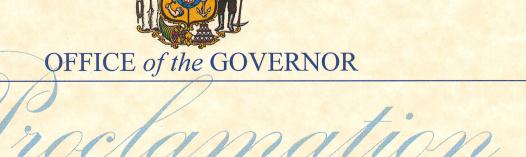
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WHEREAS; older adults throughout Wisconsin have spent their lifetimes contributing to the greater good of our state; and

WHEREAS; older adults are still very active in our communities, and many set an example of community service and social responsibility, providing advice and perspective to future generations; and

WHEREAS; National Senior Citizens Day presents the opportunity to reach out to the aging individuals in our lives, reflect on their legacy, and thank them for their continued contributions; and

WHEREAS; Wisconsin seniors are an important part of the diverse fabric of our state, and they deserve to be treated with respect and dignity, regardless of their age, income level, or ability status; and

WHEREAS; approximately 17 percent of all Wisconsinites are over the age of 65; and

WHEREAS; the Bureau of Aging and Disability Resources within the Wisconsin Department of Health Services offers numerous programs for aging Wisconsinites, serving thousands of seniors each year;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim August 21, 2019, as

NATIONAL SENIOR CITIZENS DAY

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 13th day of August 2019.

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By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLI LE Secretary of State