

# STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

## Proclamation

*WHEREAS*; water is the most valuable and vital natural resource, and the state of Wisconsin is committed to guaranteeing access to clean water across the state and ensuring the health and safety of all those living in and visiting Wisconsin; and

*WHEREAS*; the Wisconsin Wastewater Monitoring Program provides critical public health information and is a pillar of the state's public health program; and

*WHEREAS*; the success of this program relies on the dedicated wastewater professionals across Wisconsin to collect and submit wastewater samples for disease monitoring that enables rapid and cost-efficient tracking and evaluation of public health threats; and

*WHEREAS*; many Wisconsinites are unaware of the critical role that wastewater professionals play in public health response, and the sacrifices they have made on behalf of the state's shared mission of promoting and protecting the health of the people of Wisconsin; and

*WHEREAS*; on this occasion, the state of Wisconsin joins the Wisconsin Department of Health Services, alongside dedicated advocates, organizations, and professionals, in celebrating wastewater professionals for their dedicated service to protecting and promoting the health, safety, and overall well-being of all Wisconsinites;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,  
do hereby proclaim May 22, 2025, as

### WASTEWATER PROFESSIONALS 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 16th day  
of May 2025.

A stylized signature of Tony Evers in blue ink.  
TONY EVERS  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor

A stylized signature of Sarah Godlewski in blue ink.  
SARAH GODLEWSKI  
Secretary of State

