The State of Wisconsin

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER #161

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 South Shore Ambulance Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) Dennis Swenson

WHEREAS, on Friday, May 1, 2015, Dennis Swenson, an Emergency Medical Technician, died in the line of duty while responding to a house fire; and

WHEREAS, Dennis Swenson was a volunteer EMT and a valued member of his community in the Bayfield County area, serving his community as an EMT for twenty-seven years; and

WHEREAS, Dennis Swenson's death has impacted the entire community, and the people of Wisconsin mourn the death of Dennis Swenson; and

WHEREAS, a memorial service will be held for Dennis Swenson in Herbster, Wisconsin, on Saturday, May 9, 2015;

NOW THEREFORE, I, SCOTT WALKER, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, by the authority vested in me by federal and state law, 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 equipped with such flags, beginning at sunrise on **May 9, 2015,** 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 eighth day of May in the year two thousand fifteen.

SCOTT WALKER
Governor

By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State