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Prominent Union Endorsements Propel Momentum—United Steelworkers District 7 Endorses State Rep. Stephanie Kifowit for Illinois Comptroller.

AURORA, IL – United Steelworkers (USW) District 7 has given its endorsement of State Representative Stephanie Kifowit for Illinois Comptroller, citing her unwavering pro-labor record, her deep financial expertise, and her visionary plan to protect workers' rights and pensions through the Comptroller's office.

“I am deeply honored to earn the endorsement of the United Steelworkers, whose members are the backbone of our state’s industrial and manufacturing economy,” stated Kifowit. “These hardworking Illinoisans know that the Comptroller must be a guardian of the checkbook and a protector for those who build and sustain our communities. They recognize that my experience, especially helping working men and women through the 2 ½ year budget impasse, is essential for an effective Comptroller’s office that works for everyone, including the working class that built this country.”

This endorsement underscores the broad, growing labor coalition uniting behind Kifowit’s campaign. Her over 90% AFL-CIO voting record in the General Assembly demonstrates a career-long commitment to working families. During the state’s unprecedented 2 ½-year budget impasse, Kifowit was a key member of the budget working group that fought to restore funding and stability, and she continues that work on the budget working group today.

The endorsement from United Steelworkers District 7, representing members all across Illinois, joins a diverse and expanding coalition of labor support, including the United Union of Roofers, Waterproofers and Allied Workers Local 11, Painters District Councils 14, 30, and 58, the National Association of Letter Carriers Local 219, and the Illinois Federation of Public Employees Local 4408.

About Stephanie Kifowit:

Stephanie Kifowit, has a Masters in Public Administration from NIU, is a U.S. Marine Corps Veteran, a former registered financial advisor, served on the Aurora City Council for almost 10 years, and is a State Representative with over 12 years of extensive state budget experience in the Illinois General Assembly. Being raised in a working-class family, she has built a career as a relentless fiscal expert and a champion for workers, Veterans, and taxpayers. She is running for Comptroller to bring discipline, integrity, and accountability to the management of Illinois' finances.

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