



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

EXECUTIVE ORDER #31

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 Officer John D. Hetland of the Racine Police Department

WHEREAS, on June 17, 2019, off-duty Patrol Officer John D. Hetland of the Racine Police Department was fatally shot while attempting to stop an armed robbery;

WHEREAS, Officer John D. Hetland served with the Racine Police Department for 24 years;

WHEREAS, Officer John D. Hetland dedicated his life and career to protecting the people of Racine and Wisconsin;

WHEREAS, Officer John D. Hetland was a loving father and son, and a valued member of his community; and

WHEREAS, Officer John D. Hetland leaves behind an honorable legacy of service to his community and his state, and the people of Wisconsin mourn his death.

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 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 nineteenth day of June in the year of two thousand nineteen.

TONY EVERS
Governor

By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State