



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER #117

Relating to a Special Session of the Legislature

WHEREAS, the State of Wisconsin is experiencing an increase in state revenue due to our growing economy and new job creation; and

WHEREAS, thanks to leadership and prudent fiscal management, state government spent less than anticipated in the last fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, these fiscal facts afford an opportunity to provide much-needed property-tax relief to Wisconsin families, farmers, seniors, and small businesses;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott Walker, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, pursuant to Article IV, Section 11, and Article V, Section 4 of the Wisconsin Constitution, do hereby require the convening of a special session of the Legislature at the Capitol in Madison, solely to consider and act upon legislation relating to the following:

1. Providing property-tax relief by increasing state aid to school districts with limits on district expenditures;
2. Tax incremental financing districts for municipalities;
3. Historic preservation tax credits.



By the Governor:


DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State

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 tenth day of October, in the year two thousand thirteen.


SCOTT WALKER
Governor



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Relating to a Proclamation that the Flag of the United States and the Flag of the State of Wisconsin may be Flown at Half-Staff at Hamilton High School as a Mark of Respect for Lance Corporal Jeremiah M. Collins, Jr. of the United States Marine Corps Who Lost His Life While Serving His Country During Operation Enduring Freedom—Afghanistan

WHEREAS, on October 5, 2013, Lance Corporal Jeremiah M. Collins, Jr., a member of Combat Logistics Regiment 2, 2nd Marine Logistics Group, II Marine Expeditionary Force, Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, United States Marine Corps, died while serving his country in Afghanistan; and

WHEREAS, Lance Corporal Jeremiah M. Collins, Jr. provided faithful and honorable service to the people of the State of Wisconsin and the people of the United States; and

WHEREAS, the students, alumni, faculty, and staff of Hamilton High School mourn the death of Lance Corporal Jeremiah M. Collins, Jr., a member of the Class of 2012; and

WHEREAS, a memorial service will be held for Lance Corporal Jeremiah M. Collins, Jr. at Hamilton High School in the City of Milwaukee on October 11, 2013;

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 may be flown at half-staff at