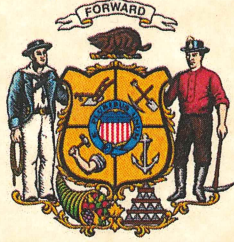


STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

Proclamation

WHEREAS, the state of Wisconsin is committed to ensuring the safety and security of all those living in and visiting our state; and

WHEREAS, a sufficient blood supply is a public health issue both locally and nationally, and our hospitals and medical centers need a readily-available supply for our residents and visitors; and

WHEREAS, one blood donation can help up to three patients, and although an estimated 38 percent of the United States population is eligible to donate blood, less than 10 percent actually do; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin is home to many organizations committed to raising awareness about the importance of blood donation, including the American Red Cross, Versiti, the Dr. Daliah Show, and more; and

WHEREAS, the Wisconsin Blood Donation Day effectively serves to remind us that we need to replenish our blood supply through donation and community awareness constantly;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim September 5, 2019, as

WISCONSIN BLOOD DONATION 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.


TONY EVERS
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:


DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State