

## WisDems Daily Update Clips for Tuesday

Written by Democratic Party of Wisconsin  
Tuesday, 22 April 2014 11:17 -

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MADISON - This is the WisDems Daily News Summary for Tuesday April 22, 2014.

### US SENATE

#### [Writer responds on firearm companies](#)

Lakeland Times-21 hours ago

Check that out in our government, Wisconsin's Tammy Baldwin signed on the UN small arms to cancel the second amendment. Don Duddles. Waukesha ...

#### [A Lesbian Couple Fights For Marriage Equality In The Wisconsin ...](#)

Huffington Post-22 hours ago

Additionally, Wisconsin Senator Tammy Baldwin became the nation's first openly gay senator when she was sworn into office in January of last year. 1.

#### [38 GOP lawmakers join Ron Johnson's Obamacare lawsuit](#)

Washington Post (blog)-35 minutes ago

Thirty-eight Republican lawmakers are signaling support for a lawsuit filed by Sen. Ron Johnson (R-Wis.) that challenges a rule by the Obama administration ...

#### [An 'unfortunate political stunt' gets broad GOP support](#)

MSNBC-by Steve Benen-46 minutes ago

Sen. Ron Johnson (R-Wis.) filed a fairly ridiculous lawsuit against the Affordable Care Act in January, and even at the time, even conservative Republicans ...

#### [Congress is standing in the way of environmental repair](#)

WISC Madison-2 hours ago

Senator Ron Johnson says no. Congressman Paul Ryan says no. And frankly not enough Democrats are doing enough to sound the alarm. This is fiddling while ...

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Washington Post (blog)-2 hours ago

Ron Johnson's (R-Wis.) lawsuit challenging ObamaCare regulations promulgated by the Office of Personnel Management, the Judicial Education Project will ...

### [Senators Join to Support Lawsuit Challenging Legality of Obamacare](#)

Newsmax.com-2 hours ago

Wisconsin Sen. Ron Johnson has garnered the backing of 38 other Republicans for a lawsuit filed against the Obama administration contending it is illegally ...

### [38 Republican lawmakers put aside differences for lawsuit ...](#)

Washington Times-5 hours ago

Ron Johnson, the Wisconsin Republican who is asking a federal court to overturn Obamacare's special treatment for members of Congress and their staffs.

### [Benghazi scandal shameful to Obama administration](#)

Richland Chronicle-17 hours ago

Ron Johnson of Wisconsin as Clinton raged: "With all due respect, the fact is we had four dead Americans. Was it because of a protest or was it because of guys ...

## WISCONSIN GOVERNOR

### ['Scott Walker 2016': Here comes the bumper sticker](#)

Washington Times-21 minutes ago

The news media has noticed Wisconsin Gov. Scott Walker and could very well give him the same scrutiny, for better or worse, as New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie ...

### [Walker announces extension of Family Care services in ...](#)

UW Badger Herald-23 minutes ago

Gov. Scott Walker announced Monday that Family Care, the state's long-term care program for individuals with physical, intellectual and developmental ...

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### [Helpful advice to GOP from Dem consultant: nominate Jeb Bush](#)

American Thinker (blog)-38 minutes ago

Interestingly, Shrum's dismissal of Wisconsin Governor Scott Walker is a ... that in his recall election, Walker increased his margin of victory, and that Walker has ...

### [Wisconsin, you are \(tax\) free at last!](#)

Watchdog.org-51 minutes ago

Scott Walker signed into law a \$541-million tax cut bill, payback to taxpayers in improving economic times that promise state revenue will exceed projections by ...

### [Morning briefing: Taxpayer tab is \\$961000 and counting to defend ...](#)

Madison.com-1 hour ago

Scott Walker's signature law reforming public-sector labor union collective bargaining in the state. The tally is considerably higher, when factoring in the man ...

### [Governor announces plan to expand Family Care](#)

Fond du Lac Reporter-1 hour ago

Scott Walker said Monday his administration is ready to start work on extending Family Care to Brown, Door, Kewaunee, Marinette, Menominee, Oconto and ...

### [Harris will run as Democrat to succeed Petri](#)

The Oshkosh Northwestern-1 hour ago

... an aide to Gov. Scott Walker has expressed an interest in running, and state Sen. Joe Leibham of Saukville is expected to make an announcement later today.

