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Statement on the Passing of Secretary Kitty Rhoades

The Wisconsin Personal Services Association (WPSA) issued the following statement on the passing of Department of Health Services (DHS) Secretary Kitty Rhoades:

We are shocked and saddened to learn of DHS Secretary Rhoades' passing. Throughout her career, Secretary Rhoades was a fierce advocate for Wisconsin's long-term care system. She was committed to making sure that people with disabilities and older adults had the right to remain living in their own homes and communities. Secretary Rhoades was always eager to meet with stakeholders and never hesitated to offer her thoughts on tough public policy issues. She will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with her family.

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