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Wisconsin State Senate District 7

Larson for Senate campaign receives Wisconsin League of Conservation Voters endorsement

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Milwaukee – Chris Larson won the endorsement of the Wisconsin League of Conservation Voters (WLCV) in his bid for State Senate. Citing his commitment to protecting Wisconsin's natural resources, the WLCV has recommended the Larson campaign to their broad spectrum of supporters. As a recognized champion of mass transit, parks funding, smart growth and sustainable development, Supervisor Larson was excited to receive the endorsement.

"I am honored to have the support of fellow leaders in the conservation movement," said Supervisor Chris Larson. "In my years in office, I have maintained my strong commitment to a sustainable economy and protecting Wisconsin's natural resources. I fought hard to pass the advisory referendum that would have given property tax relief to Milwaukee County residents while providing dedicated funds to our parks and transit system. I know the importance that our lake, our beaches, and our parks have to my neighbors in our communities. We must restore honor to the legacy we once had."

Larson vowed to fight for environmental protections, and pledged not to rest until the Great Lakes are free from the threat of oil drilling.

"We need to consider the health concerns and jobs that will be lost if we do not move forward towards a more sustainable economy and environment," said Larson. "Our community's patience with limitless polluters is ending. America is waking up to the foreign policy, health and clear environmental costs of our addiction to old technologies. The Wisconsin League of Conservation Voters fought hard in trying to pass the Clean Energy Jobs Act. This bill would have lowered energy costs for consumers, created much needed new technology jobs, boosted our renewable energy resources to 25% by 2025, and kept an extra \$2 billion in Wisconsin's economy. It's unacceptable that this bill was killed by my opponent. Unlike my opponent, I believe the science of climate change is a very real threat to our economy and our entire planet. The hard facts cannot be debated any longer. As the next State Senator for the 7th district, I'm looking forward to continuing the fight for our environment, new jobs, and a healthier Wisconsin economy."

Supervisor Larson currently serves as a Milwaukee County Supervisor for the 14th district, encompassing much of Bay View and neighborhoods north and west of Milwaukee's airport.

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