



**OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR**

**EXECUTIVE ORDER #71**

**Relating to a Proclamation that the Flag of the United States and the Flag of the State of Wisconsin Be Flown at Half-Staff as a Mark of Respect for the Victims of the Mass Shooting in Milwaukee**

**WHEREAS**, on February 26, 2020, several lives were lost at the Molson Coors campus in Milwaukee, Wisconsin due to an act of gun violence;

**WHEREAS**, law enforcement and first responders acted quickly to contain the situation, get people to safety, and help assist victims; and

**WHEREAS**, the people of Wisconsin mourn the loss of those who died as a result of this senseless gun violence.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, TONY EVERS**, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the Laws of the State, hereby order that the flag of the United States and the flag of the State of Wisconsin shall be flown at half-staff at all buildings, grounds, and military installations of the State of Wisconsin, **beginning immediately and ending at sunset on Thursday, February 27, 2020**. The flag of the United States and the flag of the State of Wisconsin shall also be flown at half-staff from sunrise to sunset on the date of each victim's funeral.



**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 27th day of February in the year of two thousand twenty.

*Tony Evers*

TONY EVERS  
Governor

By the Governor:

*Douglas La Follette*  
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE  
Secretary of State