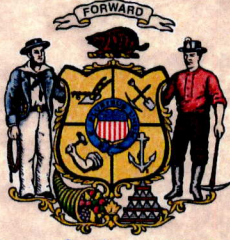


# STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

## Proclamation

*WHEREAS*; blindness and severe visual impairment affect approximately 200,000 residents of Wisconsin; and

*WHEREAS*; the majority of these persons use travel aids, such as a white cane or a guide dog; and

*WHEREAS*; these travel aids are universally recognized as symbols representing loss of vision; and

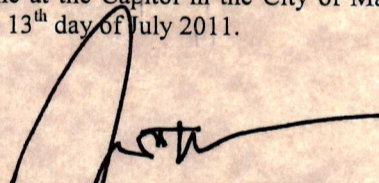
*WHEREAS*; people who operate motor vehicles must be alert for visually impaired pedestrians;

*NOW, THEREFORE*, I, Scott Walker, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim Saturday, October 15, 2011, as



### WHITE CANE SAFETY DAY

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.

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 13<sup>th</sup> day of July 2011.

  
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SCOTT WALKER  
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:



*Doug La Follette*  
DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE  
Secretary of State