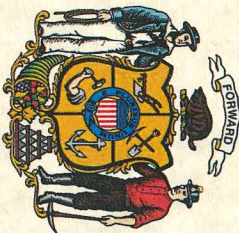


# STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

*Proclamation*

*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 FINANCIAL MANAGER MONTH

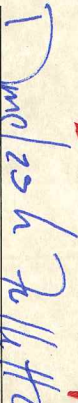
throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have  
herunto 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 15<sup>th</sup> day of February 2019.

  
TONY EVERS  
GOVERNOR



By the Governor:

  
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE  
Secretary of State