STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

Proclamation

WHEREAS; lymphoma is the most common form of blood cancer and the third most common cancer of childhood; and

WHEREAS; more than 70,000 new cases of lymphoma are diagnosed each year in the United States, including nearly 1,500 in the State of Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS; a cure for lymphoma can only be realized through advanced cancer research; and

WHEREAS; awareness and education are powerful tools in the race to find a cure for lymphoma; and

WHEREAS; the health and vitality of the people of Wisconsin are significantly enhanced by local efforts to increase communication and education pertaining to blood cancers; and

WHEREAS; the Lymphoma Research Foundation offers a wide range of support services and programs for people with lymphoma, their loved ones and caregivers; and

WHEREAS; Lymphoma Awareness Day helps to raise general awareness of the disease and provides hope to all those affected by a lymphoma diagnosis;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim Sunday, September 15, 2019, as

LYMPHOMA AWARENESS DAY

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all our citizens.



DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE

Secretary of State

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 30th day of August 2019.

TONY EVERS GOVERNOR