### [Ex-judge downplays John Doe vote as factor in his removal from GAB](#)

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel (blog)-2 hours ago

Was former Appeals Court Judge David Deininger dropped by Gov. Scott Walker from the Government Accountability Board because of the board's unanimous ...

### [First Edition: April 22, 2014](#)

News-Medical.net-2 hours ago

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... suddenly popular among conservatives that he bested such 2016 hopefuls as Chris Christie, Scott Walker and Marco Rubio at the CPAC straw poll. Though ...

### [Paul Fanlund: Mark Harris joins race for Congress as Petri's natural ...](#)

Madison.com-3 hours ago

Then and since, he has been a critic of Scott Walker, charging the GOP governor presents himself as a fiscal conservative because he attacked public workers, ...

### [Taxpayer tab: \\$961000 and counting to defend Act 10](#)

Watchdog.org-4 hours ago

That's the price tag to date Wisconsin taxpayers have paid to outside special counsel in defense of Act 10, Gov. Scott Walker's signature law reforming ...

### [Elizabeth Warren Says She's Not Running for President. So Why'd ...](#)

Mother Jones-by Andy Kroll-4 hours ago

Bobby Jindal and Scott Walker and Sens. Rand Paul and Marco Rubio have all "written" one. Hillary Clinton's new campaign book, Hard Choices, chronicling ...

### [Vouchers a 'Gift from God' for Wisconsin Family](#)

Budget & Tax News-4 hours ago

Scott Walker in time for the 2013-14 school year and, according to Bradley, "Has been a blessing, it's a gift from God." For 13 years, Bradley has worked for the ...

### [Conference brings students, lawmakers together to address ...](#)

UW Badger Herald-4 hours ago

Scott Walker's proposed tuition freeze extension, saying it is a short term solution to a long term problem. Larson spoke on the broader picture of the nationwide ...

### [Happy Tax Freedom Day Wisconsin](#)

MacIverInstitute-5 hours ago

Gov. Scott Walker and the legislative Republicans, who control the majority of votes in each house, are proud of the plentiful tax cuts that they have passed in the ...

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[Democrat Rep. Brett Hulsey declares bid for governor](#)

Minneapolis Star Tribune-5 hours ago

12 primary. The winner will advance to take on Republican Gov. Scott Walker in the general election on Nov. 4. Burke, a former Trek Bicycle Corp. executive and ...

[Dana Milbank, Washington Post: GOP rift marked by squabbles ...](#)

Waco Tribune-Herald-8 hours ago

Wisconsin's Republican governor, Scott Walker, opposes the resolution. He has in mind being president of the United States, and that ambition could be ...

[Water utility losses top \\$100000](#)

Ehextra-9 hours ago

Scott Walker will approach President Barack Obama declaring Wisconsin a disaster area. With more than 900 residences in the City of Marinette running water ...

[Hulsey to run for governor](#)

La Crosse Tribune-9 hours ago

The four will face off in an Aug. 12 primary. The winner will advance to take on Republican Gov. Scott Walker in the Nov. 4 general election. Burke, a former Trek ...

[Walker should take break from politics and focus on college -- Jim ...](#)

Madison.com-9 hours ago

For a man who wants to reduce dependence on government, Gov. Scott Walker does not serve as a shining example. After departing from Marquette University ...

[If you blame Walker for job losses then credit him for gains -- Dean ...](#)

Madison.com-9 hours ago

Sunday's Opinion section included a letter titled "Walker's jobs promise won't be forgotten" about Gov. Scott Walker's pledge of 250,000 new jobs during his term ...

[Brett Hulsey running for Wisconsin governor: 'I promise you it will be ...](#)

Madison.com-19 hours ago

Scott Walker's "reign of error" will resonate with voters, first in the primary and ... his jabs at Burke and Walker more amusing than the typical attacks launched by ...

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### [Who Is Dr. Ben Carson](#)

Politico-10 hours ago

... suddenly popular among conservatives that he bested such 2016 hopefuls as Chris Christie, Scott Walker and Marco Rubio at the CPAC straw poll. Though ...

