voting on Wisconsin's biennial state budget.

Over the last month, the committee has traveled the state to hear from constituents regarding the state budget. Legislators have also held hundreds of listening sessions to meet with constituents and hear their priorities for the two year spending plan.

We appreciate all of the input we have received and will keep it in mind as we move forward through the budget process.

Unfortunately, Governor Evers' has given the legislature a budget that is unworkable, unrealistic, and unsustainable. The governor proposed massive tax and spending increases, as well as numerous policy items that do not belong in a budget.

Because of this, Legislative Republicans will work to craft our own budget, one that actually works and funds the priorities of Wisconsin citizens.

*Our budget will be responsible, reasonable, and realistic - just like the budgets of Wisconsin families and businesses.* 

As always, we continue to welcome comments on the state budget, and look forward to putting together a plan that truly invests in the priorities of the people of Wisconsin.

Audio: http://legis.wisconsin.gov/eupdates/asm63/Born\_Radio\_5.5.21.mp3