STATE of WISCONSIN

OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

Proclamation

WHEREAS, gynecologic cancer is the fourth largest cancer killer of women in the United States, and this year alone more than 113,000 cases will be diagnosed nationwide, while more than 1,800 women will be diagnosed in Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, the good health and well-being of women in Wisconsin is enhanced as a direct result of efforts to spread awareness about gynecologic cancer; and

WHEREAS, families and advocates of gynecologic cancer patients play a valuable role in helping our medical community advance the fight against these diseases; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Wisconsin can work together to encourage investments in preventative care, increase research toward an understanding of the causes of gynecologic cancers, find effective screening and prevention strategies, and develop improved therapies;

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

GYNECOLOGIC CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

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.

TONY EVERS
GOVERNOR

By the Governor

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State