### [Plain Talk: Clever Scott Walker fast out of the gate](#)

Capital Times-15 hours ago

But no politician in recent state history is more clever than our own governor, Scott Walker. If they gave awards for such things, he'd win hands down.

### ['Scott Walker 2016': Here comes the bumper sticker](#)

Washington Times-22 minutes ago

... Paul Mirengoff, who cites two recent polls of Wisconsin voters which give Mr. Walker a very healthy lead over Mary Burke, the Democratic challenger.

### [News from around Wisconsin at 5:28 a.m. CDT](#)

Kansas City Star-1 hour ago

Mary Burke, Marcia Mercedes Perkins and Hariprasad Trivedi have declared their candidacies. Burke is widely viewed as the front runner among those three, ...

### [In Case You Missed It: Brett Hulse running for governor — now ...](#)

Capital Times-4 hours ago

Entertaining or not, assuming that Hulse's longshot bid somehow manages to get him past Mary Burke in the Democratic primary, he'll face a very clever ...

### [Hulse announces run for Wisconsin governor](#)

Newsradio 620-7 hours ago

Hulse, a Madison Democrat, is the fourth Democrat to declare a bid for governor. Mary Burke, Marcia Mercedes Perkins and Hariprasad Trivedi have declared ...

### [Hulse to run for governor](#)

La Crosse Tribune-9 hours ago

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Brett Hulsey joins three other Democrats already vying for the party's nomination, including Mary Burke, Marcia Mercedes Perkins and Hariprasad Trivedi.

### [Scott Walker announces Family Care expansion in northeast](#)

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel-11 hours ago

Walker's Democratic opponent, former Trek Bicycle Corp. executive Mary Burke, supports expanding Family Care to all 15 counties that don't have it, said her ...

### [State Rep. Brett Hulsey to run for governor](#)

Madison.com-12 hours ago

Hulsey's announcement forces a primary with fellow Democratic nominee Mary Burke. The state representative said he is running because Walker's policies ...

### [Warmer weather means its time to watch out for ticks](#)

WAOW-14 hours ago

Brett Hulsey has announced his candidacy for governor, forcing a Democratic primary against Mary Burke. More >>. State Rep. Brett Hulsey has announced his ...

### [Guns come to high school for physics lesson](#)

WAOW-16 hours ago

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### [Hulsey enters race for governor](#)

Wisconsin Radio Network-20 hours ago

Fresh out of the gate he took aim at the front-runner on the Democrat side, Mary Burke. "We need somebody who can take on Scott Walker, not some spoiled rich ...

### [Hulsey Enters Wisconsin's Democratic Run for Governor](#)

WUWM-21 hours ago

The others planning to put their names on the ballot are Mary Burke - viewed as the front runner to date, Marcia Mercedes Perkins and Hariprasad Trivedi.

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[NYC mayor: May 16 to be Barbara Walters Day](#)

WAOW-21 hours ago

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[Mary Burke Has Challenger In Democratic Gubernatorial Primary](#)

The Wisconsin Free-Apr 21, 2014

On Monday, Wisconsin State Representative Brett Hulsey announced his intention to run for Wisconsin Governor, effectively leading to a challenge of fellow ...

[Milwaukee pols have opinions on Bucks arena, even if they don't all ...](#)

Field of Schemes-Apr 21, 2014

See, for example Mary Burke, the bicycle corporation heir and former Wisconsin secretary of commerce who is currently seeking the Democratic nomination for ...

[Democrat Brett Hulsey to run for Wisconsin governor](#)

Wisconsin Gazette-Apr 21, 2014

Though his statement focused on challenging Walker, Hulsey's entry into the governor's race would mean he'd first face Mary Burke in a Democratic primary.

[Morning Links for April 22, 2014](#)

Milwaukee Magazine-47 minutes ago

What do Brett Hulsey and 96,000 pounds of hot dogs have in common? ... Brett Hulsey has thrown his hat into the governor's race, forcing a Democratic primary ...

[News from around Wisconsin at 5:28 a.m. CDT](#)

Kansas City Star-1 hour ago

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Capital Times-4 hours ago

You know, when we first learned that Hulsey would be running for governor, he who allegedly tried to join the Republican Caucus last year but got turned down, ...



