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Dr. Philip Johnson Begins Term as WVMA President

MADISON – Dr. Philip Johnson, Winneconne, assumed the presidency of the Wisconsin Veterinary Medical Association (WVMA) at its 94th Annual Convention on Friday, October 9. He will serve as president for one year.

Dr. Johnson has worked as a mixed animal practitioner at the Omro Animal Hospital/Winneconne Veterinary Clinic for 27 years. However, in April 2007, he and his partner transitioned the practice to exclusively companion animal work. Dr. Johnson received his bachelor's degree in animal sciences and degree in veterinary medicine from Iowa State University in 1981.

Dr. Johnson has remained an active participant in organized veterinary medicine since graduation as a member of the American Veterinary Medical Association, Northeastern Wisconsin Veterinary Medical Association, and WVMA. In the WVMA, Dr. Johnson has served on the legislative, public education, marketing, awards & recognition, and executive committees. He also is a past member of the Executive Board for District Four and Best Practices Task Force.

The Wisconsin Veterinary Medical Association works to advocate and promote veterinary medicine, while enriching animal and human health. It serves nearly 2,400 licensed member veterinarians.

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