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**BRAD PFAFF**  
**STATE SENATOR**

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**Statement on Rep. Ron Kind's Retirement Announcement**

**(La Crosse, WI)** — This afternoon, Senator Brad Pfaff (D-Onalaska) joined Rep. Ron Kind for a press conference as he announced his retirement from Congress after 24 years of service to the 3rd Congressional District.

After the press conference, Sen. Pfaff issued the following statement:

“I want to congratulate Representative Ron Kind on his more than 24 years of dedicated service to the people of the 3rd Congressional District. He has always stayed true to the values he was raised with — honesty, hard work, and positivity. I am proud to have worked with and learned from him.”

“With Ron, it’s always about respect and appreciation for the people who get up every day to provide for their families. From nurses and small business owners to machine operators and dairy farmers, Ron ensured everyone had a seat at the table. He always brought the ideas he heard in the district back to Washington. The next 3rd District representative will have extraordinary shoes to fill.”

“Betty and I wish Ron and Tawni the very best in their next chapter.”

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*Senator Brad Pfaff represents the 32nd Senate District, which includes La Crosse, Vernon, Crawford, and southern Monroe County.*