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### [BC-WI--Wisconsin News Digest, WI](#)

NewsOK.com-9 hours ago

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### [Brett Hulseley running for Wisconsin governor: 'I promise you it will be ...](#)

Madison.com-19 hours ago

Brett Hulseley, D-Madison, is gearing up his 1987 Volkswagon Cabriolet for the ... During his three years in the state Assembly, Hulseley has been alienated by his ...

### [Hulseley announces run for governor](#)

NewsOK.com-12 hours ago

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### [State Rep. Brett Hulseley to run for governor](#)

Madison.com-12 hours ago

State Rep. Brett Hulseley, D-Madison, announced Monday he will seek the Democratic nomination to challenge Gov. Scott Walker in November's gubernatorial ...

### [Rep. Brett Hulseley enters race for governor](#)

Madison.com-by Mary Spicuzza-14 hours ago

Brett Hulseley, D-Madison, made his intentions to enter Wisconsin's gubernatorial race official Monday. He filed paperwork to run for governor of Wisconsin, and ...

### [State Assembly Democrat Brett Hulseley to run for governor](#)

WSAU-20 hours ago

MADISON, WI (WTAQ) - Wisconsin Assembly Democrat Brett Hulseley said Monday he'll run for governor against Mary Burke in a mid-August primary.

### [Hulseley enters race for governor](#)

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There's another Democratic candidate in Wisconsin's gubernatorial race. State Representative Brett Hulse (D-Madison) announced Monday that he's making a ...

### [Hulse Enters Wisconsin's Democratic Run for Governor](#)

WUWM-21 hours ago

Assemblyman Brett Hulse has become the fourth Wisconsin Democrat to declare ... Hulse says, if elected governor, he would reallocate how Wisconsin is ...

### [NYC mayor: May 16 to be Barbara Walters Day](#)

WAOW-21 hours ago

Brett Hulse has announced his candidacy for governor, forcing a Democratic primary against Mary Burke. More >>. State Rep. Brett Hulse has announced his ...

### [Appointed sheriff to seek election to the job](#)

WAOW-21 hours ago

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### [State Rep. Brett Hulse announces run for Wis. governor](#)

ABC7Chicago.com-22 hours ago

Wisconsin Rep. Brett Hulse, D-Madison, talks to the media in an impromptu news conference in the governor's conference room at the state Capitol in Madison, ...

### [Mary Burke Has Challenger In Democratic Gubernatorial Primary](#)

The Wisconsin Free-Apr 21, 2014

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### [On Politics: Rep. Brett Hulse enters race for governor](#)

Juneau County Star-Times-by Mary Spicuzza-Apr 21, 2014

Brett Hulse, D-Madison, said he bought a \$1,200 convertible with campaign money for use in parades, but some are questioning if that was an appropriate use ...

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Wisconsin Gazette-Apr 21, 2014

Hulseley, who runs an energy and environmental consulting business called Better Environmental Solutions, timed his announcement, which came on April 21, for ...

## WISCONSIN LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR

### [Gov. backs Kleefisch if he doesn't finish 2nd term](#)

WHBY-4 hours ago

He says he's worked very closely with Lt. Gov. Rebecca Kleefisch during his first term. He says they're both committed to the agenda that's he's been working on.

## WISCONSIN ATTORNEY GENERAL

### [Ex-judge downplays John Doe vote as factor in his removal from GAB](#)

Milwaukee Journal Sentinel (blog)-2 hours ago

Milwaukee County District Attorney John Chisholm asked for help from Attorney General J.B. Van Hollen, who declined. Officials with the accountability board ...

### [Taxpayer tab: \\$961000 and counting to defend Act 10](#)

Watchdog.org-4 hours ago

Wisconsin Attorney General J.B. Van Hollen lauded Friday's unanimous ruling as a "victory for

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the law and for Wisconsin taxpayers.” But the costs to defend a ...

### [Back in the News](#)

urbanmilwaukee-20 hours ago

-Chisholm and company wanted Republican Attorney General J. B. Van Hollen to lead the probe, but he turned them down, though only after considering the ...

### [It's spring in southern Wisconsin – not so much in the north; Girl ...](#)

River Towns-22 hours ago

Republican Brad Schimel and Democrats Susan Happ, Jon Richards and Ismael Ozanne all had good words for the outgoing JB Van Hollen's pursuit of ...

