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## Kim Hixson (Dem.), 43rd Assembly District

Born Chattanooga, TN, July 26, 1957; married; 3 children. Graduate Chattanooga H.S.; A.A. in broadcasting Chattanooga State; B.A. in advertising and English U. of Tennessee-Chattanooga; M.A. in professional writing U. of Tennessee-Chattanooga; Ph.D. in Journalism Southern Illinois U. Associate professor, UW-Whitewater. Member: American Academy of Advertising; Association for Education in Journalism and Mass Communication; International Association of Business Disciplines; TAUWP-AFT. Recipient: UW-Whitewater College of Arts and Communication Excellence Award for Service 2005. City of Whitewater Common Council 2004-07; Council President 2005-06.

Elected to Assembly 2006. Biennial committee assignments: 2007 — Aging and Long-Term Care; Education; Financial Institutions; Rural Economic Development (eff. 3/20/07).

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## Michael J. Sheridan (Dem.), 44th Assembly District

Born Janesville, September 17, 1958; married; 3 children, 2 grandchildren. Graduate Parker H.S. (Janesville) 1977; Associates degree UW-Rock County (Janesville) 2004. UAW President. Former auto assembly worker; UAW vice president. Member: Janesville Performing Arts Center (bd. of dir.); Wisconsin UAW CAP (exec. vice chp.); Rock Co. Labor Coalition; NAACP; LCLAA; Boy Scouts of America; UAW/GM Charity Raffle Organizing Com. Former member: United Way (bd. mbr.); Blackhawk Tech. Foundation (bd. mbr.); Leadership Development Academy (bd. of dir.); Boys and Girls Club (bd. of dir.); Janesville School District ATODA (com. mbr.); UAW Education Com.; Laborfest (treas.); UAW Veterans Com.

Elected to Assembly 2004; reelected 2006. Biennial committee assignments: 2007 — Jobs and the Economy; Labor and Industry; Transportation. 2005 — Insurance; Labor; Small Business; Workforce Development; Jt. Select Com. on Road to the Future.

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Born Norwalk, CT, August 13, 1946. Graduate New Canaan H.S. (Conn.) 1964; A.B. Dartmouth Coll. 1968; M.A. Princeton U. 1970; attended Duke U.; M.D. U. of Conn. Medical School 1979. Full-time legislator. Retired physician (neurologist); former high school math and science teacher. Member: Wisconsin Medical Society; American Academy of Neurology; American Assoc. for Advancement of Science; Beloit Mem. Hospital Ethics Com. (co-founder); League of Conservation Voters; Physicians for Social Responsibility; Union of Concerned Scientists; Bowhay Institute for Legislative Leadership Development 2006.

Elected to Assembly 2004; reelected 2006. Biennial committee assignments: 2007 — Health and Health Care Reform; Homeland Security and State Preparedness; Public Health (also 2005); State Affairs (also 2005). 2005 — Health; Medicaid Reform; Rural Affairs and Renewable Energy.

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