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OUR HEALTH CARE TASK FORCE NEEDS YOUR HELP NOW!

Gov. Walker has rejected \$4.4 billion dollars in Federal funds to improve BadgerCare. Sen. Dale Schultz is trying to convince his fellow Republicans to overrule Walker's decision.

SEN. SCHULTZ NEEDS OUR SIGNATURES!

Please [click here](#) to download a petition which the Grassroots Health Care Task Force urges you to sign and mail to Sen. Schultz. Encourage your friends to sign it as well. This action is vitally important for our rural communities. The health of many of our low income residents during the early implementation of the Affordable Care Act is at stake. Our rural hospitals are also at risk because many more patients will require uncompensated care. County Boards will be faced with increased costs for mental health, substance abuse and children's development disabilities - which would be paid for by these rejected Federal funds. That means cuts in other vital county services or higher property taxes.

THANKS FOR BEING PART OF OUR HEALTH CARE TEAM

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