

WHEREAS; each and every day, employees of federal, state, county, Tribal, and local governments strive to perform their jobs with integrity, competence, and professionalism, demonstrating a deep commitment to their communities and to all those they serve; and

WHEREAS; Wisconsin's public servants and state employees—including educators, public safety officers, scientists, social workers, doctors, public health professionals, emergency management officers, correctional officers, veteran service providers, and countless other professionals—provide critical services that are vital to making every level of government more responsive and effective in meeting the needs of individuals in every corner of the state; and

WHEREAS; millions of Wisconsinites benefit from and depend on the work of public servants and state employees every day, and every state employee and public servant deserves our utmost respect and gratitude for their vital work serving the people of the state; and

WHEREAS; on this occasion, the state of Wisconsin joins all Wisconsinites in thanking state employees and public servants for their many important contributions and in affirming that the work they do is valued, respected, and essential to the prosperity of the state;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim May 3 through 9 2026 as

PUBLIC SERVICE RECOGNITION WEEK

and May 6 2026 as

STATE EMPLOYEE APPRECIATION DAY

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 23rd day of April 2026.



TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:



SARAH GODLEWSKI, Secretary of State