### [Wisconsin AG candidates all promise to keep up cold case ...](#)

WTAQ-Apr 21, 2014

Republican Brad Schimel and Democrats Susan Happ, Jon Richards, and Ismael Ozanne all had good words for the outgoing J.B. Van Hollen's pursuit of ...

### [New Butler trustees optimistic](#)

Sussex Sun-20 hours ago

Pergande also is facing criminal misconduct charges as a result of incidents not related to the sheriff's investigation, according to District Attorney Brad Schimel.

### [CRIME AND COURT ROUNDUP: The next AG promises to keep the ...](#)

Pierce County Herald-Apr 21, 2014

Republican Brad Schimel and Democrats Susan Happ, Jon Richards, and Ismael Ozanne all had good words for the outgoing J-B Van Hollen's pursuit of ...

## 1ST CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

[What The Ryan/Republican Budget Teaches Us](#)

Forbes-6 minutes ago

When House Budget Chairman Paul Ryan unveiled his latest budget proposal earlier this month, political commentator/consultant Dick Morris warned ...

[Brain Drain: Self-Imposed Term Limits Shuffle Committees, House ...](#)

Roll Call (blog)-7 minutes ago

Also term-limited are Agriculture Chairman Frank D. Lucas of Oklahoma, Budget Chairman Paul D. Ryan of Wisconsin, Oversight and Government Reform ...

[The GOP plan is class warfare disguised as a budget](#)

Central Kentucky News-12 minutes ago

With a party-line vote on April 10, House Republicans passed Budget Committee chair Paul Ryan's so-called Path to Prosperity. It presents the usual GOP ...

[Dick Durbin Wants To Bring Back Earmarks And He's Pushing ...](#)

Huffington Post-26 minutes ago

... by banning earmarks, lawmakers forfeited too much power to the executive branch. Certainly, when you have fiscal conservatives like Rep. Paul Ryan (R-Wis.) ...

[Privatization or Bust: The Big Reveal In Ryan's Latest...](#)

The New Republic-32 minutes ago

Earlier this month, Loren Adler—a policy analyst at the Center for a Responsible Federal Budget—noticed a highly technical, but pivotal change to Paul Ryan's ...

[On upcoming trip, Obama will try to pivot to Asia – again](#)

Sacramento Bee-33 minutes ago

... and members including House Majority Leader Eric Cantor, R-Va., and House Budget Committee Chairman Paul Ryan, R-Wis., back an emphasis on Asia, ...

[Political competition, not racism, changes voter alignments](#)

Human Events-51 minutes ago

This is, after all, what House Budget Chairman Paul Ryan was getting at when he lamented “a culture, in our inner cities in particular, of men not working.

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### [Rosendale says he's been most effective legislator running for US ...](#)

Ravalli Republic-1 hour ago

He said he doesn't support the U.S. House Republican budget written by Budget Chairman Paul Ryan because it would take 10 years to balance the federal ...

### [US-Japan Trade Deal is Coveted, Elusive](#)

Wall Street Journal-2 hours ago

"With respect to trade, we are very supportive of TPP," Paul Ryan, chairman of the House Budget Committee and a frequent and outspoken critic of Mr. Obama, ...

### [Congress is standing in the way of environmental repair](#)

WISC Madison-2 hours ago

Congressman Paul Ryan says no. And frankly not enough Democrats are doing enough to sound the alarm. This is fiddling while Rome burns, only worse.

### [Paul Ryan Pens A Suicide Note For The Republican Party](#)

Forbes-2 hours ago

Well, among other things, 218 Republican congressmen signed their names at the bottom of a political suicide note drafted by Paul Ryan, by voting to pass his ...

### [Elizabeth Warren's needed call for student loan reform](#)

Washington Post-2 hours ago

Paul Ryan's latest budget would slash \$90 billion from Pell grants and start ... discretionary spending that Ryan's budget would add over the next 10 years.

### [2014 TWITTER GAME: ADVANTAGE GOP Congress combats sex ...](#)

Politico-by Scott Wong-2 hours ago

He also chose to go with Rep. Paul Ryan's office account (371,000 followers) vs. the one he used as the GOP's vice presidential nominee, @PRyan (590,000).

