

# STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

## Proclamation

*WHEREAS*; National Bratwurst Day provides an opportunity to celebrate Wisconsin's unique contributions to American cuisine and the state's leadership in the meat processing industry; and

*WHEREAS*; a nod to Wisconsin's rich German history, bratwursts or brats have long been a staple of Wisconsin's culinary heritage and may be paired with sauerkraut, potato salad, fries, or any other number of special Wisconsin delicacies, including a beer selection from one of Wisconsin's over 200 nationally renowned and local breweries; and

*WHEREAS*; a yearlong delicacy, bratwursts are especially popular during Wisconsin's summer grilling season, Oktoberfest, and sporting events, from little leagues to professional baseball, football, tailgating, and concession stands across the state; and

*WHEREAS*; National Bratwurst Day encourages community engagement, promotes Wisconsin's vibrant food industry, and supports local businesses that contribute to the state's economy and cultural identity; and

*WHEREAS*; more than just a meal, bratwursts symbolize a deep-rooted tradition of hospitality and quality cuisine, bringing together family, friends, and neighbors to indulge in an iconic food staple that honors the state's history and supports local businesses and industries; and


*WHEREAS*; today, the state of Wisconsin joins all Wisconsinites and bratwurst enthusiasts across the state in celebrating the bratwurst;

*NOW, THEREFORE*, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim August 16, 2024, as


### NATIONAL BRATWURST 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 15th day of August 2024.

  
TONY EVERS  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

  
SARAH GODLEWSKI  
Secretary of State

