

# The State of Wisconsin



## OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

### EXECUTIVE ORDER #301

#### 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 Former State Senator Michael Ellis

**WHEREAS**, on July 20, 2018, former State Senator Michael Ellis of the 19th Senate District passed away at the age of 77; and

**WHEREAS**, Senator Michael Ellis was a prominent figure in the Wisconsin Legislature over the course of five decades, serving in the Wisconsin State Assembly from 1971 to 1982 and the Wisconsin State Senate from 1983 to 2015; and

**WHEREAS**, Senator Michael Ellis served as President of the Wisconsin State Senate from 2011 to 2015; and

**WHEREAS**, Senator Michael Ellis began his career of public service on the Neenah Common Council, where he served from 1969 to 1975; and

**WHEREAS**, Senator Michael Ellis was a dedicated public servant, and the people of Wisconsin mourn his passing; and

**WHEREAS**, a celebration of life for Senator Michael Ellis will be held on August 7, 2018;

**NOW THEREFORE, I, SCOTT WALKER**, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of this State, do 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 at sunrise on **Tuesday, August 7, 2018**, and ending at sunset on that date.



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 sixth day of August in the year two thousand eighteen.

  
SCOTT WALKER  
Governor

By the Governor:

  
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE  
Secretary of State