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"Wisconsin a step closer to green jobs and stronger economy: Representative Zepnick applauds work of Milwaukee Community Service Corps"

Milwaukee Community Service Corps received national approval to train solar installer:

Milwaukee – Today, State Representative Josh Zepnick (D-Milwaukee) issued the following statement: "The Milwaukee Community Service Corps has been a leader for many years in training young people for skilled trades and many participants who come from diverse racial and economic backgrounds have gone onto great careers at jobs with a strong future and good pay. This is exactly the kind of initiative that Wisconsin needs to see more of, where energy reform, job training, and economic stimulus all converge to help grow Wisconsin's economy and provide opportunity for folks who otherwise might be unemployed or in worse trouble."

"As an early supporter in 1991 of the Milwaukee Community Service Corps, I helped to raise money and promote MCSC with various public and private sector stakeholders. My contributions to the service corps are small in comparison to founder Tony Perez or civic leaders like Pat Curley and Mayor Tom Barrett, but I am proud of MCSC's accomplishments and their continuation of the legacy built by FDR's Civilian Conservation Corps which helped millions of Americans avoid poverty during the Great Depression, maintained the dignity of work in times of national and global struggle, and left a legacy of important public projects like schools, national and local parks, roads and bridges, etc. for future generations to enjoy."

Now we are at a point where we need to re-tend to those very same public institutions and infrastructure, all while helping planet earth stay in one piece and creating good paying jobs so workers can raise a family, own a home and get ahead in life.

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