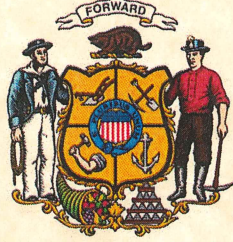# STATE *of* WISCONSIN

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Proclamation

WHEREAS; on Saturday, July 27, 2019, Milwaukee will host its tenth annual Milwaukee Brewfest at McKinley Park on the lakefront; and

WHEREAS; beer and brewing has long been an important part of Wisconsin's culture and history, quickly gaining popularity after German immigrants brought the heritage of beer-making to our great state; and

WHEREAS; Milwaukee is well-known as a national leader in beer production and has been home to over 70 breweries and more than 100 brewing companies throughout its history, including Pabst Blue Ribbon, the Joseph Schlitz Brewing Company, the Valentin Blatz Brewing Company, the Falk Brewing Company, and the Miller Brewing Company; and

WHEREAS; the Milwaukee Brewfest celebrates the rich brewing history of the City of Milwaukee and the larger State of Wisconsin by bringing together hundreds of beer aficionados each year to enjoy craft beers, microbrews, and ciders from across the globe; and

WHEREAS; in addition to enjoying brewed beverages from throughout the world, Milwaukee Brewfest patrons will also have a chance to enjoy a variety of musical performances, a 50/50 raffle, an array of food from local restaurants and vendors, and more; and

WHEREAS; Milwaukee's own Museum of Beer and Brewing underwrites the Milwaukee Brewfest and will receive a portion of the festival's proceeds, to be used toward building an organization that will work to highlight the history of the beer and brewing industry for the benefit, enjoyment, and education of the public;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim July 27, 2019, as

THE 10TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE MILWAUKEE BREWFEST

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 17th day of July 2019.

TONY EVERS
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State