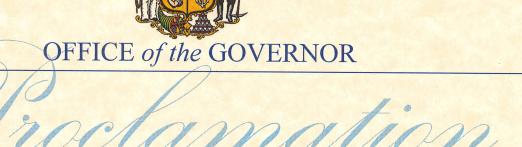
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WHEREAS; diapers are essential to ensuring young children and adults throughout our great state live their daily lives comfortable, clean, healthy, and dry; and

WHEREAS; "diaper need" is the condition of not having a sufficient supply of clean diapers, which can adversely affect the health and welfare of individuals in need, often disqualifying them from participating in organized programming and day-to-day activities; and

WHEREAS; diapers require changing multiple times a day, costing individuals and families up to several hundred dollars per month; and

WHEREAS; addressing "diaper need" can help Wisconsin's low-income families ensure the good health and high quality of life of their loved ones; and

WHEREAS; various community organizations in Wisconsin collaborate each year to raise awareness about "diaper need" and crowd-source and distribute diapers across our state; and

WHEREAS; Diaper Need Awareness Week presents an opportunity for all Wisconsinites to donate generously to diaper banks, diaper drives, and affiliate organizations that work to provide diapers to children and families in need throughout the state;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim September 23 – 29, 2019, as

## DIAPER NEED AWARENESS WEEK

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 16<sup>th</sup> day of September 2019.

TONY EVERS GOVERNOR

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Secretary of State