

WHEREAS; the state of Wisconsin recognizes that what is best for our kids is what is best for our state, and that our kids should always have the financial and emotional support they need to thrive; and

WHEREAS; Wisconsin's Child Support Program ensures the care and well-being of kids throughout our state, supports the involvement of parents in their kids' lives, and provides important services to both custodial and noncustodial parents; and

WHEREAS; community partnerships serve kids and their families through a variety of programs and targeted resources which promote awareness of needs and assist with meeting those needs, while encouraging greater family self-sufficiency; and

WHEREAS; the Wisconsin Child Support Program is committed to the equitable provision of services to all of our state's kids and families, and strives to always impart dignity and respect to those families receiving services; and

WHEREAS; this occasion provides all Wisconsinites with the opportunity to recognize the parents who work hard to protect and support their kids' futures; and

WHEREAS; this month, the state of Wisconsin joins the Wisconsin Child Support Program, its county and tribal child support agencies, and all parents in increasing public awareness of the importance of providing children with the support they need to be successful;

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

## **CHILD SUPPORT AWARENESS MONTH**

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 16<sup>th</sup> day of July 2020.



TONY EVERS, Governor

By the Governor:



DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE, Secretary of State