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## 2025-2026 HOUSE MAJORITY LEADERSHIP ANNOUNCED

**PIERRE** – The newly-elected House Republicans met in caucus November 8, 2024, to elect majority leadership positions and nominate candidates for the positions of Speaker of the House and Speaker Pro Tempore for the 2025-2026 Legislative term.

House Republicans nominated Jon Hansen for Speaker of the House and Karla Lems for Speaker Pro Tempore. The following members were elected to majority leadership positions in the House:

Majority Leader:	Scott Odenbach
Assistant Majority Leader:	Marty Overweg
Majority Whip:	Jessica Bahmuller
Majority Whip:	Les Heinemann
Majority Whip:	Greg Jamison
Majority Whip:	Brandei Schaefbauer
Majority Whip:	Bethany Soye

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