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Saskatchewan MLA Travis Keisig Elected to Serve as Canada Vice President of the Pacific NorthWest Economic Region (PNWER)

Keisig to serve as vice chair of bi-national nonprofit organization

WHISTLER, BC – The Pacific NorthWest Economic Region’s (PNWER) Delegate Council elected Travis Keisig, Member of the Legislative Assembly of Saskatchewan for Last Mountain-Touchwood, to serve in the role of PNWER Canada vice president at the PNWER Annual Summit in Whistler, BC, July 21.

Keisig will represent the Government of Saskatchewan during his term on the PNWER board, which includes a president and four vice presidents – two from the U.S. and two from Canada. PNWER elected officers serve the organization’s 10 member jurisdictions and work collaboratively to identify solutions to regional challenges.

Keisig was elected as the MLA for Last Mountain-Touchwood in the 2020 provincial election. He serves as a member of the Standing Committee on the Intergovernmental Affairs and Justice, and is legislative secretary to the Minister of Crown Investments Corporation.

“I am humbled and excited to be elected vice president on the PNWER board. Throughout my term I will prioritize finding solutions to economic issues and ensure PNWER remains a non-partisan organization,” Keisig said. “I will also work with Matt Morrison and his team to ensure conferences remain relevant, timely and thought provoking. I look forward to starting my role, meeting, and engaging with many great people across our collective jurisdictions.”

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ABOUT PNWER

The Pacific NorthWest Economic Region (PNWER) is a public/private non-profit organization created by statute in 1991. Member jurisdictions include Alaska, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, and Washington, and the Canadian provinces and territories of Alberta, British Columbia, the Northwest Territories, Saskatchewan, and the Yukon. PNWER’s mission is to increase the economic well-being and quality of life for all citizens of the region; identify and promote "models of success" and serve as a conduit to exchange information. For more information on PNWER, visit www.pnwer.org.

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