

WHEREAS; the “Here’s to the Farmer” Farm Tour was started in 2009 to celebrate and give thanks to America’s farmers while also raising funds for farmers, farming communities, and to fight hunger across the Midwest; and

WHEREAS; this year, Klondike Farms in Brooklyn, Wisconsin, will host the fourth stop on the “Here’s to the Farmer” Farm Tour, welcoming local farmers, community members, and country music fans alike; and

WHEREAS; altogether, Wisconsin farmers operate more than 58,500 farms, spanning 13.8 million acres of land across the state, that provide nutritious and affordable food, maintain supply chains, and feed families throughout the state and around the world; and

WHEREAS; despite the state’s robust agricultural industry, according to Feeding America, nearly 700,000 people, or one in eight adults and one in six children, struggle with hunger in Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS; the “Here’s to the Farmer” Farm Tour seeks to raise awareness of food insecurity across the state while also providing resources to impacted communities; and

WHEREAS; the state of Wisconsin recognizes the importance of celebrating farmers, investing in their health and well-being, and implementing innovative public policies to support farmers and the agricultural industry and encourage the flourishing of their farms and of the lives of Wisconsinites throughout the state;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim September 18 2025 as

“HERE’S TO THE FARMER” 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 8th day of September 2025.

TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:

SARAH GODLEWSKI, Secretary of State