EXECUTIVE ORDER #77

Relating to a Proclamation that the Flag of the United States and the Flag of the State of Wisconsin Be Flown at Half-Staff on Memorial Day

WHEREAS, Memorial Day is an opportunity for all Wisconsinites to reflect on the sacrifices of the servicemembers of the United States Armed Forces who, throughout our nation's history, have laid down their lives in service of the United States of America;

WHEREAS, remembering the brave individuals we have lost in the past gives us patriotic resolve to preserve the peace such that our veterans will not have died in vain;

WHEREAS, federal law provides that the flag of the United States shall be displayed at half-staff from sunrise until noon on Memorial Day; and

WHEREAS, Memorial Day will be observed on Monday, May 25, 2020.

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 at sunrise on May 25, 2020 and ending at 12:00 p.m. CDT on that date.

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 twenty-second day of May in the year of two thousand twenty.

By the Governor:

TONY EVERS
Governor

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State