

314 Action Fund Endorses Gov. Evers, STEM ticket for Office in Wisconsin

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Group says electing pro-science STEM leaders is more important than ever, as the fate of issues including reproductive rights, education, and even democracy itself are all falling on states to decide.

PHILADELPHIA, PA - Tuesday, 314 Action Fund reaffirmed its previous endorsements of former science teacher and sitting Governor Tony Evers and Democratic Lieutenant Governor nominee Sara Rodriguez, along with its new endorsement of Secretary of State Doug La Follette. Rodriguez, a sitting State Representative, is a registered nurse and epidemiologist and Dr. La Follette is a Ph.D. organic chemist and former chemistry professor.



Electing this slate of pro-science STEM leaders is more important than ever for Wisconsinites, as the fate of issues including reproductive rights, education, and even the integrity of democracy itself are all falling on states to decide with the Supreme Court's conservative majority taking a suddenly aggressive approach to stripping back the rights of millions of

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Americans.

314 Action Fund has raised nearly \$400,000 for Gov. Evers re-election campaign and contributed \$35,000. The organization also made a maximum contribution to Rodriguez' campaign for \$26,000. **Additionally, 314 Action Fund is currently running a six figure statewide program aimed at educating persuadable voters on Republican Governor nominee Tim Michels' views in favor of banning abortion,** [you can view our digital ad here](#)

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"Governor Tony Evers' veto pen could be the one thing that protects reproductive rights for millions of Wisconsin women," Shaughnessy Naughton, president of 314 Action, said. "It could not be more important to re-elect him to office this year given the host of issues that could fall to states to decide, along with Sara Rodriguez and Dr. Doug LaFollette, who have both pledged a pro-science platform and an evidence-based approach to policymaking once in office. "



"I am proud to have the endorsement of 314 Action Fund in my re-election campaign. As a former public school science teacher, I know how important it is to listen to facts and evidence when making decisions about the future of our state. From investing in our public schools to protecting access to healthcare, I'm focused on building a better and brighter future for all Wisconsinites," Gov. Tony Evers said.

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