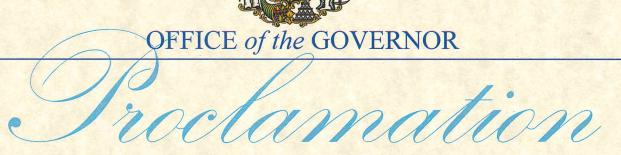
STATE of WISCONSIN



WHEREAS; the Southern Wisconsin Chapter of the Association of Government Accountants (AGA) is a professional organization belonging to the Association of Government Accountants, which has more than 15,000 members in 100 chapters in the United States and around the world, and approximately 90 active members representing state, federal, municipal, and private sector accountants, auditors, and financial managers in Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS; the Southern Wisconsin Chapter of the Association of Government Accountants have responded to the AGA's mission of advancing government accountability, as it continues its broad educational efforts, with emphasis on high standards of conduct, honor, and character in its code of ethics; and

WHEREAS; the Southern Wisconsin Chapter of the Association of Government Accountants is making significant advances both in professional ability and in service to the citizens of Wisconsin by mastering increasingly technical and complex requirements; and

WHEREAS; the Certified Government Financial Manager (CGFM) program of AGA provides a means of demonstrating professionalism and competency by requiring CGFM candidates to have appropriate educational and employment history and to pass a three-part examination requiring expertise in the Governmental Environment, Governmental Financial Management and Control, and Governmental Accounting, Financial Reporting, and Budgeting, and requires each CGFM holder to maintain certification by completing comprehensive training sessions totaling 80 hours over a two-year period;

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

CERTIFIED GOVERNMENT FINANICAL MANAGER MONTH

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all of 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 15th day of February 2019.

TONY EVERS GOVERNOR