



OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

CERTIFICATE OF COMMENDATION

HONORING

Appleton Public Library

GROUNDBREAKING

WHEREAS; patrons, employees, developers, and community members of the Appleton Public Library are celebrating the groundbreaking of the new library building on July 25, 2023, at 225 North Oneida Street in Appleton; and

WHEREAS; public libraries are the hearts of our cities, towns, villages, and communities and have long served as trusted and treasured institutions that offer opportunities for all people to explore new worlds, learn important skills, access critical resources, and become more engaged citizens of our democracy; and

WHEREAS; protecting and supporting public libraries has never been more important, as libraries, librarians, and library staff play an invaluable role in their communities; and

WHEREAS; the Appleton Public Library has provided countless contributions to the greater Appleton community and will continue to serve as a bold example for public libraries in its new location;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby congratulate the Appleton Public Library on the groundbreaking of their new building and thank everyone involved for their dedicated service to the state.

DONE ON THIS 21ST DAY OF JULY 2023.

Tony Evers

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GOVERNOR

