



EXECUTIVE ORDER #231

Relating to a Proclamation that the Flag of the United States and the Flag of the State of Wisconsin be Flown at Half-Staff as a Mark of Respect for Wisconsin Department of Corrections Employee Corey P. Proulx

WHEREAS, on June 25, 2024, Corey P. Proulx, a dedicated member of the Wisconsin Department of Corrections (DOC), tragically lost his life after an attack that occurred while on duty at Lincoln Hills School in Irma, Wisconsin, at the age of 49;

WHEREAS, Proulx served the DOC as a youth counselor, having originally joined the department in 2020 before leaving briefly in 2021 and returning to the department on April 24, 2023;

WHEREAS, Proulx was known for his compassion toward others and his commitment to service, and he had a lasting, positive impact on youth and his colleagues at the department, among many others;

WHEREAS, Proulx was also a devoted fiancé, father, son, loved one, and friend of so many, and the people of Wisconsin join Proulx's surviving family and friends in honoring his memory and mourning his tragic loss; and

WHEREAS, the impact of Proulx's life and service will not be forgotten.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, TONY EVERS, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the Laws of the State, hereby order that the flag of the United States and the flag of the State of Wisconsin shall be flown at half-staff at all buildings, grounds, and military installations of the State of Wisconsin, beginning immediately and ending at sunset on Thursday, June 27, 2024, as well as on the date of interment.

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 twenty-sixth day of June in the year of two thousand twenty-four.

TONY EVERS
Governor

By the Governor:

SARAH GODLEWSKI
Secretary of State