### [Whither News? Welcome Propaganda](#)

National Catholic Reporter (blog)-3 hours ago

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Paul Ryan. “Oh, so you're a communist,” said Hannity because, of course, in his universe, those are the only options, support Ryan or become a communist.

### [Can Hillary Clinton rock the cradle and the world?](#)

The Herald | HeraldOnline.com-3 hours ago

Marco Rubio, who looks even younger than his 43 years, and the boyish Rep. Paul Ryan of Wisconsin, 44. New Jersey Gov. Chris Christie looks his age (51), ...

### [Payday loan regulations manitoba](#)

The Grandstand Gazette (blog)-3 hours ago

GOP push for immigration reform thwarted Paul Ryan Popular parts of Obamacare too costly to reinstate after repeal Bush familys return to the spotlight may ...

### [The Golden Age of Government by Groupon](#)

Daily Beast-4 hours ago

Paul Ryan, is one of the phoniest documents since CBS revealed George Bush's Alabama National Guard records. It's filled with tricks and gimmicks—chief ...

### [High-stakes hunger games](#)

New York Daily News-6 hours ago

Paul Ryan's latest budget would cap spending starting in 2020 and slice the country's biggest nutrition assistance program by \$125 billion over five years, while ...

### [Las Vegas/Phoenix highway project wins support of Maryland ...](#)

Las Vegas Review-Journal-6 hours ago

Paul Ryan's budget committee to increase funding, possibly by raising federal fuel taxes. Federal gas taxes haven't been increased since 1993, but locally, ...

### [The Gospel of FrancisPublish Date: Apr 22, 2014](#)

New Vision-7 hours ago

POPE John XXIII and Pope John Paul II are the odd couple of modern Roman ... like Republican US Congressmen Paul Ryan and John Boehner or powerful ...

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### [Dana Milbank, Washington Post: GOP rift marked by squabbles ...](#)

Waco Tribune-Herald-8 hours ago

Paul Ryan, though neither is a secessionist, would have to emphasize their states' sovereignty positions, as would Cinderellas in this bracket: Govs. Mike Pence ...

### [TONKIN: Senate candidate Ben Sasse will provide new voice in ...](#)

Daily Nebraskan-8 hours ago

Well-known politicians such as Sarah Palin, Paul Ryan, Kay Orr and Tom Coburn all endorse Sasse. Organizations such as Gun Owners of America, Club for ...

### [A racist PhD for hire](#)

Socialist Worker Online-9 hours ago

Paul Ryan (R-Wis.), who passes as a "serious thinker" in Washington, brought down a cascade of well-deserved criticism on his head. Ryan's House colleague ...

### [Why poverty across the world should matter to Americans](#)

Mason City Globe Gazette-9 hours ago

Earlier this month the House passed a budget authored by Budget Chairman Paul Ryan, R-Wis., that cuts foreign aid by 11 percent. It would also cut spending ...

### [Future of Human Rights](#)

C-SPAN-10 hours ago

Unidentified Speaker IS VISITING THE PRIME MINISTER THERE. A QUOTE FROM PAUL RYAN IN THE WALL STREET JOURNAL, HE WRITES, WE WANT TO ...

### [Jim Hightower: Ryan's joke is on us](#)

Bemidji Pioneer-11 hours ago

Paul Ryan, the Republican Party's highly touted budget guru, doesn't have a very ... Ryan's "alternative" to the status quo is taking Americans back to the harsh ...

### [In Tokyo, US Congressional Leaders Urge Abe to Take Bold Action](#)

Wall Street Journal (blog)-12 hours ago

... and autos," said U.S. House Budget Committee Chairman Paul Ryan, the 2012 Republican vice presidential candidate and an outspoken critic of Mr. Obama.



[MSNBC's Sharpton Slams 'Brutal Republican Budget That Guts ...](#)

NewsBusters (blog)-13 hours ago

On the Monday, April 21, PoliticsNation on MSNBC, Al Sharpton began his show by assailing Wisconsin Republican Rep. Paul Ryan for his budget plan as the ...

**2ND CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

[Verona library to host Congressional Art Competition gallery](#)

WISC Madison-17 hours ago

Rep. Mark Pocan (D-Wis.) announced Monday that this year's Congressional Art Competition gallery will be held at the Verona Public Library. The gallery will be ...

