## STATE of WISCONSIN



WHEREAS; narcolepsy is a chronic neurological disorder caused by the brain's inability to regulate sleep-wake cycles; and

WHEREAS; narcolepsy affects approximately 200,000 people in the United States, yet it is an under-recognized and under-diagnosed condition; and

WHEREAS; the symptoms of narcolepsy, especially when undiagnosed, can lead to accidents, injuries, and problems with learning and working; and

WHEREAS; narcolepsy affects people of all ages neurologically, socially, and emotionally, though symptoms often start between ages seven and 25; and

WHEREAS; this Narcolepsy Awareness Day, the State of Wisconsin joins patients, advocates, and organizations across our country in raising awareness about the condition and working to support those who have narcolepsy;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim March 7, 2020, as

## NARCOLEPSY AWARENESS DAY

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all our state's residents.

or:

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 5<sup>th</sup> day of March 2020.

TONY EVERS GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE

Secretary of State