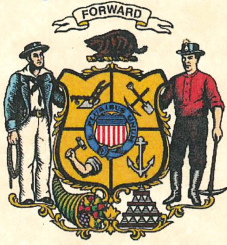


STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

Proclamation

WHEREAS; the Certified Government Financial Manager (CGFM) program is facilitated by the Association of Government Accountants (AGA) and certifies professionalism and competency in governmental accounting, financial reporting, auditing, and budgeting at the federal, state, and local levels; and

WHEREAS; CGFM candidates are required to pass a three-part examination requiring expertise in the governmental environment, governmental financial management and control, and governmental accounting, financial reporting, and budgeting, and to maintain certification by completing comprehensive training sessions totaling 80 hours over a two-year period; and

WHEREAS; our state houses the Southern Wisconsin Chapter of the Association of Government Accountants, which is a professional organization that serves approximately 90 active members representing state, federal, municipal, and private sector accountants, auditors, and financial managers in Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS; the members of the AGA Southern Wisconsin Chapter have responded to AGA's mission of Advancing Government Accountability by emphasizing high standards of conduct, honor, and character in its code of ethics, and by mastering increasingly technical and complex requirements in service to Wisconsinites across our state; and

WHEREAS; this month and every day, the State of Wisconsin is proud to recognize the hard work of the Certified Government Financial Managers in our communities who work tirelessly to serve Wisconsinites across our state;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim March 2020 as

CERTIFIED GOVERNMENT FINANCIAL MANAGER MONTH

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all our citizens.



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 21st day of February 2020.

Tony Evers

TONY EVERS
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

Douglas La Follette
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State