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Dear Colleagues,

As Session has come to a close, we are reminded of the continuing task in front of us. The charge of governing well includes balancing the budget, keeping state departments in check, and collaborating amongst the legislative body to ensure that our shared conservative values are protected well. I would be honored to walk alongside you in fulfilling these shared goals as your Majority Floor Leader starting in 2023.

The honor of serving as your Assistant Majority Floor Leader is one that I do not take for granted. You have been gracious as the learning curves have come around the corners, and we've worked through them together. It has been rewarding to see the victories for individual members, whether through constituent service or policy work on the floor.

As your Majority Floor Leader, you have my commitment that I will say what I mean and do as I say to lead our caucus. I've served on the Budget Committee; handled policy; and know what it means to bring members together on policy from both sides of the building, with the outcome of seeing members' bills cross the finish line to the Governor's desk. I understand that our process and position in the House is to be respected. As a negotiator in the private sector, I understand the need to ensure that Missouri's families have a voice. Making sure your district's voice is heard right alongside my own is very important to me as we navigate the journey ahead together.

In between this awaited leadership race and now is another legislative session, and the opportunity to continue serving you as Assistant Majority Floor Leader. My commitment to you, no matter the day, is to implement strategic planning and teamwork into our shared vision of keeping Missouri strong, and help hold the Republican Supermajority. You will find in me a deep respect for our differences as a caucus, because our individual districts are what make us stronger than ever as we work together towards a better Missouri for all who will follow us.

I look forward to discussions with members this summer, and the opportunity to earn your vote and trust to serve as your next Majority Floor Leader. We've got lots of work ahead to be successful in the 2022 Legislative Session and General Election. Together, the best is yet to come!

Respectfully,
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