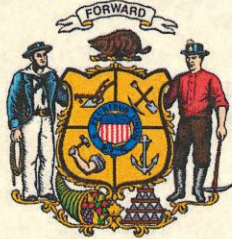


# STATE of WISCONSIN



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## Proclamation

*WHEREAS*; aromanticism is a broad-spectrum term that refers to the romantic orientation in which an individual experiences little to no romantic attraction to others or remains uninterested in romantic relationships; and

*WHEREAS*; individuals on the aromantic spectrum often face unique challenges such as erasure, misunderstanding, and stigmatization, resulting in many individuals often feeling isolated or marginalized; and

*WHEREAS*; Aromantic Spectrum Awareness Week provides an opportunity to increase public awareness and understanding of aromantic experiences as well as foster a culture of inclusivity and acceptance in an effort to help aromantic individuals feel more accepted and comfortable in expressing their identity; and

*WHEREAS*; on this occasion, the state of Wisconsin joins activists, organizations, and the aromantic community and their loved ones in encouraging open discussions and educational efforts to dispel myths, challenge stereotypes, and create a more inclusive, supportive environment for all;

*NOW, THEREFORE*, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,

do hereby proclaim February 15 – 21, 2026, as

## AROMANTIC SPECTRUM AWARENESS WEEK

throughout the State of Wisconsin, and I commend this observance  
to all our state's residents.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 16th day of January 2026.

TONY EVERS  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

SARAH GODLEWSKI  
Secretary of State