

WHEREAS; mothers are breadwinners, caregivers, innovators, community leaders, advocates, and allies that have, for generations, blazed new paths, championed new possibilities, and widened circles of opportunity for their children and families; and

WHEREAS; whether their work is paid or unpaid and inside or outside of the home, working moms expand economic opportunity by providing career skills, leadership, and creating more sustainable and resilient communities; and

WHEREAS; mothers play an indispensable role in building and transforming our society and culture, moving our state forward, and pursuing a better and brighter future for kids in Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS; throughout these past two years, in particular, mothers have continued to face new and unprecedented challenges, including limited access to childcare, supporting kids learning from home, and helping their families navigate and cope with the coronavirus pandemic; and

WHEREAS; started in 2017, Working Moms of Milwaukee is a community organization that has provided significant leadership in the area of community involvement in our youth and local businesses, which has been key to the community's well-being and long-term quality of life; and

WHEREAS; today, the state of Wisconsin joins Working Moms of Milwaukee, working mothers throughout our state, and all those who support them in celebrating the indispensable contributions of Wisconsin's working moms;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,  
do hereby proclaim March 12, 2022, as

## **WORKING MOMS 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 18<sup>th</sup> day of February 2022.



TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:



DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE, Secretary of State