**3RD CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

[Dunn County Datebook](#)

Chippewa Herald-Apr 19, 2014

Ron Kind listening session: 2:15-3:45 p.m. at Dunn County Judicial Center (Rm. ... Ron Johnson mobile office hours: 1:30-2:30 p.m. at Boyceville Village Hall ...

['Spring It On!' focused on health and wellness](#)

Swnews4u-Apr 18, 2014

Hooker will prepare a free light lunch to be served at 11:15 a.m. Honored guests for the event include US Congressman Ron Kind, State Senator Jennifer ...

**4TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT**

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### [Republicans would balance budget on backs of the poor](#)

FinalCall.com News-Apr 18, 2014

Gwen Moore (D-Wis.) said in a statement after the adoption of a 10-year spending plan authored by fellow Wisconsin Representative and Budget Committee ...

### [Legislators voice concern about VA's national work queue](#)

The Ripon Advance-Apr 18, 2014

Gwen Moore (D-Wis.) led a meeting between the Wisconsin congressional delegation and VA representatives. The national work queue was established to ...

## 5TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

### [38 GOP lawmakers join Ron Johnson's Obamacare lawsuit](#)

Washington Post (blog)-22 minutes ago

Jim Sensenbrenner (R-Wis.), among others, had urged the first-term senator not to proceed with his suit, saying it was a fruitless attempt to stop the law. Notably ...

### [An 'unfortunate political stunt' gets broad GOP support](#)

MSNBC-by Steve Benen-1 hour ago

Jim Sensenbrenner (R), who's part of the same Wisconsin congressional delegation as Johnson, called the senator's lawsuit "frivolous" and an "unfortunate ...

### [READ IN: Tuesday, April 22, 2014: Biden announces Ukraine help ...](#)

Washington Post (blog)-2 hours ago

Jim Sensenbrenner (R-Wis.) has urged Johnson to drop the suit. -- As many as half of the members who chair House committees could be forced to step down ...

### [Senators Join to Support Lawsuit Challenging Legality of Obamacare](#)

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Newsmax.com-2 hours ago

Jim Sensenbrenner, a longtime Obamacare opponent, called the lawsuit "an ... is a "frivolous" "distraction" from efforts to repeal Obamacare, Sensenbrenner ...

### 6TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

#### [Harris outlines Wisconsin congressional campaign](#)

Houston Chronicle-7 minutes ago

MILWAUKEE (AP) — Winnebago County Executive Mark Harris says he plans to campaign on four key issues as he runs to replace U.S. Rep. Tom Petri.

#### [Harris will run as Democrat to succeed Petri](#)

The Sheboygan Press-24 minutes ago

Winnebago County Executive Mark Harris is the first Democrat to enter the 6th Congressional District race to succeed Rep. Tom Petri. Harris, 58, wants to ...

#### [2 candidates to enter race for Petri's seat](#)

WISC Madison-31 minutes ago

2 candidates to enter race for Petri's seat. Published On: ... MILWAUKEE -. Two more candidates are expected to enter the race to replace U.S. Rep. Tom Petri.

#### [Former Dodge County sheriff exploring run for congressional seat](#)

Fond du Lac Reporter-1 hour ago

Tom Petri. Nehls, 53, who retired from his post as sheriff in March of 2013, feels his 35 years in law enforcement has provided him with significant experience ...

#### [Letter: Crawford remarks a 'baseless diatribe'](#)

Herald Times Reporter-2 hours ago

and claims that Congressman Tom Petri and state Sen. Mike Ellis were "...destroyed by unknown party insiders." Of course they are unknown. They exist only in ...

#### [The State of Politics](#)

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urbanmilwaukee-Apr 21, 2014

Hours later, 6th District Congressman Tom Petri said 35 years in the U.S. House is enough, thank you. The Republican, Wisconsin's second longest-serving ...

[Journal Times editorial: Open government means open ...](#)

Journal Times-9 hours ago

Glenn Grothman,. R-West Bend, finds this a troubling precedent. "I think the Legislature ought to revisit the issue," Grothman, who recently announced plans to ...

