

WHEREAS; on August 14, 1935, President Franklin D. Roosevelt signed the Social Security Act into law, establishing one of the most transformative and enduring social programs in American history; and

WHEREAS; since 1935, Social Security has stood as one of the nation’s most effective anti-poverty programs, aiming to assist individuals with disabilities, uplift seniors so they can retire comfortably, protect families and children from financial instability due to job loss or the death of a family member, and help pull families out of poverty; and

WHEREAS; serving more than 1.3 million Wisconsinites, the Social Security Administration has faithfully served the American people for decades, representing the fundamental values of hard work, shared responsibility, and a commitment to caring for one another; and

WHEREAS; on the 90th anniversary of the enactment of the Social Security Act, the state of Wisconsin recognizes the countless contributions of employees and partners of the Social Security Administration and joins federal, local, Tribal, and state partners in celebrating the importance of Social Security as a vital resource for Wisconsinites;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim August 14 2025 as

NATIONAL SOCIAL SECURITY 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 13th day of August 2025.

TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:

SARAH GODLEWSKI, Secretary of State