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MAJORITY LEADER NELSON, REPRESENTATIVE BERNARD SCHABER: STATE INCENTIVES HELP CREATE 80 JOBS IN APPLETON

APPLETON – Assembly Majority Leader Thomas Nelson (D-Kaukauna) and Representative Penny Bernard Schaber (D-Appleton) announced today that Pacon Corporation of Appleton plans to expand, creating 80 local jobs. The expansion was made possible by \$500,000 in job creation incentives passed by the legislature last year.

“Through targeted job creation and retention incentives, streamlined regulations, and increased direct investments, Assembly Democrats have worked to strengthen the economy and get people back to work,” said Representative Nelson. “Today’s announcement is yet another example of how these efforts are working.”

Last year, Assembly Democrats passed \$200 million in targeted incentives to help businesses expand and create new jobs. The programs have helped dozens of Wisconsin companies hire new workers and encouraged businesses to relocate to the state. Using \$500,000 in state tax credits, Pacon Corporation was able to make a \$2 million investment in Appleton.

“Although we still have a long way to go before a complete economic recovery, I am confident that we are making progress,” said Representative Bernard Schaber. “The initiatives Assembly Democrats championed have helped businesses make critical new investments and get people back to work.”

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