WHEREAS; congenital disorders of glycosylation (CDG) refer to a group of metabolic conditions that affect organ development and the neurological system, often resulting in physical and development disabilities; and

WHEREAS; the prevalence of individuals affected by CDG is largely unknown and, as a result, CDG remains acutely under-diagnosed and misdiagnosed, leading to challenges in accessing specialized services, rehabilitation, and support; and

WHEREAS; early and proper diagnosis of CDG is essential to ensure timely management of clinical complications, genetic counseling, and any treatment or therapeutic options; and

WHEREAS; today, the state of Wisconsin joins all affected individuals and their loved ones, along with dedicated advocates and organizations across our state, in raising awareness of CDG with the hope of increasing its accurate and timely diagnosis;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim May 16 2022 as

CONGENITAL DISORDERS OF GLYCOSYLATION AWARENESS 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 10th day of May 2022.

TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE, Secretary of State