### 7TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

[Colorado higher-ed lessens plan to tie performance to state funding ...](#)

www.politicsinstereo.com-9 mins ago

Wisconsin. Sierra Club endorses Kelly Westlund for Congress. POSTED 04.22. 2014 ON Blogging Blue. South Dakota. Minor Refutation: Daugaard Aide Says ...

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"I think it's the right move to make," Congressman Reid Ribble said, the Republican representing Wisconsin's 8th Congressional District. "I mean these nations ...

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The U-S-D-A said the Badger State churned out two-point-four billion pounds of ... for the seat to be vacated by G-O-P Senate President Mike Ellis of Neenah.

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One of the state Legislature's leading conservatives, state Sen. ... He or she is conducting the business of all of the people of the State of Wisconsin, not just you.

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Roger Roth announced Monday he is running to replace outgoing Sen. ... legislature, governor's office and other state politics in Madison and around Wisconsin.

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APPLETON — Former Republican state representative Roger Roth said ... and a privilege to serve the people of Wisconsin and I greatly look forward to doing my part ... that after considering a run at the seat, he would focus on the Assembly.

### [Chris Rickert: Undergrad Scott Walker? More like professor Scott ...](#)

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The state sets bag limits for non-tribal anglers to offset the number of fish taken by the ... Dean Kaufert, chairman of the Assembly's tourism committee, said sports ...

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During his three years in the state Assembly, Hulseby has been alienated by his ... iron mine in northern Wisconsin and restore the public funding Republicans cut ...

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Hulseby faced two primary challengers for his Assembly seat. ... The Wisconsin State AFL-CIO and the statewide teachers union Wisconsin Education Association ...

### [Scott Walker announces Family Care expansion in northeast](#)

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Family Care is already available in 57 of Wisconsin's 72 counties, and supporters have long pushed for bringing it to the rest of the state. ... Assembly Speaker Robin Vos (R-Rochester) and some other Republicans have been skeptical about ...

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The state's largest law enforcement group is embracing a new bill that could change ... Assembly Bill 409 would require the investigation to involve two people from ... The Wisconsin Professional Police Association is in favor of the bill saying it ...

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"Governor Walker has failed to get Wisconsin working again, and my plan, which was ... Hulseby must give up his seat in the state Assembly to run for governor.

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Roth, 36, served in the Assembly from 2007 to 2011. The nephew of former ... Three Republicans who had been considering a run — state Rep. Dave Murphy of ...

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Chairs of Assembly and Senate education committees, Kestell and Olsen ... “Similar trends do not appear to be taking place in the state Democratic Party right ...

### [Ramthun announces run for 59th Assembly seat](#)

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... common-sense philosophies restored the past few years within state government. The overall welfare of Wisconsin families, specifically job-creation, lowering ...

### [Lehman to run for Kaufert's Assembly seat](#)

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“If elected to the Assembly, I will use my 42 years of private and 16 years of public ... our district and the state of Wisconsin,” Lehman said in his announcement.

### [State Assembly Democrat Brett Hulseby to run for governor](#)

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MADISON, WI (WTAQ) - Wisconsin Assembly Democrat Brett Hulseby said Monday he'll run for governor against Mary Burke in a mid-August primary.

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There's another Democratic candidate in Wisconsin's gubernatorial race. ... Hulsey has been in the state Assembly for 4 years and served on the Dane County ...

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Spring has definitely sprung in southern Wisconsin where it was 64 degrees at 4 a.m. this ... It was generally in the 50's in the state's mid-section and the 50's and .... Richards, a Milwaukee Assembly Democrat, said he would urge lawmakers to ...

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The Republican, Wisconsin's second longest-serving member of Congress, ... ago, Kestell was considered one of the most conservative Assembly Republicans.

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... the University of Wisconsin System and technical colleges. Hulsey has been in the state Assembly for four years and served on the Dane County Board for 14 ...

### [On Politics: Rep. Brett Hulsey enters race for governor](#)

Juneau County Star-Times-by Mary Spicuzza-Apr 21, 2014

State Journal reporters Matthew DeFour and Mary Spicuzza bring you their takes ... State Park rather than the controversial mine planned for Northern Wisconsin. ... Hulsey was first elected to the state Assembly in 2010, and previously served ..