

WHEREAS; originally inspired by France’s national music holiday, Fête de la Musique, and observed annually on the summer solstice, Make Music Day is a global one-day festival that celebrates the creation of music by encouraging musicians to perform in public spaces in dozens of cities and countries around the world; and

WHEREAS; in Wisconsin, Make Music Day involves both professional and amateur musicians, bands, orchestras, and ensembles making music in-person and virtually—all completely free for musicians and audiences alike— and showcases a diverse array of styles and genres, from classical, hip hop, jazz, and blues to folk, pop, rock, rap, Americana, and world music; and

WHEREAS; this year, the communities participating in Make Music Day Wisconsin include Amery, Appleton, Ashland, Beloit, Cable, DeForest, Green Bay, Kenosha, Land O’Lakes, Madison, Middleton, Milwaukee, Platteville, Spooner-Shell Lake, Stevens Point, Sun Prairie, Superior, Verona, and Waunakee; and

WHEREAS; today, the state of Wisconsin joins the communities participating in Make Music Day Wisconsin in celebrating the creation of music and recognizing music as a universal language capable of uniting all Wisconsinites and people;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim June 21 2026 as

MAKE MUSIC DAY WISCONSIN

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 10th day of June 2026.

TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:

SARAH GODLEWSKI, Secretary of State