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UW President Katherine Lyall: An Extraordinary Academic Leader

Washington, DC – U.S. Rep. Ron Kind (D-WI) released the following statement in response to today's announcement by Katherine Lyall, President of the University of Wisconsin System, that she would be stepping down from the position in August of this year:

“The University of Wisconsin System will endure a great loss when Katherine Lyall leaves her position as System President in August of this year. Under her leadership the UW System has expanded educational opportunities, excelled in its service to students and continues to serve as a national paradigm for excellence in higher education. Furthermore, she has been a tremendous visionary in promoting the University of Wisconsin System as an institution of the highest quality.

“I wish the very best to Katherine in her future role with the Carnegie Foundation, and I thank her for her exemplary service to the people of Wisconsin. It has been a pleasure working with her over the years on behalf of the five comprehensive UW campuses and one two-year college located in the Third Congressional District of Wisconsin, and I know she will be sorely missed in the Badger State.”