

The Economic Forum™

712 Main Street, La Crosse, WI 54601

49th Economic Forum™ ***“94th Wisconsin Assembly Debate: Embracing Wisconsin’s Opportunities & Challenges”***

Nearly 170 members of the business community, local government officials, education and labor leaders gathered for the 49th sitting of LADCO’s Economic Forum™ on Tuesday, April 19th.

Those in attendance heard the two post-primary candidates running for the 94th Wisconsin Assembly Representative seat, Democrat Steve Doyle and Republican John Lautz. The debate was moderated by Catherine Kolkmeier of the League of Women Voters.

Both candidates had the opportunity to address many of the issues of most importance to the 94th District and the State of Wisconsin including the 2011-2013 biennial budget and its effects on local governments and school districts, collective bargaining, transportation initiatives, protection of vulnerable populations and more. Candidates also had the opportunity to share information on their background, experiences and perspectives on what they would bring to the state legislature.

The special general election is slated for Tuesday, May 3rd.

LADCO’s Economic Forum™ series, co-sponsored by the La Crosse Area Chamber of Commerce, is devoted to “issues or trends that will have a major impact on the area economy”. The 50th anniversary of The Economic Forum™ will be held later in 2011.



Steve Doyle (D)



John Lautz (R)

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